



Mary Woodward Elementary

Parent Support Organization Newsletter

MARCH 5, 2020

MESSAGE FROM THE PSO PRESIDENT

I hope March finds you with a Spring in your step.

February was a great month! A HUGE THANKS to all the volunteers who helped make the daughter dance and valentines celebrations such memorable occasions! We have a fabulous community at this school!

We have even more exciting events coming up. The boys get a turn to spend an evening with their escort on March 13. This is always a fun filled night! April 4 is the annual Mary Woodward Auction. Get your tickets now before they are sold out! This event is the major fundraiser for the school and we rely on the donations to provide funds for so many activities for our kids. Coming up in May is the Carnival. This is a fabulous annual family event with numerous games and activities. Looking ahead to June, we cap off the year with a field day with fun games to celebrate the end of the school year . It takes a lot of volunteers to run these events, they cannot happen without a strong community. Please contact Jen at mwpsovolunteers@gmail.com if you can spare just a couple hours to help.

Please join us for a PSO meeting! These monthly one-hour meetings are a great way to find out what's happening at school. Plans for next year are already beginning to take shape so it is a perfect time to provide input on what you want to see at your school! The next meeting is Friday, March 20 at 8:30am in the makerspace.

Happy Spring!

Cyndi Clere, PSO President

THE SON DANCE IS COMING MARCH 13

Our annual son dance is coming up!

Please join us **March 13th from 6 to 8 pm** for dancing, games, refreshments and some amazing raffle prizes!

Dance entry is \$10, and digital photos will be available for \$10.

Don't forget to bring cash so you can purchase glow items and additional raffle tickets. Raffle items will include some Nike items and Lego items!

Please wear your favorite sports wear and come ready for a glowing good time! **See you there!**



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UPCOMING EVENTS

March

6: Conferences

13: Son Event

20: PSO Meeting

23-27: Spring Break

31-April 4: Caring Closet Collection

April

1: Walk + Roll to School Day

4: Hollywood Nights Auction

17: PSO Meeting

17: Cultural Fair

18: Garden Clean Up

21-24: Spring Book Fair

27-May 1: TTSD Coin Drive

DO YOU HAVE YOUR AUCTION TICKETS YET?

Don't forget to visit the Hollywood Nights auction website for Buy-In Parties and Buy-It Now Items!

- **Buy-In Parties:** MW Garden Tea, Bread Making, Board Games with Ms. McConnell, Coffee & Knitting, STEAM, Bunco Game Night, and Puppet Pals with 2nd Grade Teachers!
- **Buy-It Now Items:** VIP Parking Spot, Front Row Seats to MW Music Performances, Monthly Reader Board, Birthday Parties, Math Tutoring with Ms. McConnell, and Bedtime Stories with Mrs. Rice!



Register today at <https://marywoodwardpso.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/HollywoodNights/tabid/1103910/Default.aspx>

Wine Donations Need for Auction!

The Auction Committee is collecting wine donations to stock the Auction Wine Wall. **We are especially in search of RED wine.** Wine donations can be dropped off at the school front office anytime up thru April 1st, 2020.

DO YOU LIKE RECEIVING THIS NEWSLETTER?

We need a newsletter coordinator for next year. Please get involved so this position doesn't go away!

Our current webmaster and newsletter coordinator is moving on to Fowler next year, and is looking to get someone to carry on the role for 2020/2021. This could be either two positions, or a combined position if someone wants to take on both. Training provided for both.

Please contact kayleen@booyahcreative.com for more information.

WINTER BOX TOPS CONTEST WINNERS

The Winter Box Top winners are Miller, Kemper and Hutchins. Keep cutting out Box Tops for Fall 2020 and download the app to scan your receipts and earn money for our school all year long.

AMBASSADORS NEEDS

4th grade parents: Next year you all will work together to run the Ambassador Program. Some of you will be lucky enough to head up the Student Store. There are a few Student Store days left and the current Ambassador moms (Jacqueline, Erin and Jennifer) have gotten it down to a science and want to pass on all their wisdom to 2-3 soon to be 5th grade moms. If you're interested in learning more, please send an email to mwambassadors@gmail.com to schedule a time to shadow them.

5th grade parents: Remember that thing that's coming up at the end of April that we need volunteers for?? Eventually one of you will make eye contact with us Ambassador moms and you'll feel compelled to spend 30 minutes in the morning or afternoon (or both) making sure the kids don't break the money machine. **TTSD Coin Drive: The money counter machine is scheduled to roll in for the week of April 27th-May 1st. Please volunteer!**

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