



Spring Road Elementary PTO Newsletter

April 2019

Dates to Remember

April

- 2-9 Square 1 Art Sale (**Paper** Orders due 4/9)
- 9 PTO meeting at 4:30pm in the Library
- 12 Family Swim Night @ NHS Pool
- 12 Last day to order Square 1 Art **ONLINE**
- 18 Skate Night 5:30 – 7:30pm
- 19&22 No School
- 25 Badger Bash @ Badger Sports Park

May

- 1 Walk to School Wednesday*
- 3 Career & Hobby Day 9 - 11:30am
- 6 & 7 Square 1 Art pick-up 3:05 - 6:00pm
- 7 Skate Night 5:30 – 7:30pm**
- 8 Walk to School Wednesday*
- 14 PTO meeting at 4:30pm in the Library
- 15 Walk to School Wednesday*
- 22 Walk to School Wednesday*
- 24 No School (PLD)
- 27 No School (Memorial Day)
- 23 Fun Run 1 – 3pm (Rain Date May 28)
- 29 Walk to School Wednesday*

Skate Night – April 19

Join the fun and spend a couple hours in the evening with friends and family! The Neenah Fox Valley Roller Rink on Gillingham Road is closed to the public and open to Spring Road family and friends only. **Skate Night's Theme is "Glow in the Dark" – Wear your neon clothes and glow.**



PTO – April 9 Meeting

Agenda and notes for the PTO meeting are posted <http://www.neenah.k12.wi.us/schools/springroad/pto.cfm> Meetings are open to **all** Spring Road parents, guardians and teachers. Join us at 4:30 – 5:30pm in the Spring Road library. You can arrive late as it fits into your schedule. Can't be there, send us your thoughts at SpringRoadPTO@gmail.com

Children are welcome, but please bring them something to do or work on during meetings.

Spring Road Vendor and Craft Fair

THANK YOU Everyone for supporting us!

Spring Road Elementary School's fair was a success! We were able to add \$1,480 to our playground fund earned from vendor booth fees and raffle ticket sales. A special thank you to Spring Road Girl Scouts Troop 2213 and Cub Scout Pack 3081 for keeping all of our vendors and patrons feed and hydrated.



Badger Bash @ Badger Sports Park

Mark your calendars for April 25th from 4 – 9pm for Spring Road's Badger Bash at Badger Sports Park! You may purchase Utopia passes at the door at a deeply discounted rate when mentioning Spring Road. **Buy a 2 hour utopia pass for \$10 plus tax or a 3 hour utopia pass for \$12 plus tax.** The Utopia passes allow unlimited play of non-ticket games, inflatables, mini bowling, go karts, mini golf, batting cages and laser tag (weather permitting for outdoor activities). Fun for the whole family, and all Spring Road families are encouraged to attend!



Family Swim Night

Join all of the Spring Road families **Friday, April 12 from 6-8pm** at the Neenah High School pool for Family swim night. Cost is \$2/child and \$2.50/adult (No cost if not swimming.) Cost is to cover lifeguards. Adults **MUST** remain with children at pool.



Square 1 Art

All Spring Road students worked hard on Art Projects through Square 1 Art. You will be able to place orders on printed items. They make great family keepsakes or gifts!



Up Coming Activities

Additional Square 1 Information

- Square 1 Art **paper** order forms are due back to school on **April 9** **NOTE:** You are able to order **online** until **April 12** at www.square1art.com and still save on shipping with school delivery.
- After April 12, shipping costs will be added to ship to your home.
- Order **pick up** on May 6 & 7 from 3:05 – 6pm in the gym

Wouldn't the gift of your child's Square 1 Art be a great gift for Mother's Day on May 12?



Spring Road's Career and Hobby Day **Friday, May 3, 9:30 – 10:30am.**

A favorite event of students and staff, in order to be successful, we are asking for volunteers are need to greet presenters, distribute name tags, set up reception table during third session, enjoy a session or two and help students find their scheduled classrooms. Volunteers are needed from 8:30 – 11am (various times and activities) to make this event successful. **Signup at <http://signup.com/go/cDtHavs>**

WE NEED YOUR HELP NOW!!!!

As with many things in our lives, we as parents/guardians, are stretched thin but still want to be involved. Up until this point, you may think things run really smoothly with all of the PTO sponsored activities. For the 2019-20 school year, things are going to need to drastically change because at the end of this current school year, in June 2019 over 70% of our active PTO members are graduating with their children. At the end of the 2020 school year, an additional 20% of our active PTO parents will be graduating. WE do **not** have enough volunteers and WE will **not** able to sustain any of our PTO sponsored activities starting in the 2019-20 school year and **if we don't have volunteers REALLY SOON to lead the PTO and support the activities of the PTO, then Spring Road will no longer have a PTO.** Look for more information coming soon or please feel free to volunteer for any of the positions by emailing us or attending the April or May PTO meetings.

PTO Executive Committee – Accepting Nominations for 2019 – 20!!!

A summary of the Executive Committee members are:

- The **Co-Presidents** shall preside at all meetings of the PTO at which one of the presidents must be present.
- The **Recording Secretary** shall keep PTO records, take and record minutes, and handle correspondence.
- The **Coordinating Secretary** assists in coordinating activities and putting together the PTO calendar.

PTO Executive Committee Nominations will be accepted now through May 14 at the beginning the PTO meeting prior to elections

Other Volunteer Opportunities, these positions are not elected and any of them can be co-chaired.

Fundraising – the committee develops the fundraising plan the **next** school year's activities, events and fundraisers with the assistance and input of the standing and special committee chairs to allow the PTO to meet budgetary and project needs.

Social Committee – the committee comes up with ideas for social events for Spring Road families like dances, bowling night, game night and bingo night.

General Mills Box Tops – assist in collecting, counting and sending of the box tops two times a year – we are looking for a couple of people to assist and a person to co-chair the committee.

Art, Craft and Market Day Fair – This is a new event to be held in March for the 2019-20 school year. The committee will work with getting vendors for the fair and advertising for the fair.

Monthly PTO newsletter – work with the coordinating secretary to update the PTO monthly newsletter with current information to be publish at the beginning of each month. All of the templates and information from last year will be available to you and you can work on it at home.

Please join us! It's easy—and it really makes a difference! Consider volunteering. We need more volunteers especially since some of the current positions will be open up because the current volunteer's children graduate from Spring Road. Email us at SpringRoadPTO@gmail.com.