

**Roosevelt PTO Meeting
Tuesday, April 11, 2016**

Joint Meeting

Principal's Report, Mrs. Chrisman

- Thursday is The Pancake Man, Math Night, and our Used Book Sale, 5-7 PM in the gym and the hallway. If the line for pancakes is long, feel free to play math games first.
- Roosevelt and Alliance's School Board presentation is next week on April 19.
- The second RIF will be May 6. Look for each of your children to bring home a free book of their choice.
- Next Friday is a PLD, so there is no school.
- Roosevelt is finishing up the Forward exam right now. This is the current state test.
- Alliance starts the Forward test next week. This is for grades 3, 4, and 5.
- Cooper Sieck will be Principal for the Day tomorrow.

Teacher Appreciation Week

- First Week of May. RO and ACE usually work together to put on a lunch one day. Mary Thompson has the flier from previous years and will work with Kylie Sieck on the theme days.

Administrative Assistant Day

- April 22. We are looking for someone to do something for Mrs. Akkala. Jehan Brown will take care of ordering Starbucks and flowers for her.

Doty Island Clean Up Day

- May 7
- Runs from 8AM-noon
- Meet at YouthGo. They'll have you bags and you walk around and clean up the Island. The more people who can come and help, the better!
- There will be donuts and coffee.

Garden Club and Spring Spruce Up

- May 22 -- watch for a Sign-Up Genius
- Looking to update the garden, pick up trash and leaves, expand the butterfly garden, and lay down new mulch.

- Mrs. Rossing would like to start some plants outside. She's looking for some indoor pots to get things started.
- Possible Buddy Bench

Skate Night -- two more left

- Tuesday, April 19
- Thursday, May 19 (special fifth grade skate)

Dance

- Friday, May 13
- Ron Newman is going to DJ from 6-8 PM
- In the past, Student Experience Committee and paid for the events of the evening. Mrs. Chrisman will look at the Skate Night proceeds to see what the budget will be.
- It will be a luau theme.

Talent Show

- May 20
- Lori Murphy is looking for as many volunteers as she can get. If you are interested in helping, contact the office or Lori Murphy. Volunteers will need to help at rehearsals, as well, on April 29 and May 13 after school.

Summer Library

- Mrs. McMahon has asked each of the PTOs to donate \$75 toward summer library prizes.

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Elections

If you are interested in running for or nominating someone for Secretary, Treasurer, or Vice President, please let Jehan Brown know. Elections are next month.

Field Trip Funds - Steven Ellison runs a sailing program for fifth grade students. They have all the equipment. Students learn about safety, sailing, stewardship of the land, etc. Mrs. Lemke is working on some grant, but in case they don't get any of them, she is requesting that in lieu of a grant, would the PTO donate \$20-\$25 per child. Parents would pay additional \$5 plus the cost of the bus. Jenn McMahon makes a

motion to donate up to \$500 toward the fifth grade sailing trip. Seconded by Jehan Brown. Motion carried.

Teacher Appreciation Week

- Coffee Cart - We are looking for a volunteer for the coffee cart on Thursday.
- Monday - Bring your teacher a flower day
- Tuesday - Mrs. Chrisman will provide lunch for teachers.
- Wednesday - Wear your teacher's favorite color.
- Thursday - Coffee Cart
- Friday - Write your teacher a note day.

Teacher Scholarship

- \$150 for a full-time teacher. This is prorated depending on the amount of time you are in the building. Get receipts into Mary Thompson. She has a folder in the office.

Conscious Discipline

- This year Roosevelt teachers have been doing a book study with the book *Conscious Discipline*. Mrs. Chrisman has scheduled a training for the teachers the first week of June. She is working principal April Keepers on this training. Mrs. Chrisman requested up to \$200 from the PTO to pay for the training. Jenn McMahon made a motion to contribute up to 200 for training as long as ACE contributed the same amount. Seconded by Mary Thompson. Motion Carried.