



Victory Villa Elementary School PTA Newsletter

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FALL FESTIVAL:



Victory Villa PTA will hold the 1st ever Fall Festival!!!

Come out and enjoy the fun on Friday, October 22nd from 7-9pm. The fun will take place in the parking lot outside of the gymnasium. There will be face painting, scarecrow making, crafts, games, food and the Haunted Gym! Middle River Volunteer fire dept. will be there too!!!!

Admission is free but there will be a minimal cost for activities and food. Tickets can be purchased up to a week before the Festival! Look for order forms to be in the Thursday folder on October 14th.

Any questions can be directed the PTA email.



School Store Special:

SCHOOL STORE SALE!!!! BUY ANY PENCIL AND GET A FREE Halloween eraser NOW THROUGH THE MONTH OF OCTOBER!! DON'T MISS OUT, WHILE SUPPLIES LAST ONLY!

Membership Early Bird Contest is over and the winners are.....

Ms. Glass won the staff early bird special and Ms. Green won the family early bird special. They won a gift card to Lowes AMC movies!

Class contest ends 11/30, So far we have:

1st Place Dugan 89%
2nd Place Staab 74%
3rd Place Gaylor 56%

Transparenti AM 47%
Quinan 45%
Knudsen 43%
Etzel 40%
Maloney 39%
Transparenti PM 37%
Alevetsovitis 35%

Adey 27%
Schaumburg 24%
Vanskiver 22%
Tedeschi 22%
Testerman 7%
Cappa 5%
Evelyn 5%

Your membership helps pay for the dances, special actives nights, field trip funds, programs and more. By joining the PTA you have a voice in planning and making these events happen. There will be a class contest, the top 3 classes with the most PTA members will win prizes; the first place class will win a pizza party, the second place class will win a ice cream party, and the third place class will win a popcorn party. The class contest runs till November 30th. Join the PTA today and help your child's education grow!

What is the PTA and who can be a Member?

Our PTA is part of the national Parent/Teacher Association that strives to enhance children's educational experiences. Being part of a national organization, we must pay annual dues. To offset these dues, every year, we have a membership drive. Becoming a member does not mean you automatically sign up to volunteer, it just means you support our group and believe in what we're doing. **All parents and caregivers, along with school faculty can be members, for only \$7!** Please enroll or renew your membership for 2010-2011 and help us achieve our membership goal!

Family Fun Night – Chick-fil-A – October 28, 2010. Please join us for a fun evening. Chick-fil-A will donate 20% of all of our sales generated by that night between 5-8pm. You will need to bring the Chick-fil-A flier with you when you come for our school to get credit. These fliers will be mailed two weeks before the event.



Become a Volunteer...Why YOU should get involved!

As you can see, we are a busy group. This is where you can come in! We need your help, and so do your children. **Over 500 independent studies on parent involvement show that when parents get involved in their children's education grades go up, test scores improve, children are more likely to attend better schools after high school, they have fewer discipline problems and they're less likely to use drugs and alcohol. Get involved TODAY!**

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Box Tops and Campbell Labels:

Hey help your school by collecting box tops. We pull 3 student names who participate each month to win a prize. The Box Tops winners this month are: Isabella Haislip from Mrs. Staab's class, Ava Miller from Mrs. Maloney's class and Lindsay Abdis from Mrs. Gaylor's class. They have won a coupon for the school store!

At the end of the year the top 3 classes with the most collected box tops will win a prize. 1st place - pizza party 2nd place - ice cream party and 3rd place - popcorn party. Last year we received \$1,134.90 for all the box tops we collected. Let's see if we can break that record this year! Keep them coming!

So far we have: 1st place is Mrs. Maloney's class with 910 pts, 2nd place is Mrs. Gaylor's class with 185 pts and 3rd place Mrs. Cappa's class with 177.

Keep up the great work, keep saving and sending in your box tops. Please make sure the student's name and teacher's name is marked on each bag or sheet. Thank You!

We collect soup labels that get us points for special school items. We also collect ink cartridges and old cell phones, (but no toner please) to earn cash for our school! If you have any questions please contact the PTA at victoryvillapta@yahoo.com. All you need to do is just cut, collect and send to school. If you are not sure about the soup label, just send the whole label thank you.



Coke Rewards:

You can continue this all year!!

Go to www.mycoke.com to enter codes on the bottle caps of all coke products.

Upcoming Events:

October 22 – Fall Festival – 7-9pm (See flier for details)

October 28 – Chick-fil-A Night – 5-8pm

November – Yearbook sales will begin

November 3 – Joe Corbi Cookie Sale Starts

November 10 – PTA Meeting at 6:30pm

November 15-19 – American Education Week

November 18 – Friendly's Night (White Marsh Mall 5-8pm)

November 19 – Joe Corbi Cookie Sales Ends



Please contact any of us with questions or comments.

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