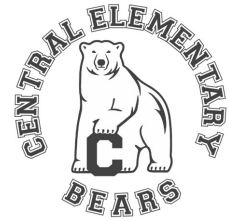


Central Elementary PTA



Working together for the good of our family

October 2, 2018



Central Pizza Day At Lexington Domino's

This coming **Thursday, October 4th**, Central families and friends can enjoy carryout dinner from Domino's of Lexington. The Lexington Domino's, 23 South Jefferson Street, 463-7375, will donate ten percent of all sales on that day – between 10:30 am and midnight – to the Central PTA! No coupon or flyer is required. **Thank you, Domino's!**

PTA Meeting

Please join us for this month's meeting Wednesday, October 17th, at 5:30 pm in the Central Elementary Library. We will review PTA activities to date, discuss plans for future activities and answer your questions. We appreciate your support and hope to see you on Wednesday.



Keep Clipping Box Tops



So far this school year, Central has earned \$575 from Box Tops for Education. Thank you to the adults and students who clip, save, and send in Box Tops!

Our next due date is October 26th. Include the student's name, teacher, and house color. The top-collecting house will receive 50 bonus points.

Time Together Tuesdays

The PTA declares the first Tuesday of each month is **TERRIFIC**, a terrific day to play after-school on Central's playground and field. At PTA's August meeting, a parent asked us to consider supporting and promoting after-school playdates as a way to build friendships among our students and parents and guardians. We listened, because we are family!



November 6th, is our first Time Together after-school play date.

Parents and guardians can enjoy the outdoors with their student/s and friends. No RSVP is required. Families are encouraged to bring their own snacks and drinks.

After-school playdates are not supervised by PTA Officers or Central Staff. Children may play under the supervision of their parent or guardian.

Central Bears Spirit Wear Sale... Coming Soon!

We are pleased that our new tie-dyed House Color shirts are available in long sleeve and hoodie sweat-shirt styles. Central families and friends will be able to purchase these shirts as well as solid gray and maroon shirts, imprinted with our school logo. The PTA will send home a pre-order form in next week's Tuesday folder.





Outdoor Movie Night is Friday, October 19

Due to the wet field and playground conditions at school last week, "Movie Under the Stars," featuring *Ferdinand*, was postponed until Friday, October 19. The movie will start at dark, around 7:00 pm. Bring chairs and/or blankets, and plan to enjoy a fun evening.

Concessions will include pizza, popcorn, beverages, candy, glow necklaces, and finger lights. Raffle tickets can be purchased for chances to win Hull's Drive-in or Lexington's State Cinema tickets, or a "Ferdinand" DVD movie package.

The PTA member drawing for \$25 Food Lion and Kroger gift cards has also been postponed. If you haven't yet joined the Central PTA, do so by October 19 for your chance to win. And, you'll be helping the PTA provide valuable programs that are outside the scope of the school budget. Annual PTA dues are \$5. Members are not required to attend meetings or volunteer, though any help is appreciated. Forms are available at the school office or by emailing centralbearspta@gmail.com.

Eat at McDonald's on October 16 and Support Central

Join us for "McTeacher's Night" at the Lexington McDonald's on **Tuesday, October 16, between 5 and 8 pm**, and McDonald's will donate 20 percent of ALL drive-through and dine-in sales to the Central PTA! Mrs. Parker, Mr. Owens, and some of Central's teachers will be there to greet and serve you. Invite your family and friends! No coupon or flyer is required.



Important Dates

- **Thursday, October 4** (10:30 am to midnight)—Central Bears Pizza Day/Night at Lexington Dominos
- **Wednesday, October 10**—Wildlife Center of Virginia presents "For Goodness Snakes" to students
- **Monday, October 15**—Teacher Workday, NO SCHOOL for students
- **Tuesday, October 16**—Central families celebrate McTeacher's Night at Lexington McDonalds
- **Wednesday, October 17**—Central PTA meeting begins at 5:30pm in the Library
- **Thursday, October 18**—Musical performance by 2nd and 5th graders at 6:00 pm
- **Friday, October 19**—PTA "Movie Under the Stars", featuring *Ferdinand*, at 6:30 pm
- **Monday, October 22**—Scholastic Book Fair in the Library through October 26
- **Tuesday, October 23**—Report cards sent home; Parent-Teacher Conferences
- **Friday, October 26**—Due date to turn in Box Tops for fall submission
- **Wednesday, October 31** -- Fall Festival and Annual PTA Walkathon
- **Tuesday, November 6**—Time Together Tuesday starts at 3:30pm on the playground

Check our website at www.centralelementarypta.com for up-to-date PTA information.