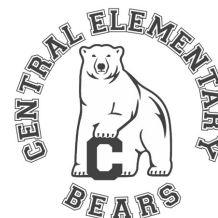


Central Elementary PTA



Working together for the good of our family

March 5, 2019

The Central PTA Needs You!

If you haven't yet joined the PTA, please join today. Annual PTA dues of \$5 support valuable programs and events that are outside the scope of the school budget. Membership forms are available at the school office or by emailing centralbearspta@gmail.com. PTA members are not required to attend meetings or volunteer, though any help is appreciated.

If you would like to be more involved at Central during the 2019-20 school year, consider becoming a PTA officer, board member, or committee member. Committees include: Beautification, Clothes Closet, Communications/Membership, Fundraising, Hospitality, Reflections, and Student Activities/Volunteers. Email centralbearspta@gmail.com if you are interested in helping the PTA serve students, teachers, and families at Central. An open house will be held in April to provide details about PTA programs and volunteer opportunities.

2018-2019 PTA Officers

Gaye Johnson, President

Catie Brown, Vice-President

Ashley Crutchfield, Secretary

J.C. Crutchfield, Interim Treasurer

Melanie Hickman, Teacher Representative



Have questions? Contact us at:

centralbearspta@gmail.com

Please join us for this month's meeting **Wednesday, March 20th**, 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.

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March 21 is Central Pizza Day at Lexington Domino's

Take a break from "March Madness" and get Domino's pizza on Thursday, March 21. 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!

“Jack and the Beanstalk” Musical on March 29

The Central PTA is proud to present “Jack and the Beanstalk” for all students on Friday, March 29. Professional actors from Virginia Repertory Theatre (*va-rep.org*) will perform a lively musical adaptation of this classic fairy tale about a boy who trades the family cow for three magic beans. Funding in-school theatrical performances is one of the ways the PTA supports Central’s educational goals.

Box Tops Contest Ends April 15



Thank you, Box Tops for Education collectors! **Remember to include the student’s name, teacher’s name, and house color on your Box Tops baggies.**

Students in the class submitting the most Box Tops **by April 15** will win McDonald’s “Free Hamburger or Cheeseburger” coupons plus... Hershey’s chocolate! The House Color collecting the most Box Tops will earn 50 bonus points. The PTA will provide periodic class and house rankings during the morning announcements.

Spring Family Fun Night on April 26

Mark your calendars for Central’s Family Fun Night on Friday, April 26, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. This special event will be held outside in pleasant weather or inside in inclement weather. Admission is \$5 per family and entertainment will include:

* Bounce houses



* Face painting

* Prize walk (with prizes donated by area businesses)



* Balloons

* Pizza, hot dogs, popcorn, candy, and drinks for sale

Volunteers who are interested in helping at Family Fun Night should email,

centralbearspta@gmail.com.

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Important Dates 2019

- **Wednesday, March 6, 3:20 pm**—SOL Academy continues for registered 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders
- **Sunday, March 10, 2:00 am**—Daylight Saving Time begins, spring forward 1 hour
- **Monday, March 11**—NO SCHOOL for students, teacher workday
- **Wednesday, March 13, 3:20 pm**—SOL Academy continues for registered 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders
- **Monday, March 18, 3:20 pm**—SOL Academy continues for registered 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders
- **Tuesday, March 19**—Report Cards distributed
- **Wednesday, March 20, 3:20 pm**—SOL Academy continues for registered 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders
- **Wednesday, March 20, 5:30 pm**—PTA meeting in the Library. All are welcome!
- **Thursday, March 21, 6:00 pm**—Grades 3 & 4 Music Performance
- **Monday, March 25, 3:20 pm**—SOL Academy continues for registered 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders
- **Wednesday, March 27**—Kindergarten registration
- **Wednesday, March 27, 3:20 pm**—Last SOL Academy session
- **Friday, March 29**—Reflections Art Contest awards presentation and "Jack and the Beanstalk" musical performance by Virginia Repertory Theatre
- **April 1 through 5**—Spring Break for RCPS. No school for students and teachers.
- **Tuesday, April 9, 3:20 pm**—Time Together Tuesday on the playground
- **Wednesday, April 17, 5:30 pm**—Central Elementary PTA meeting in the Library
- **Thursday, April 18, 6:00 pm**—Grades K & 1 Music Performance
- **Thursday, April 25** – "A Day in K" at Hull's Drive-in for new kindergarten families in Rockbridge County
- **Friday, April 26, 5:30-7:30 pm**—Central Elementary PTA Family Fun Night
- **Monday, April 29**—SOL Testing begins

Visit www.centralelementarypta.com for current PTA information.

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