

ON THE HUNT FOR EXCELLENCE!



FROST FLYERS

PTO NEWSLETTER

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Welcome back!

We seem to be back into the swing of things here at Frost. We have had a great start with the Volunteer Tea and many new faces helping out at the school already. Thank you to all of you who volunteer in any capacity.

We are so excited to see all of the new Frost Camouflage shirts in the hallways. Remember our t-shirt sales raise money for the fall field trips each year.

We are gearing up for the fall carnival and did you know that we are lucky enough to have it on Halloween this year? Halloween hasn't fallen on a Saturday since 1998 and most of the Frost kids weren't even born then. Did you know that the next Halloween that falls on a Saturday is six years from now in 2015? With that in mind we are going to do it **FROST STYLE!** We will have a **Costume Contest** with teachers judging, **Trick or Treating** with fun characters and all kinds of other fun entertain-

ment. We will still have the great booths, food and rides that have made our carnival an annual "must attend" event. And don't forget the silent auction that will complete your day with a wonderful assortment of baskets to suit any family.

Parents and Teachers, this PTO is for you. We are parents and teachers brought together to support our children and our school. We are all a part of one big community called Frost. It is so exciting to see the involvement of parents and we love to see new faces. There are so many things that we want to do together to make our children's time at Frost a memorable one. We do need you, I can't say it enough. Come and try us out...we have PTO meetings the first Friday of each month at 8:30 at the school.

EVERYONE IS ALWAYS WELCOME!!

FUNDRAISING AND MERCHANDISE

Thank you to all the families who have already placed their orders for our Fall Fundraiser, Innisbrook. Due to website complications, you can still make last minute orders online for limited time only or contact Kim Hall by email:

kimhall@flash.net

You can also enter your orders at:

www.innisbrook.com

When all orders are entered, print your voucher and return the voucher and money collected to the school. Please keep your order forms for distribution once the items are received in November. If you need assistance entering orders, please return your order forms and money collected to Kim Hall's attention. Order forms will be returned to the parents once the orders are entered at the website.

Order forms are available in an envelope outside the front office. You can also visit www.frostpto.com to view merchandise and print order forms. Order forms may be turned in to your child's teacher or the front office.



Get your Frost Uniform shirts at the upcoming Fall Carnival & Frosty's Market!!!!

Any questions????
Contact Kim Hall
kimhall@flash.net

"Some of the richest people in the world are not millionaires they are Volunteers!"

GUIDELINES TO PARENTS FOR A SUCCESSFUL SCHOOLYEAR

- Cell Phone usage while dropping off and picking your child up is prohibited. Persons can be ticketed up to \$200 per violation.
- The speed limit on Skinner Rd. and on the school grounds of Frost Elementary is 20 MPH. Violators will be ticketed.
- All transportation changes **MUST** be in the office by 2pm!
- All children must wear the appropriate school uniforms as required in the parent/student handbook.
- No rolling backpacks are allowed.
- Parents **MUST** sign in at the office when arriving upon campus.
- Parents **MUST** sign your children out in the office with proof of ID

TREASURERS REPORT

September 2009

Income

Donations in Lieu of Fundraiser	\$ 50.00
Innisbrook Fundraiser	\$ 591.00
Membership	\$ 980.00
<u>Merchandise</u>	<u>\$ 8,661.00</u>
Total	\$ 10,282.00

Expenses

Academic Needs	
Reading Materials	\$ 1,200.00
Science Materials	\$ 1,079.10
Field Trips K-2 & PPCD	\$ 1,210.50
Hubenak Elementary Donation	\$ 500.00
<u>Merchandise</u>	<u>\$ 6,233.30</u>
Total	\$10,222.90

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Hands On Science

Contact: Wendy Sitka - wendysitka@yahoo.com
Please contact Wendy to see how you can help with your grade level

Junior Achievement

Contact: Natalie Stark - nataliedstark@hotmail.com

Junior Achievement is an organization set up so that students can learn basic concepts of both business and economics. It also helps show them how important education is in the real world. The kids have already been in school for a month. It is time for the classes to start getting visits from our Junior Achievement volunteers. We have volunteers for all classes except:

2nd grade: Mrs. Smith, 3rd grade: Mrs. Smith

4th grade: Mrs. Meyer and Mrs. Marcheli

If you have a child in one of those classes, please help support the Junior Achievement program.

Fall Carnival and Classroom Basket Auction

Contact: Cathy Conde - cconde10@comcast.net

Date: October 31st, 11am-3pm Frost Elementary

Basket>Please contact your room moms to see the ways in which you can help! There will be positions for the following:

- Food Distribution
- Games/Tables: helpers and organizers
- Assemble and/or take down booths
- Baking items for the cake walk
- Room Basket donations

Frosty's Market

Contact: Tina Reed

Margo Pryor

Shyla Hansche

Start making your list, checking it twice and get an early start on your holiday shopping!

Join us for a fun filled day of shopping and entertainment, food, raffles and over 75 vendors for your shopping pleasure!

Frost Elementary, 3306 Skinner Lane

November 14th, Saturday

10:00 am - 4:30 pm



Yearbook

Contact: Danza Martin - danzam@comcast.net
Calling all moms to take grade level pictures for the 2009-10 Frost Elementary Yearbook! This is Frost's 10 year Anniversary, so we are on the "hunt" for excellent photos!

To purchase yearbooks, please visit
www.jostensyearbooks.com

\$27.00 plus any extras you might add.

HURRY! You only have until Jan 22nd to Personalize your front cover.

ALSO! Ads may be purchased NOW from \$15.00-\$100 per ad

GO to www.jostensadservice.com

Volunteering, Volunteering!!!!

WE WANT YOU

Contact: Cheryl Arlott - carlott@entouch.net

IMPORTANT INFO/PEOPLE

Main Office.....832-223-1500

School Hours.....7:45 am- 2:40pm, first bell 7:40

LCISD Website.....www.lcisd.org

Frost Website.....www.frostpto.com

Teacher/Room Mom Coordinator - Esther Collins

School Uniform Merchandise.....Kim Hall

Spring Auction - Angie Hunt

Fall Fundraisers - Kim Hall

Junior Achievement - Natalie Stark

Yearbook - Danza Martin

Workroom - OPEN

Staff Appreciation/Science Lab - Wendy Sitka

Volunteer Coordinator - Cheryl Arlott

Box Tops - Angelina Seanz

Bulletin Board/Marquee/PTO Newsletter - Trudy McDade

Frosty's Market - Tina Reed/Margo Pryor/Shyla Hansche

Fall Carnival - Catherine Conde

Website - OPEN

Butterfly Garden - Lauren Parker

Library - Dori

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Thank you to everyone that has joined PTO. It is not too late to join and it is a great way to support Frost. This money goes towards field trips, technology, and various student needs. The form is available on the Frost PTO website, www.frostpto.com <<http://www.frostpto.com>>. Each family that joins will get a Frost PTO directory.

We are in the process of gathering information for the directory and thank you to all the room parents who are coordinating this. If you have not given your address, phone number, and email information to your room parent please do so as soon as possible. All information must be received by the end of September and if we do not have yours it will left out of the directory. If you would not like to be in the PTO directory please make sure you have filled out a Do Not Publish Form that was distributed to each student.

RED RIBBON WEEK

Look for more information coming soon on Red Ribbon Week beginning October 19th.



OCTOBER '09

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		Club Frost Every Tuesday 2:45		1	2 PTO Meeting 8:30 am/Frost	3
4	5	6	7 ChickFilA Night 4-8pm	8 Early Dis- missal/Parent/ Teacher Conf.	9	10
11	12 Book Fair	13	14	15 Pajama Night 6-8pm Literacy Night Library Thurs. night	16 1st Grade Field Trip-Oil Ranch	17
18 Look for info sent home about special clothing days!	19 Red Ribbon Week	20	21	22 Wear Red Shirt Day/ Frost	23	24
25	26 Kinder Field Trip	27 Carnival Baskets DUE!	28	29	30 Fabulous Frost Days - Wear Sports Clothes	31 Fall Carnival/Frost 11-3pm

NOVEMBER '09

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 Veteran's Day Concert 8:30am/Frost	12	13	14 Frost's Market/Frost 10-4
15 Look for notice from Kinder teachers about Turkey Parade	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Thanksgiving Break	26	27	28
29	30					