

Membership News

Your PTA currently has 122 members. **Mr. Lee's class** won the membership contest with 61% participation. An extra thank you goes out to Sacajawea staff. Thanks to you we have earned the **Washington State PTA's 100% Teacher Membership Award**. Go teachers and staff!

Box Tops & Labels

The winners of the Box Top and Labels contest are: 1st place, **Mrs. Hoffman's class**, winning a popcorn party. **Mrs. Conner's class** 2nd place and **Mrs. Eagle's class** 3rd place. All together our school collected 5,695 Box Tops and 8,236 Labels for Education. That's a lot of clipping. Way to go! Keep an eye out for our Spring collection contest, coming soon.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 2**—Read Across America Guest Reader Day
- March 2-14**—Spring Fundraisers
- March 14**—McTeacher's Night 5-7 pm
- March 20**—Weed Pulling 10-11 am
- April 12-14**—Scholastic Book Fair
- April 14**—Reading Night 6-7:30pm
- April 14**—Clothes and Book Swap 6:30-7:30pm
- April 18-22**—Staff Appreciation Week

MARCH PTA NEWS

March is the month Spring officially starts, it's the month of March Madness, and it's the month the little green leprechaun might pay a visit but best of all it's the month of your PTA's Spring fundraisers.

If you are in need of cookie dough or a handy dandy reusable bag from Mixed Bag Designs (they also sell kitchen and home items) then you are in luck, our Spring FUNdraiser starts soon. Your PTA runs three main fundraisers a year (one in fall, one in the spring, and Carnival) so support your PTA by buying something or two or three somethings. The bags make great gifts for those hard to shop for friends and relatives. Who doesn't need an extra bag or six? The bags can also be used to carry fresh baked cookies to your friends at your 100% local Sacajawea PTA, just an idea... Look for more information coming soon and thanks for your support.

You Are Invited...

When: Sunday, March 20th at 10am.

Where: The Sacajawea parking lot

What: Pulling weeds and picking up trash

Who: You, your kids, and other people you know who don't like weedy flower beds and trash everywhere

Why: It means the school district won't spray weed killers and other chemicals on our school flower beds and it makes the place look nice.

No **RSVP** needed, just show up ready to work or contact Cristi Wikstrom for more information (360) 992-0711.

McTEACHER's NIGHT

Would you like to see your teachers and staff at work outside of the school setting? Then McTeacher's night is just what you need. Watch teachers serve food and run cash registers while you relax, eat a burger or drink a milkshake at McDonald's on **March 14th from 5-7 pm**. Twenty percent of sales go to your PTA. Even the Hamburglar would appreciate that kind of deal. See you March 14th.

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PTA EXECUTIVES

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PTA MEETINGS

(2nd Wednesdays)

- **March 9**
- **April 13**
- **May 11th**

All meetings are held in
the Media Center from

6-7 pm.

Everyone is welcome to
attend, and snacks are
provided.

News From the Legislature

Breakfast After the Bell has passed the Washington State Senate.
Go Legislators.

Math and Science Estimation Station Winners

Ginny L.—Bates, **Adrian M.** and **Christian C.** — Betty.
Derek W. and **Naomi F./Saeya**—Church, **Avery S., Keira N.,** and **Mylee D.** —Eagle. **Lily**—Hoffman. **Lilly H.** and **Mrs. Judkins**—Judkins. **Patience F.** and **Kaitlyn W.**—Lee, **Emily D., Ila W.,** and **Celina S.**—Runyan and finally **Boston D.**—Venema. Congratulations Estimation Station winners!

Jump Rope for Heart

Thanks to all the students who participated in Jump Rope for Heart last month our school raised a grand total of **\$2833.16** for the American Heart Association. Yea Skyhawks! Thank you to everyone that jumped, volunteered, donated fruit and especially to coordinators **Wendi Stone, Mr. Jones, Mr. Baker,** and **Lindsay Kolar.** Keep jumping Skyhawks, next February is only a year away.

5th Grade Committee

The Fabulous 5th Grade Committee has raised over half of our goal so far this year with popcorn, pencil and licorice sales. Stay tuned near the end of the month for the next sale. Proceeds go towards the 5th grade class t-shirt, and 5th grade end-of-year party and heritage gift. Meanwhile, special thanks to **Carla Kendall-Bray, Katie Jeffries, Wendi Stone** and that lady that happened to see the chaos and helped out (**hi Julie**). The students couldn't have spent all their pennies without your help. Thank you from the bottom of our never-want-to-smell-another-piece-of-licorice-again hearts.

In the event of a water landing, this newsletter probably should not be used as a flotation device. Edited by Brianna Welburn with the assistance of your fantastic Sacajawea PTA.

THE CARNIVAL

Every second that ticks by is one second closer to May 20th and the Sacajawea Spring Carnival. If you would like to help out at the carnival, would like to donate something for the raffle or buy-a-bid or would like to help gather donations by joining the Carnival Donations Committee please contact Angela Arnett, Carnival Coordinating Super Woman asap. We can't have an awesome carnival without volunteers and donations and a whole lot of help. How will you contribute?

Save the Date

The Scholastic Spring Book Fair, Reading Night, and the Clothes and Book Swap are on the way April 12th-14th. Mark your calendars.

2016-2017 Nominations

Your Sacajawea PTA Nominating Committee has nominated **Lora Harrell** and **Brandi Dyment** for PTA Co-Presidents. **Stephanie Seley** for Vice President, **Zuka Haarberg** for Secretary, and **Karie Rinker-McCormick** and **Teddy Raines** as Co-Treasurers. If you were not nominated self-nominations will be heard at the March 9th PTA meeting in the media center. New officers will be elected after each gives a 30 minute Power Point presentation, submits a 15 page resume and gives a complete job history and provides everyone in attendance with swag. Or you could just show up and say "vote for me" and see what happens...

Busy in BizTown

At BizTown 5th graders get to experience all aspects of running a business from CEO to UPS delivery through role playing activities. Parent volunteers are needed (a 1.5 hour training is necessary) with several dates available. The actual BizTown field trip is May 11th. Extra super special thanks to **Boise Building Materials** for donating **\$750** for this annual event. If you would like more information or would like to volunteer please contact Mr. Lee.

Have a question? Need something to read? Have some news?

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