

THE COUGAR CONNECTION

Quarterly PTA Newsletter

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MEMBERSHIP MINUTE

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need volunteers for First Friday on December 1st and for Holiday Shop from December 11th-15th.

Active volunteer application must be completed or on file.



A Few Words from our Leaders

Carmelita Hui, PTA President

Thank you for your support of Summerfield Crossings Elementary PTA! The PTA has been very busy this year. We have had several events in the last few months including spirit nights at many local businesses, First Fridays, and a catalog fundraiser. In addition to these fundraisers, we have been supporting many programs at the school including Conference Night, Veterans Day Coffee, and the Great American Teach-In. Through our fundraising efforts, we were able to fulfill 28 mini-grants to our teachers and staff which are being used to enhance the students' learning experience (see list of grant winners below).

Again thank you for your support this year. Please encourage other parents, family members and friends to support our PTA by joining for only \$6, attending a Spirit Night, shopping during one of our fundraisers, and/or volunteering their time.

If you have questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to us at scesptaboard@gmail.com.

Brian Harvey, Principal

I want to take a moment to express my heartfelt appreciation for your ongoing support and partnership with Summerfield Crossings Elementary. Your commitment to your child's education and our school community is truly invaluable. I also want to acknowledge the resilience and determination shown by our students this school year. They continue to adapt and excel, and we couldn't be prouder of their efforts.

As we navigate this academic year, let's continue to work together, communicate openly, and foster a positive and nurturing environment for our students. Your involvement, whether through volunteering, attending meetings, or simply being engaged in your child's education, is essential to our shared success. Thank you for everything you do!



11/30: Literacy Curriculum Night

12/2: First Friday

12/4-12/18: Candy Gram Sales

12/5: Spirit Night @ Panda Express

12/7-12/22: Holiday Spirit Days

12/8: Kona Ice

12/11-12/15: Holiday Shop

12/12: Spirit Night @ Texas Roadhouse

12/12-12/19: Texas Roadhouse Gift Card Sales

12/18: NO Early Release

12/25-1/5 Winter Break

1/9: Spirit Night @ Little Greek Grill

1/12: First Friday

1/15: Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

1/22-1/26: Celebrate Literacy Week

TBD: January PTA General Assembly Meeting







PTA UPDATES

Fundrasiers

Thank you for supporting our various fundraisers. So far, we have benefitted from spirit nights, penny wars, first Fridays, and catalog sales.

Programs

Because of our fundraisers, we have been able to give back to the school and community through the following programs:

- Classroom Incentives
- Classroom Mini-Grants
- Art Mural
- Book Fair e-Wallet
- Clothing Closet
- Conference Night Snacks
- Canned Food Drive
- Nurse Supplies
- Red Ribbon Week Bracelets
- Terrific Kid Snacks
- Campus Enhancements
- Veterans Day Coffee
- Math Bowl T-shirts
- Science Olympics Materials

Mini-Grant Winners

- Mrs. Brush Math Resource
- Mrs. Daniels Media Specialist
- Mrs. Goodridge Science Resource
- Mrs. Quailey Kindergarten
- Ms. Washington Kindergarten
- Mrs. Dunn 1st grade
- Ms. Juarez 1st grade
- Mrs. Lamazares 1st grade
- Mrs. Nguyen 1st grade
- Mrs. Mahoney 2nd grade
- Mrs. Ray 2nd grade
- Mrs. Sapio 2nd grade
- Ms. Foster 4th grade
- Ms. Guajardo 4th grade
- Ms. Henao 4th grade
- Ms. Maurello 4th grade
- Ms. Baker 5th grade
- Mrs. Barker 5th grade
- Mrs. DeTringo 5th grade
- Ms. Jahnke 5th grade
- Mrs. Queram 5th grade
- Mrs. Hall Art
- Ms. Bennyhoff Music
- Mr. Cummings PE
- Mrs. Campbell ESE Specialist
- Ms. Ellis VE
- Ms. Simmons VE