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PIE Newsletter



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Not Sure Who Your Room Parent is?
Contact:
parentsineducation@yahoo.com

Please note: this is meant to be an electronic resource as there are a few links included.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!
LOOKING AHEAD TO 2015!**

Dear Families,

Winter weather arrived with a roaring start and unfortunately its here to stay for a while, but no worries! PIE has events in the works to bring our FRCS family together and out of the cold!! Before we bid farewell to 2014, we'd like to acknowledge the tremendous effort from everyone involved in a very successful, well attended holiday scholarship fundraising event. A big shout out goes to our Room Parents for their help coordinating raffle baskets; parents who donated their time, talent, items; students who helped promote and manned the brunch and activity stations; teachers and staff who provided resources, helped spread the word and all of the local merchants for their support in the donation of items. The team effort raised over \$3,800 towards scholarship funds for the class of 2015!

We are always looking for ways to improve communication, keeping everyone informed about what's happening with our parent organization and ways in which you can volunteer and participate. Prior to our monthly meeting on January 8th, room parents attended a meeting to discuss upcoming events and how best to spread the word about what's happening school wide. We'd like to thank Ms. Heidi Berkowitz, Director of Outreach and Development who attended the meeting and provided tips on how best to reach the school community and where to find information. We have attached this information for you in the left margin. Attendees also participated in a dialog about the following: getting class lists in the summer; how does school/PIE limit amount of emergency alert emails; and coordination of CSL projects ie spreading out requests for donations throughout the year. Heidi will address our concerns with the administration. Watch this newsletter for further information as it becomes available.

This year is full of fun activities! Read on to find out about Mother/Daughter Night Out; Father/Daughter Dance; Mother/Son event; Foxborough Founder's Day and all sorts of ways you can volunteer!

Regards,

Kathy Montal
PIE Interim President

Upcoming Events



Friday, February 6th, 6:30pm – 9:00pm, Cafetorium: Bring your Mom/BFF/Aunt/Cousin/Grandmother! **Late Breaking News! We've invited a massage therapist who will be giving 5-10 minute massages at no extra cost! See Link below.** This event is designed for 5th – 12th.girls. Get your glam on and tryout a new hair style, learn proper makeup techniques just for fun, and just in time for the ever popular FRCS High School Cupid's Dance coming up! OR discover the artist in you with instructors from Parched Painter. An artist will guide you step by step re-creating a Van Gogh in the space of just 2 hours!

Choose one or the other activity. Sign up/register at the separate links listed below. Please sign up for the hair/makeup demos by Saturday, Jan. 17th!! Parched Painter signup deadline is Jan. 30th and the Massage deadline is Feb. 2nd. But don't wait.. hurry space is limited!! Email parentsineducation@yahoo.com with any questions!

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/30E054BA4AB29A02-massage2

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e054ba4ab29a02-hair>

OR <https://theparchedpainter./event-registration/?ee=231>



Friday, March 20th, 5:30pm: Gymnasium. We've got the D.J. and photog.. We just need YOU! A dance committee is forming now! Please contact Christy at christy115@comcast.net or Rowena at micrork@comcast.net and help create a magical night for our FRCS dads and daughters.



Thank you Sincerely for Spreading a Little Sunshine to FRCS Families

Our families who reached out to us for assistance due to mounting medical bills and another who lost their dear husband and father early fall would like to extend their deepest appreciation and gratitude to the FRCS community who were able to help ease the burden of their worries during the holiday season. There are not enough words to describe how grateful they are for help during a very difficult time. PIE will stay in touch with both families as future needs such as meals may arise over the next several months.



Friday January 23th at 6:15pm in Room 128 is Cub Scout Pack 314's next Pack meeting. Cubs will be working on a belt loop display case using tools. For safety reasons, siblings are welcome but will have the opportunity to work on a flag craft. Pack 314, 15 scouts strong, invite you to sign up! Boys in 1st to 5th grade or 7 to 10 years old are welcome. Potential scouts, siblings and parents/guardians are welcome to attend any Pack Meeting. For more information, visit our [website](#) or send an email to ScoutPack314@verizon.net.



Staff Meetings: PIE will be seeking volunteers to help provide snacks/beverages for staff meetings this year. For the first meeting on Jan. 28th at 3:30pm we will be calling upon parents in grades 1st, 3rd, 5th, 8th and 12th Grade. Sign up [here](#) or paste this link in your web browser:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e054ba4ab29a02-january>



The Kindergarten teachers continue to raise funds for FM Systems for their classrooms which are rather expensive. If you can help, please follow this link. gofund.me/FRC斯基 kindergarten. Thank you for your support!

Spring Mother/Son Event: We are forming a committee to organize an event in the Spring. The research has already been started for you. Job Requirements: phone to secure venue and manage sign up genius, really that's all! If interested, please contact Tanya Keating at tlwmrk@verizon.net.



It may be frosty outside, but no time like the present to secure our spot in this year's Foxborough Founder's Day Parade and Field Activities. Event is Saturday, June 13th. FRCS will be marching and designing/building our own float reflecting this year's theme: "Music In The Air". We need a medium size landscape type trailer or flat bed with pickup truck to tow our float. Please contact Kathy Montal at parentsineducation@yahoo.com if you can loan us your trailer for the day.

Photo Album

2014 Holiday Scholarship Fair & Fundraiser

