



Mustangs on the Move

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Throughout the year you can check meeting and event dates as they are determined. Be sure to check out our website at www.moyepto.com



The President's Corner

There is always so much excitement in the air in May. The kids are excited because of all the fun activities that we squeeze into the month, and because the end of the school year is fast approaching. The parents are excited because they are looking forward to the quieter mornings NOT having to get the kids off to school. And everyone is enjoying the spring weather.

As this year winds down, I want to take some time to thank some very important people! First I'd like to thank all of our volunteers who have helped to make this year a great success. As always, they were there every time we needed them! I'd also like to thank the faculty and administrators for supporting us and our efforts. Without their participation, we could never have the kind of events we have had this year. And, I'd like to thank the other board members for their hard work and dedication to the PTO. This year, they have gone above and beyond, and I greatly appreciate all they have done to make this year the best we could. We are very lucky to have so many people who work tirelessly throughout the year to help make Moye the best school it can be!

I have truly enjoyed these past two years as President. I have learned a lot about the school and the people in it. I have met some terrific parents who have the best interest of our kids at heart, always. And I have been part of many worthwhile events for our school and the district. The PTO has worked very hard this year to help our Moye families become more of a community, which was a very important goal to me. I hope you feel that I and the other board members have contributed positively to your child's school. And, I'm sure the next board will work just as hard to represent our parents and help our school be the best learning environment possible.

For the summer, we have one goal: to enjoy some time with our families. We are always so busy during the school year with kid's activities, volunteering, and our own busy schedules that we need the summer to relax, rejuvenate, and reconnect with our kids. They are, after all, our motivation for the rest of the year!

Spring Fling Recap

As you all know the Spring Fling had to be rescheduled this year because of weather. It was a very large undertaking to redo everything for the event, but with great help it was a piece of cake. Listed below are some interesting facts about the Spring Fling. Good hard numbers to put into perspective just how the day went. Our set up started at 10:00 a.m. with 15 people taking on the task of setting up. The last volunteer left at 5:00 p.m. 535 FREE arm bands were given to Moye students thanks to the PTO and our total armband count was up this year to 718. We ate some 500 hot dogs, 400 pieces of pizza, and drank 400 bottles of water and 480 cans of soda. 960 people put down 25 cents to play the cake walk making this year's cakewalk the longest in Moye history. Thanks to some helpful 7th graders who were called in at the last minute, our face painting was a success. 144 little faces were painted. 316 home-baked items were purchased at the bake sale. The Cub Scouts featured some tasty treats at this year's Fling: 60 tubs of cotton candy, 5 pickles, 42 orders of nachos, 52 pretzels and 133 funnel cakes were served. Cold Stone Creamery was at our Fling too. Their ice cream was a welcome treat. The Washington Kettle Corn Company popped kettle corn all afternoon. 100 volunteers manned games, helped in the kitchen, sold tickets and armbands. A BIG THANK YOU to all the moms and dads who helped. THANK YOU to some grandmas and grandpas too. Finally, a big thank you from me, Kelly Cooper. I have been the chairperson now for three years. Every year it seems like a daunting task to pull this all together, but it always works out and every year it is more fun than the last. Next year's chairperson is Cindy Williams. Please help her as you have always helped me. Thanks so much again.

Thank you to our 2007 - 2008 Committee Members!!

Art to Remember

Auction

Birthdays

Book Fair

Box Tops

Campbell's Labels

DVD Sales

Entertainment Books

Get Smart with Art

Hands & Hearts

Holiday Boutique

Risa McKay

Julie Jones-Kloeckner

Melanie Hoerner

Wendy Bione

Lauren Tammara

Marla Bellina

Loren Duffy

Melanie Blake

Julie Weiss

Cheryl Corso

Lisa York

Reading Counts

Retail Fundraisers

Room Parents

Santa's Cottage

School Supplies

Spirit Sales

Spring Fling

Staff Appreciation

Staff Wish Tree

Yearbook

Patti Donahue

Charlotte Feathers

Cindy Williams

Wendi Norsigian

Melissa Dreyer

Jane Becke

Jen Gaab

Kelly Cooper

Julie Ziegler

Lisa Vollmer

Allison Rhodes

A big thanks to all these parents! You help make Moye a great place to be!!

Campbell's Corner

Thanks to everyone who sent in Campbell's labels and bonus certificates! We were able to submit 10,000 points this year and we're in the process of picking our merchandise. Remember to save labels over the summer and send them to school in August.



Here's an example of what your UPC label should look like when you turn it in.

Support the O'Fallon Food Pantry

Following the Food Pantry Drive last month, Gigi Spory and Cheryl Corso delivered over 1010 items to the O'Fallon Food Pantry. What an awesome example of how much good we can do when we all pull together! Thank you Moye families and staff for helping our local food pantry at this time of the year.

Save the Date

May 6	Staff Appreciation Luncheon
May 7	Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast
May 7	Smokey Bones Fundraiser
May 13	PTO Meeting/Elections

Extra, extra...read all about it!

Moms and Dads, don't forget Papa Vito's night is every Monday with free delivery in O'Fallon!

Smokey Bones night is May 7th from 4-8pm. We need 15 people to help at the restaurant. We'd like to schedule one hour shifts and have three people working per shift. Come out and volunteer your time for Moye! Please call Cindy Williams at 624-4425 if you can help.

Still looking for a Class project chair for next year. Kelly Cooper will hold a meeting after the May 7th volunteer breakfast in the intermediate art room. Anyone interested please call Kelly @ 345-2933.

If anyone is interested in donating a dish to the Teacher Appreciation Luncheon on May 6th, please call Julie Ziegler @ 343-9882.

Back to School Supplies

Pre-packaged school supplies will be on sale from April 30th to May 15th. All orders must be received by the end of registration on the 15th. **No late orders will be taken.** Get everything your child needs in school supplies prepackaged in their own keepsake box. This year we are also offering backpacks! They can have the Moye logo and personalization added if you would like, or they can be plain in a variety of colors! Please note for 3rd to 5th graders the assignment notebook will be sold by the teachers at the beginning of the year.

Look for your order form at the end of April!