

# Fundraisers & Events

The following is a short overview of all PTA fundraisers & events happening this year at P.S.30. Please feel free to email or call using the information listed above. Check out the website for the calendar of events.

## Fundraisers:

**CANDY SALE** – Candy Sale is one of our main fundraisers. Please consider participating in this fundraiser. No amount is too small!

**CLOTHING DRIVE** - We try to conduct 3-4 clothing drives a year. The PTA receives 20 ¢ a pound for all items collected. Volunteers are always needed to help load the truck.

**HOLIDAY FAIR** - Another one of our main fundraisers. It's typically the week after Thanksgiving. All stations are completely staffed by P.S.30 families. Tables include crafts, novelties, face painting, white elephant, games, sand art, books, baskets etc. Many volunteers are needed.

**BOOSTERTHON** – The Boosterthon is an 8-day pledge-based fundraiser that includes a Fun Run and a character program. Regardless of financial participation every student gets to participate.

**BOOK FAIR** - Families are welcome to come in and purchase books with their children at their scheduled time during the school day (as well as during parent teacher conferences.) Our school earns Scholastic Bucks.

**SPRING FLING** – An evening of fun, laughs, prize baskets and is our biggest fundraiser of the year! Look out for the flyer which will be sent home prior to the event. This fundraiser sells out quickly!

**MONTHLY FUNDRAISERS** - We try to offer outside fundraisers each month as a small source of additional income. These may include Modell's Sporting Goods, 5 Below, S.I. Yankees and local restaurants. We are always open to and appreciative of new ideas!

**FAMILY DONATION** - Each year we ask for a voluntary \$10 donation per family. This donation greatly offsets the price of our many events throughout the year. Please note that any amount is greatly appreciated. If you haven't already sent your donation in we will happily accept it at anytime.

## Events:

**HARVEST DAY** - Typically celebrated on the Friday before Halloween. Students walk down as a class during their scheduled time and will enjoy a trick or treat hay maze, pick their own pumpkin from a pumpkin patch, games, a DJ, dancing and tons of fun. This event is only open to students and volunteers. There is no cost to families for this event.

**G.A.M.E** - Stands for Grandmother, Aunt, Mom etc. Realizing that each family is different we invite students and 1 special female adult to share a sports themed afternoon of fun. There is a per person cost for this fun event. Invitations with the details are sent home prior to the event.

**F.U.D.G.E** - Stands for Father, Uncle, Dad, Grandfather, Everyone. Again, realizing that each family is unique we invite students with 1 special male adult to share a semi-formal afternoon. There is a per person cost for this fun afternoon. Invitations with the details are sent home prior to the event.

**PLANT DAY** – In celebration of Mother's Day the PTA provides a potted plant to each student so they can present it to a special mother figure in their lives.

**GIFT DAY** – In celebration of Father's Day each student will receive a small gift, such as a pen to present to a special father figure in their lives.

**TEACHER APPRECIATION BRUNCH** - For Teacher Appreciation Day we provide a luncheon in the nearby VFW hall for the teachers and staff of P.S.30 to thank them for all they do for our children throughout the year.

**5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE FIELD DAY** - Traditionally in the spring, it is a special event for 5th grade students, parents or guardians. Guests enjoy fun, games and lunch. There is a per person cost for this event.

**CARNIVAL** - Carnival is a great day of inflatables, rides, games, snacks and lots of fun in Westerleigh Park. Students will walk down as a class at their scheduled times. This event is only open to students and volunteers.

**5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE CELEBRATION DANCE** - This is a special evening for invited 5th graders a buffet and DJ. This event including is for students only. There is a per person fee that will be included on the invitation.

**PTA ASSEMBLIES** - The PTA provides all students with 2 in school assemblies featuring entertainment from outside companies. These shows are usually scheduled before the winter break and toward the end of the school year. These shows are open to students only.