December 19, 2019

Upcoming Dates:
Thursday, 12/19  
Monday, 12/23 -  
   Wednesday, 1/1/20  
Monday, 1/20  
Thursday, 1/23  
Wednesday, 1/29

Board of Ed Meeting (7:30 pm) Falls Auditorium
Holiday Recess - School Closed

Martin Luther King Day - School Closed
Board of Ed Meeting (7:30 pm) Falls School
Band/Orchestra Concert (7:00 pm) Austin Road
Snow Date: Thursday, 1/30

If you are sending checks to purchase lunches for your children, the checks should be made payable to ‘Mahopac School Lunch Fund.’
MAHOPAC CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

2020 - 2021
REGISTRATION FOR INCOMING
KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS

Must be five years old on or before 12/01/2020
(No Exceptions)

Kindergarten Registration for the 2020-21 School Year will be held at The Office of Central Registration located at The Falls District Office, 100 Myrtle Avenue, Mahopac, between the hours of 8:15 am and 3:00 pm on the following dates:

**Austin Road ES:**
- January 13th, 15th & 30th
- February 5th & 13th

**Fulmar Road ES:**
- January 24th & 28th
- February 7th, 25th

**Lakeview ES:**
- January 17th & 22nd
- February 3rd, 11th & 27th

Registration is by appointment only. To schedule an appointment and request a registration packet, please contact the Office of Central Registration at 845-621-0656, Ext. 13902 or 13905.

Registration packets are also available on our District website under Departments/Registration/Registration Packets/Grades K-12. Our web address is www.mahopac.org

Thank you
AUSTIN ROAD PTO
RESCHEDULED FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2020
7:00 - 9:00 PM

BRING YOUR BINGO MARKERS
(CEREAL, CANDY, PENNIES, MACARONI)

PRE-BUY YOUR BINGO CARDS TO REGISTER
$2.00 PER CARD
(NO LETTER CONFIRMATION WILL BE SENT HOME.
PICK UP YOUR CARDS AT THE DOOR)

FIRST-COME. FIRST-SERVED BASIS - REGISTER EARLY!
REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SOLD
DOORS WILL OPEN AT 6:30 PM

BINGO WILL START PROMPTLY AT 7:00 PM IN THE CAFETERIA
THERE WILL BE A 50/50 AS WELL AS OTHER GREAT RAFFLES
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MONDAY, JANUARY 13.

PLEASE RETURN THE BOTTOM PORTION OF THIS FORM ALONG
WITH THE APPROPRIATE PAYMENT IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO:
PTO MAILBOX: BINGO!
(CHECKS ARE MADE PAYABLE TO: AUSTIN ROAD PTO, CHECKS PREFERRED)
QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT JAN PERILLO (jan.perillo@gmail.com)

If you have already registered, no need to register again. If you can't attend the
rescheduled date, contact Jan at jan.perillo@gmail.com for a refund.

Please print clearly, and fill out the entire form, and detach at line.

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AUSTIN ROAD PTO FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

STUDENT'S NAME: ___________________ PHONE: __________________

TEACHER'S NAME: ___________________ GRADE: ______________

HOW MANY CARDS ________ X $2.00= ________ # OF PEOPLE ________

OFFICE ONLY PLEASE: __________________ CHECK/CASH RECEIVED
Austin Road PTO Presents

PHYS. ED. FUN!

Mr. Huestis * Mrs. Kittredge * Mr. Cohowicz

The Austin Road Physical Education teachers have designed a fun-filled morning made up of popular games such as: Gymnastics, Matball, 4-Corners, Handball, Basketball, Soccer and much more!

GRADES 4 & 5 - MONDAYS (8:10-9:00) Jan 13, 27 Feb. 3, 10, 24 March 2
GRADES K & 1 - TUESDAYS (8:10-9:00) Jan. 14, 21, 28 Feb. 4, 11, 25
GRADES 2 & 3 - THURSDAYS (8:10-9:00) Jan. 16, 23, 30 Feb. 6, 13, 27

• Want to double the fun? Sign your child up for Fridays as well! That's 12 mornings of Phys. Ed. Fun for only $100!

DOUBLE UP! FRIDAYS (8:10-9:00 ALL GRADES) Jan 17, 24, 31 Feb. 7, 14, 28

$50 for 6 mornings of fun OR $100 for 12 mornings of fun

Please wait with your child at the front of the school building until one of the PE teachers arrives to escort the children down to the gymnasium. If there is a delayed school opening or school closing due to inclement weather, the program will be canceled for that day. The class will be made up at the end of the session.

Yes! I want to participate in the “Phys. Ed. Fun” morning program.

Select one: $50: 1x a week/6 weeks $100: 2x a week/6 weeks (includes Fridays)

Student Name ___________________________________________ Teacher ___________________________

Grade ______ Day(s) of the week attending (please circle): Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday

Emergency # ___________________________ Email ___________________________________________

Please submit a check made payable to Austin Road PTO (include phone number), along with a completed registration slip, to school in an envelope marked “PTO: Phys. Ed. Fun”.

Science Explorers
After School Enrichment Program

Mad Science activities are so much fun children forget they are learning! These recreational science programs are designed to help all kids learn and enjoy science.

Winter 2020: Science Explorers

In this super science sampler explore the world of science with a different fun science topic each week. Students will experiment with super-strong magnets and have a “hair-raising” experience while learning about electricity. They will play tricks on their senses by experimenting with their taste buds and manipulating sound waves. Kids will investigate light waves, explore the properties of color, and then baffle their eyes by exploring optical illusions. They will also analyze the amazing properties of polymers and make slime. Take home projects may include a periscope, an electric Newtonian color wheel, floating magnets, a static electricity stick, a color-changing “heat sheet”!

Mad Science of the Mid-Hudson (845) 294-5434

Registration MUST be completed online @ midhudson.madscience.org
6 Week Program Cost: $115.00

Mondays at Austin Road Elementary School (immediately after school)
Time: 3:20 – 4:20 PM
Dates: January 27, February 3, 10, 24, March 2, 9
Weather related make-up dates (March 16 and 23)
Grades: 1-5

Registration deadline is Jan. 20. There is a $10 late registration fee after the deadline.
Program will run with a minimum of 10 and a maximum of 20 children per class.
*Please note: Parents are responsible for transportation.*
Did you register for one of our Fall programs? Enter Coupon Code: Loyal for a discount!
Austin Road Elementary
Sponsored by the PTO

For Grades 1–5

Start 2020 off with a bang! Young Rembrandts students will flex their creative muscle as they take on artistic challenges like our Stylized Birthday Cake and Sporty Snowboarder lessons in January. In February, students will master perspective and personality as they complete a lovely Llama lesson, cute Penguins and their own version of Grant Wood’s American Gothic. There’s no better way to shake the winter blues…. Sign up today!

*Thursdays
3:20 - 4:20 p.m.
1/16/20—3/19/20
*Skipping 2/20/20 & 3/12
**Make up class 3/26 if needed

$125.00
(8 Week Session)

MAIL IN ENROLLMENT or
ENROLL ONLINE at
www.youngrembrandts.com/
westchester-putnam-ny

ALL NEW LESSONS EVERY SESSION!

Save your time and a stamp.
ENROLL ONLINE at: www.youngrembrandts.com/westchester-putnam-ny

YOUNG REMBRANDTS provides all classroom supplies and a trained instructor. Classes are held immediately after school. Parents are responsible for transportation at class end.

Follow Us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/YRWestchesterPutnam/

Contact us at: 914-246-8361 - stephanie.unger@youngrembrandts.com
SCHOOL NOTE

DATE: __________

TEACHER'S NAME: __________________________

STUDENT'S NAME: __________________________

FROM: __________________________

Parent/Guardian's Name

____ Will be picked up at dismissal in cafeteria (3:15 p.m.)

____ Early pick up in main office at: __________

Time

______________________________
Name of person picking up the student. Please have photo I.D. available

____ Will be going on AR ROUTE #________

with and/or where: ________________________________

____ Will be staying after school for: ________________

After-School Activity

Any questions, please contact me at: ________________.

Cell/Phone

________________________
Parent Signature
Dear Families,

Welcome to the 2019-2020 school year! We hope the summer has been restful and enjoyable. As you know, the PTO facilitates numerous programs throughout the year that help earn money for Austin Road, thus providing the children with an exciting and memorable elementary school experience.

One such program is Box Tops for Education.

Box Tops coupons can be found on hundreds of different products, ranging from food to household cleaning supplies. While unexpired traditional coupons may still be clipped and sent in on the attached collection sheet, Box Tops for Education is now changing to fit today’s families. The new and improved Box Tops mobile app uses state-of-the-art technology to scan your store receipt, find participating products, and instantly add Box Tops to our school’s earnings online.

For your convenience, please find a sample of both the old and new Box Tops label on the back of this page. Should you have any questions as to how the program works, or require additional information pertaining to the collection process, please feel free to contact me. Thank you, in advance, for your support and participation.

Laura Valentin, Box Tops Coordinator

striker412@comcast.net
THE OLD
BOX TOPS CLIPS

Traditional Box Tops clips are being phased out of production, but may continue to be found on many products throughout the store. You can still clip and send them to school.

Every valid Box Tops clip is worth 10¢ for your school. Make sure each one has a clearly visible product acronym and expiration date.

THE NEW
BOX TOPS LABELS

Eventually the Box Tops program will become digital-only. Participating brands are starting to change their packaging from a traditional Box Tops clip to the new Box Top label.

If you see this label, use the new Box Tops app to scan your receipt. Box Tops are still worth 10¢ each for your school. The app will find participating products purchased at any store and instantly add cash to your school’s earnings online.
NO MORE CLIPPING!

THE NEXT GENERATION OF BOX TOPS IS HERE...
ALL YOU NEED IS YOUR SMARTPHONE.

Download the NEW and improved Box Tops mobile app:

HOW IT WORKS

BUY
PARTICIPATING PRODUCTS

SCAN
YOUR RECEIPT WITH THE APP

EARN
CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL

LEARN MORE AT BTFE.COM

YOU CAN STILL SEND IN TRADITIONAL CLIPS...
UNTIL THEY'RE GONE!

CLIP: If your package has a traditional Box Tops clip, cut it off and attach it below. Each clip is worth 10¢ for our school. Please be sure each clip has a valid expiration date.

SCAN: If you see this label, use the new Box Tops app to scan your store receipt within 14 days of purchase. The app will find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online. No clipping required!
THE SKY’S THE LIMIT WITH BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION®!

Box Tops can really add up! The more you clip, the bigger difference you can make for your school!

Thank you for helping! Every Box Top you collect is worth 10¢ for your school. To see more ways to earn cash for your school, go to btfe.com!
YEARMBOOKS on SALE!

Austin Road 2019/2020 Yearbook Orders

****YEARBOOKS ARE ON SALE ONLINE ONLY****

Order your child's yearbook ONLINE today at:
YearbookOrderCenter.com or call toll free at 1-866-287-3096
Your ONLINE Order Number is 13647

Yearbook pricing is as follows:
- Today through November 30, 2019 - $32.50
- December 1, 2019 to January 20, 2020 - $35.00
- January 21, 2020 to May 9, 2020 - $40.00 (if available)

Personalize your Yearbook with a Name Stamp for an additional $5.00.
Names ONLY!! No phrases. Phrases will be corrected to the student's name. Only available ONLINE until January 20, 2020.

Please note - If you do not preorder a yearbook before January 1, 2020, extra books, if available, will be on sale on a first come, first serve basis only.

If you have any questions, please contact:
Patria Tardio  austinroadptotreasurer@gmail.com

**ALL ORDERS ARE ONLINE ONLY AT THIS TIME**
BUY A BOOSTER!!!! SAY SOMETHING SPECIAL TO YOUR CHILD IN THE
AUSTIN ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2020 YEARBOOK.

To place a BOOSTER ONLY order, please complete the following information:

Student’s name:______________________________________________
Teacher’s name:_________________________________________ Grade:_______
Email:_________________________________________________Phone#:____________________

CHECKS FOR BOOSTERS ONLY MADE OUT TO: Austin Road PTO
ALL SPACES AND PUNCTUATION MARKS ARE COUNTED AS CHARACTERS.
PLEASE USE SPACES IN BETWEEN WORDS.

Prices are as follows:

0 to 40 Letters, Characters (use spaces below)----------$5.00:
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0 to 80 Letters, Characters (use spaces below)--------$10.00:
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0 to 120 Letters, Characters (use spaces below)-------$15.00:
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Any questions, please contact: Patricia Tardio at austinroadptotreasurer@gmail.com
Austin Road PTO
Yearbook Needs Your Help!

Help us make Austin Road’s 2019-2020 yearbook fun filled with your photographs.

Upload all of your children’s and their friends’ wonderful memories from Austin Road (such as Bingo, Class Parties, Movie Night, 5K Run, Monster Mash, Book Fair, etc.) for our possible consideration for submission in the yearbook. All photographs can be sent in digitally via EShare at www.hjeshare.com using our School Code: austinroad

Thank you for all of your support!
Austin Road PTO Membership 2019 - 2020

We invite you to support the Austin Road PTO by joining our PTO membership! The membership fee is $10.00 per family, all of which goes to support our school. By becoming a member, you are informed first about all of the upcoming activities and volunteer opportunities through a PTO weekly email.

The Austin Road PTO offers many programs, both during and after school for our children. School pictures, Yearbook, Monster Mash, Book Fair, Holiday Shop, Color Run, Spirit Day, and many other activities are all run by the PTO. These programs are not self-supporting. We need your help to continue these programs and create awesome memories for our children and families. All PTO fundraisers and monies raised go towards our children and school, providing cultural, educational, and social enrichment. This helps pay for field trips, assemblies, the Learning Lab, and special events for over 600 students who attend Austin Road. Volunteers and support are needed to help run these events and ensure they are successful. Becoming a member in no way obligates you to volunteer; however, any assistance and time that you can provide would be much appreciated.

Thank you, in advance, for your support!

Samantha Gumina, VP-Membership
segumina@gmail.com

Yes, I would like to join the Austin Road PTO!

Please complete and return this form, along with your $10.00 payment, to school in an envelope marked PTO Membership. Checks should be made payable to Austin Road PTO.

Name: ___________________________ Phone Number: ___________________

Email Address: _____________________________________________________________

Home Address: _____________________________________________________________

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MAHOPAC SEPTO

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

About SEPTO:

➤ SEPTO supports students with special needs from preschool through high school. This includes students who have an IEP or 504 plan, students placed in a special class and students who receive any special education services such as OT, PT and Speech therapy.
➤ SEPTO events are beneficial to all registered Mahopac Central School District Families (including resident students enrolled in private schools or placed out of district).
➤ SEPTO is a network of resources to provide vital information and support to parents through sponsorship of forums, discussion groups and workshops in order to enhance parents’ efforts to maximize the potential of their child.

DUES ARE $10 PER MEMBERSHIP; PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO MAHOPAC SEPTO.

Name ________________________________

____ Parent /Guardian _______ Faculty/Staff _______ Other

Email _________________________________ Phone ________________________________

Address ________________________________

Student’s name __________ Age _______ School ________________________________

Special Education Interests ________________________________

Can you volunteer? ________________________________

What would you like this organization to accomplish?

______________________________

Your membership dollars support the wonderful enhancements SEPTO provides to the special education community. Thank You for your support!

Mail to: Mahopac SEPTO - 960 Route 6, PMB 136 - Mahopac, NY 10541-1722
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EIGHT GREAT WAYS TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR LIBRARY BOOKS!

Always keep your library books dry; if it is raining, please make sure your library books are in your backpack!

Use a bookmark instead of folding down pages in your book.

Return library books on time! Your library books are due every time you have library.

Always read your books with clean hands!

Keep books away from babies, pets and small children who might want to tear pages.

Find a special place at home for storing your books.

Never use crayons, pens or pencils in your library books.

If your library book becomes damaged, please bring it back to the library so Mrs. Tompkins can repair it.