

PTO Newsletter, 10-5-2018

Ribbon Week is next week!

Ribbon week is a great opportunity for us to educate our students and to spread awareness about some very important topics. We will be focusing on the RED RIBBON (drug awareness) and the WHITE RIBBON (internet safety). Students will be bringing home a flyer with all of our Ribbon Week Spirit Activities. We have some fun ways to make this week memorable, so encourage your kids to get involved!

Grade Raffle Baskets

Our fundraiser is approaching, and we are getting ready for one of our favorite parts of that evening. Back by popular demand, we are compiling themed raffle baskets for the CRA Fundraiser. Different themes have been assigned to each grade. Students are asked to bring in a new item, based on their assigned theme between

Monday October 8th - Thursday October 25th.

Collection boxes will be placed in the hallways by each grade for donated items. Our fundraising coordinators will combine collected donations into baskets, and each one will be up for auction at our annual fundraiser.

Let's Make A Deal
Wasatch Junior High School
Monday, October 29th. 5:30 - 8:00

Raffle tickets for these grade baskets will be sold for \$1 each.
Baskets will be raffled throughout the evening. Must be present to win!

Here are the themes and colors for each grade:
(Individual flyers with more info will be sent home with your child)

Kindergarten: Yellow
1st Grade: Kids Crafts
2nd Grade: Red
3rd Grade: Camping/Outdoors
4th Grade: Blue
5th Grade: Family Movie Night
6th Grade: Orange and Black
Mystery Basket - Provided by the PTO

Thank you for your help.
If you have any questions please feel free to email Tracy at
tracy@seemydesign.com

September Grow Challenge Winners

We had a such great entries in our Farmer's Insurance Grow Challenge last month. Principal Fuller challenged everyone to "BE A GOOD SPORT"! We had great participation, and we are so proud of everyone who focused on that challenge and tried to improve in that area of their life! We want to congratulate and recognize those who were chosen to receive some amazing prizes sponsored by Farmer's Insurance.

1st Grade - Will Salas

"I did not cry or get upset when someone kicked me out of the game."

2nd Grade - Luke Tuckett

"When I was punched in the stomach by a friend, I didn't punch back."

3rd Grade - Lily Blomquist

"I learned to rock climb."

4th Grade - Mari Rotundi

"I was honest at an SPE game when I was one of the last people playing, and I got tagged out."

5th Grade - Ann Adam

"I grew this month by having good sportsmanship, and always including everyone."

6th Grade - Maisie Steiner

"I grew this month trying to be kind to everyone."

Teacher of the Month - Mrs. Spittler

Mrs. Spittler was nominated by a parent because she went above and beyond the call of duty to help resolve a dispute happening between students. "She took the time to understand the circumstances, and helped the students resolve the conflict in a kind and loving way."

A VERY BIG THANKS TO:

Farmer's Insurance
and
Salt City Salon

for donating such amazing gift baskets for these well deserving individuals for taking Principal Fuller's challenge to heart.

October Grow Challenge

"DO A GOOD DEED!"

We want to encourage our students to be thinking of how they can go out of their way to help those around them. We want to help each other for the sake of helping. These can be random acts of kindness, relieving a burden, or seeking out ways to serve others. Students can nominate themselves, peers, teachers, or staff by filling our a grow challenge slip, and by putting it in the Farmer's Insurance Grow Challenge Box. We will choose individuals to feature at the end of the month.

JUMP TEAM TRYOUTS

After school Tuesday, October 9th & Thursday, October 11th

Jump Team is a jump rope performing team that practices Wednesdays 3:15-4:15 pm and performs at other schools in conjunction with the American Heart Association throughout the school year.

4th, 5th & 6th graders, come & try out for the CRA Jump Team! Tryouts will be in the gym right after school. 5th & 6th Graders should come on Tuesday 10/9 & 4th Graders should come on Thursday 10/11.

Parents should plan on picking children up at least by 4 pm. As soon as they try out, they are free to go. Tryout results will be posted on Friday, October 12th after school in the main office window.

Keep practicing your jump rope skills like:

Crossies, Bell, Skier, Scissors, Jacks, and jumping to the beat, etc.

Feel free to show any other tricks you would like to share!

Please Note: In order to be fair to all those interested in participating on the Jump Team, all students will be required to tryout--including those who have previously been on the team.

If you have any questions, please contact Amy Wilkinson at 801-671-6776.

Hope to see you there!