



PARKWAY MANOR PTO Newsletter

April 2023

PTO WELCOME

Our mission is to support the education of children at Parkway Manor by fostering relationships among the school, parents, caregivers, and teachers. We organize and support school events, fundraising efforts, and enrichment programs that enhance our children's educational, social, and developmental experiences.

Update from Mr. Bartman

There are a lot of exciting end of the year activities coming up from field trips to PTO events!

VOLUNTEERS NEED CLEARANCES! Reminder that parents and caregivers need their clearances submitted to the front office to chaperone field trips or help inside the school. For more information, visit PSD website:

parklandsd.org/departments/human-resources/volunteers

Mr. Bartman shared the idea to invite **Parkland's Director of Security** to a future PTO meeting. We will update families when that meeting is scheduled.

Staff Representative, Ms. McDonnell

PSSA's are here and the entire school has been busy getting ready! The PTO is buying mints for students taking the PSSAs, which include three days of English, two days of Math and 4th grade has two days of science test as well. **Good luck to all!**

Red Ticket VIP table has been a hit this year and will continue next year.

Food Drive: Pasta Wars winning class was awarded a Rita's party thrown by Ms. McDonnell and Mr. Bartman. The kids loved it! Congratulations to the entire school for an impressive food drive as **Parkway Manor collected 2,606 items, the most of any school in Parkland!**

PTO News & Updates

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK TODAY!

**Parkway Manor Elementary School
Yearbook Sale**

Order your book now!
\$20

Deadline to order
April 28th

Online Ordering

1. Go to: <https://orders.christmascitystudio.com>
2. Enter Session Password: PMESYB23
3. Enter Student's Name (Last Name, First Name)
4. Place Order

Cash or Check Payment

Please fill out the order form below and return it with cash or check to your child's teacher.
*Make checks payable to Parkway Manor PTO

Use this QR Code to order your yearbook through your mobile device.

All yearbooks will be shipped directly to the school and distributed at the end of the school year

**** If you are viewing online, [use this link to order your 2022-23 Yearbook online today!](#)**

Board Treasurer Opportunity 2023-24! PTO is looking for a volunteer to shadow the current Treasurer and take over the Board position next school year. **To learn more, please email ptoparkwaymanor@gmail.com. Thanks!**



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Fundraising Update

- Read-a-thon raised \$7,244.80
- Science Fair raised \$782
- Yo Fresh Night raised \$200
- SaveAround Check Coming for \$290

Thank you PM families for contributing to the success of these fundraising programs!

Funding Field Trips: We also discussed raising the budget for a per field trip cost. It is \$10 now. If we move to \$12, we would need \$6,480 in our funds to pay for field trips. If it is \$15, we would need \$8,100. We are going to look at parent communication at the beginning of the year. Do parents know we pay for the field trips and that is one reason we fundraise?

Shopping at Weis is an Everyday Way to Support Our School!

Use the barcode to enroll and earn points for Parkway Manor programs and events.



Upcoming Events!

Outdoor Movie Night! 7:30PM on Friday, April 28, 2023.

Students voted for *The Bad Guys*! \$1 per person, there will be concessions for sale. BYO Chairs & Blankets!



Spring Book Fair & Food Truck Night is Wednesday, May 10 from 5:30-7:30PM. Plan to join us for dinner and dessert from your favorite Lehigh Valley Food Trucks!



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Update on PTO P.M. Zoom Meetings: April marked the PTO's third and final Night Zoom Meeting of the school year. Due to low attendance, the PTO is considering hosting one virtual meeting in September 2023 to help point parents & caregivers in the right direction at the start of the new school year, and answer questions. As always, PTO leadership is available to answer questions via email at ptoparkwaymanor@gmail.com.

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REMEMBER Volunteers must first have their clearances submitted. To view requirements, [click here](#).

April

- 20th Elem Chorale Concert @ 7PM
- 21st D.A.R.E Graduation
- 24, 25, 26, 28th PSSA 3rd-8th Grades
- 28th Early Dismissal 1:45PM
- 28th Outdoor Movie Night **volunteers*

May

- 1-5th PSSA 3rd-8th Grades
- 5th District Band & Strings Concert (5th GR) | 7PM @ PHS
- 7th Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week begins
- 7th K-5 Field Day
- 8-12th Book Fair **volunteers*
- 10th School Nurses Day
- 10th PTO Meeting 9AM Cafeteria
- 10th Book Fair & Food Trucks | 5:30PM **volunteers*
- 16th Staff Appreciation Luncheon
- 17th 4th Grade Band & Strings Concert
- 19th Early Dismissal 1:45PM
- 25th 5th Grade Chorus Concert | 7PM
- 29th Holiday SCHOOL CLOSED

June

- 1st Ice Cream Social | 1:30PM **volunteers*
- 2nd 3rd Grade Recorder Concert
- 2nd 5th Grade Picnic **volunteers*
- 7th PTO Meeting | 9AM Cafeteria
- 9th LAST DAY OF SCHOOL: Early Dismissal 11:45 AM

Next PTO Meeting:
Wednesday, May 10, 2023
@ 9AM in Cafeteria

Want to help with the
5th grade picnic?
Email:
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