



# CRISMAN ELEMENTARY PTO

## OCTOBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

### COOKIE DOUGH FUNDRAISER

Our Cookie Dough Fundraiser raised \$4,961.56 this year. Thank you to all who participated! Thank you to all who helped move, sort, and distribute all the orders! These funds will be used to buy T-shirts for all Crisman students, and funds leftover will be used for other Crisman events and classroom needs.

### BOX TOPS CONTEST

Thank you for sending in those box tops! We collected 8,446 box tops this round! Well done! The winner of the contest was Kindergarten, and they selected a popcorn and Halloween movie reward. Keep saving your unexpired box tops for the next contest in January!



### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Session II runs Tuesday, October 24, through Friday, December 8 (6 weeks). There will be no clubs Thanksgiving Week. All PTO clubs end at 4:15 p.m. Boys Running Club will begin October 30 (5 weeks).

*NEW: If a parent volunteers 10 hours for the PTO in a session, they will receive a golden ticket to use as payment for all of their children for any PTO club for the following session. There is a separate sign-in sheet at the front desk for PTO activities volunteers.*



Funds from these activities are used for supplies for clubs (snacks, equipment, etc.) and for requested classroom items for teachers.

**FAMILY NIGHT: BRINGING BOOKS TO LIFE**  
**Tuesday, October 17, 2017 • 5 to 6:30 p.m.**

### PICTURE DAY: OCTOBER 18, 2017

We could use parent helpers from 9 a.m. to noon on picture day to help check hair and clothing! Contact Olivia Torres if you would like to help.

### VETERANS' DAY

Be on the lookout a possible Veterans' Day event at Crisman on November 10.

### BOOKMOBILE

Bookmobile will begin in November and occurs on the first Friday of the month. Bookmobile is a cart loaded with books that visits every classroom. Students have the opportunity to exchange a book from home with one off the cart. Volunteers and book donations are needed!

### POPCORN FRIDAYS

Every Friday morning, volunteers pop and bag popcorn for students. Popcorn is 25¢ per bag. Volunteers are needed and should arrive by 8:30 a.m.

### QUESTIONS?

Contact Olivia Torres, PTO President, at 219.713.0008 or liv013@hotmail.com.

If you are on Facebook, please join our **Crisman PTO** page. It is a great way to stay informed.



### HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Please fill out your information below and send it back to the school or come to a PTO Meeting. **The PTO meets on the first Thursday of every month at 3:30 p.m. in the Crisman library. The next meeting is November 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

### ATTENTION: CRISMAN ELEMENTARY PTO

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle area of interest:    Popcorn    Bookmobile    Family Night    Fundraising    After School Activities