

What is the PTO?

The AGR PTO . . . connecting students, parents and teachers.

The PTO is a non-profit, volunteer organization made up of parents and teachers. We work hard to provide services and funds in support of our students and school. We support grade level cultural events, student rewards/recognitions, teacher allotments, and field trips.

The "Pins for the Playground" Bowl-A-Thon raised \$486.00. A good time was had by all. Thanks to the staff and families that joined us.



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Presidents Corner: It's hard to believe the year is half over. We are quickly approaching \$25,000.00 in our Playground Fund. To continue our fundraising efforts, we would like to have a Silent Auction at our Spaghetti Dinner and Art Show in April. We will have several themes for parents to donate items for the baskets. This will be fun and all proceeds will benefit the playground fund. Also, as we look forward to next year, Jill Armm, our Treasurer, will be moving on as her daughter graduates from AGR. So if you are interested in running for this position, please contact Jill Armm. Thanks for your support! Janine

2009-2010 PTO Officers

President: Janine Morrison, 547-4198 or 5Morrison@comcast.net

Vice President: Sarah Richards, 937-6444

Secretary: Lori Deane, 547-5166 or deane3@yahoo.com

Treasurer: Jill Armm, 4armms@comcast.net

EVENTS

March 1-March 31 – Duke's Dollar Raffle fundraiser

March 9 – PTO meeting and Curriculum Night from 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

March 25 – Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night from 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

April 1-5 – Spring Break

April 13 – Fun N Beyond Spirit Night from 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

April 16-23 Spring BOGO Book Fair

April 22 – Family Night at Book Fair from 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

April 30 – All-you-can-eat Spaghetti Dinner and Student Art Show from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. in the cafeteria

Bail Out Bridges Update: What a fun day at our school. Mrs. Bridges looked lovely in fluorescent orange!! We earned \$853.43 for the playground fund. We appreciate the support of our teachers, staff, students and parents and most importantly, our pretend inmate.

PLAYGROUND FUND

The playground fund just received another \$500.00 donation from the **CVS** Caremark Volunteer challenge, a grant in recognition of Nancy Frye's volunteer efforts at AGR. Way to go, Nancy, and thank you CVS.

Fun N Beyond Spirit Night: We have just added a new spirit night on Tuesday, April 13 from 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. The playground fund receives 50% of the profits from this fundraiser. Come bounce with us!

McDonald's Spirit Night: Tuesday, May 11 from 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Door prizes will be raffled off, and Ronald will be there,

AGR Spirit Wear Sales were a huge success. On spirit days until the end of the school year, students can pay \$1.00 to wear a hat to school. Profits will benefit the playground fund.



SPIRIT DAYS ARE THE LAST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH. STUDENTS: DON'T FORGET YOUR SPIRIT WEAR (OR RED AND BLACK ATTIRE), YOUR FAVORITE HAT, AND JUST \$1.00.

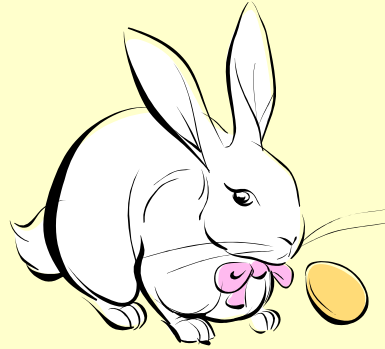
Corner of gratitude

Did you know that Mr. Dalimonte and parent, Gary Street, spent hours clearing the playground of snow so our children could go outside to play? THANK YOU, GENTLEMEN!

Thank you to Mrs. Frye, Mrs. Bailey, and Mrs. Strickland in the front office for all of the help and assistance they provide to the PTO Board.

Special thanks to Mr. Glick for maintaining the PTO website.

SPRING IS COMING!



HAPPY SPRING BREAK!

VOLUNTEERING

Please consider volunteering for one of the many spring PTO events. We are behind the scenes actively planning the Spring BOGO book fair, Spaghetti Dinner and Art Show, fundraisers and family activities. From an hour to chairing an event – all help is welcomed and very much appreciated!!

We are seeking volunteers for the April 30th Spaghetti Dinner and Art Show, as follows:

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – set up art work

3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. - dinner set up

8:00 p.m. – clean up

Would you like to contact local businesses to contribute to the silent action during the Spaghetti Dinner and Art Show? If so, please contact Janine Morrison.

We are hoping to organize a 5K/1 mile "Run 4 Fun" in the late spring for the playground fund. Is there anyone who would like to organize this event? Please contact Janine Morrison at 547-4198.

