

# Stonewall Scoop

PTA Newsletter

August 11, 2011

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[www.stonewallpta.org](http://www.stonewallpta.org)

## ***It's A New School Year!***

Dear Stonewall Families,

We are excited to have you as part of our outstanding school!

Stonewall has a rich tradition of family involvement. We invite you to be involved in your child's education and engaged with other parents, family members, teachers and staff as an active participant in our school.

Join the Stonewall Elementary Parent Teacher Association (PTA)! We are committed to supporting and advocating for each student at Stonewall by hosting dozens of events throughout the year.

Another way to become engaged is to volunteer! Included in your Bash packet was a volunteer sign-up sheet. We hope you will volunteer and engage with us to make a difference for our students, teachers and school. Just two hours from each parent/guardian or family member throughout the year makes a BIG difference.

Demonstrate interest in your child's education, join the Stonewall PTA and volunteer at Stonewall. Together as a family that is "engaged", we can make a difference in the lives of our children.

The PTA newsletter is sent home electronically. This began last year as an effort to "go green". This effort proved successful as we reduced paper usage for the newsletter by 90 percent! If you would prefer hard copies, please contact your teacher so the PTA can make that accommodation.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (859) 533-5892 or [jenn.crockett@yahoo.com](mailto:jenn.crockett@yahoo.com).

We look forward to an exciting year at Stonewall!

Thanks so much,

Jenn Crockett, PTA President

## **Check Us Out on Facebook & Twitter**



The PTA has a Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/StonewallPTA](http://www.facebook.com/StonewallPTA). New this year is our Twitter page. Just search @StonewallPTALex to follow us.

Please remember when posting comments that the PTA is an organization to advocate for our children and support our faculty and staff. We post important dates, news and information about upcoming events. Due to privacy, please do not post any pictures of our students. Please notify Jenn Crockett at [jenn.crockett@yahoo.com](mailto:jenn.crockett@yahoo.com) about any comments you feel do not reflect our mission.

## **Eagle Scout Builds Picnic Tables**

A big thank you to Conner Cesario! Conner completed his Eagle Scout project by building the three new picnic tables donated by the PTA in the front of the school. As part of his project, he laid new mulch, trimmed the entrance bushes and planted a butterfly garden by the school sign. Conner is a Stonewall alum and senior at Lafayette High School. We would like to thank Conner for doing a great job and congratulate him on completing his Eagle Scout project. Also, thank you to Boy Scout Troop 73 for assisting him. We would also like to thank Spring House Gardens in Nicholasville for their generous donations of flowers. Thanks to all the Stonewall families who, by their participation in fundraisers, made it possible for the PTA to purchase the three picnic tables, flowers and mulch.

PTA General  
Association Meeting

Tuesday, August 16,  
7:00

Stonewall Library

## Baby Look at that Smile!!

### Attention 5th Graders Only!

Parents of 5th graders,

If you would like your 5th grader's picture included in the baby picture section of the yearbook, please e-mail us a digital image of your 5th grader as a baby or toddler. You must include your child's name and homeroom if you e-mail the picture. There is no charge to add your child's baby picture to the yearbook. You can also send your child's baby picture in a Ziploc bag to school to the attention of PTA-Robyn Johnson. All pictures must be labeled (see below)! Please no embarrassing bathroom/bathtub pictures. Start sending photos today to [suebee.schaefer@gmail.com](mailto:suebee.schaefer@gmail.com) or [robyn\\_johnson25@yahoo.com](mailto:robyn_johnson25@yahoo.com).

If you have any questions, please e-mail or call 859-221-0032.

All pictures must be labeled (can be on an attached paper) and include:

- your child's name
- homeroom teacher's name
- your contact phone number or e-mail in case we have a question about the picture

*Deadline to submit baby picture is August 31, 2011!!!*

## You are Invited

**Allen Borntraeger  
Memorial**

**Bowl-A-Thon**

Sunday, August 28

4-6 PM

Collins Bowling Lane

205 Southland Drive

Proceeds to benefit the

Stonewall Elementary Outdoor  
Classroom

\$10/person or \$50/team (6  
members/team)

## Get in the Stonewall Spirit!

If you would like to purchase your **Stonewall Rocks!** spirit wear, please visit our website and download the spirit order form at [www.stonewallpta.org/forms](http://www.stonewallpta.org/forms). You can send your form and payment in with your child or drop off in the office attention Mary Beth Carter, PTA. For questions, please contact Mary Beth at [marybethcarter@yahoo.com](mailto:marybethcarter@yahoo.com).

## Join the PTA!

If you didn't get a chance to join Stonewall PTA at the Bash, there is still time. Please visit our website and download the membership form at [www.stonewall.org/forms](http://www.stonewall.org/forms). Your membership is only \$5 and automatically makes you a member of the Kentucky PTA and National PTA. You can send your information in with our child or leave in the office, attention Amber Hunt, PTA. For questions, e-mail Amber at [mshunt7@hotmail.com](mailto:mshunt7@hotmail.com).

## August 2011

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7	8	9	10	11 Day 1	12 Day 2	13
14	15 Day 3	16 Day 4  PTA Meeting 6:30 p.m.	17 Day 5	18 Day 6	19  No school	20
21	22 Day 1	23 Day 2	24 Day 3	25 Day 4	26 Day 5	27

*The Stonewall PTA helping parents, teachers and the environment. Please consider the environment before printing this newsletter.*

*If you have questions, please contact Stonewall PTA President Jennifer Crockett at [jenn.crockett@yahoo.com](mailto:jenn.crockett@yahoo.com).*