

Stonewall Elementary PTA Newsletter

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Welcome Back!

Welcome to the 2009-2010 school year at Stonewall Elementary. My name is Robyn Johnson and I am the new Stonewall Elementary PTA President. I want to welcome each of you to our school. The PTA has planned some great events and activities for the students and families this year. We've already been busy, starting with the Back to School Bash and the Boo Hoo Breakfast. I hope you had a chance to meet some of our PTA Board Members and enjoy the food provided by the PTA at the Back To School Bash. I want to thank all of our volunteers who helped to make it such a great event. We are also pleased to have held our Second Annual Boo Hoo Breakfast in the Library for those parents dropping off Kindergarten or older children who just need a minute before continuing about their day. I want to thank all of the PTA volunteers who helped to make that event possible as well. Stonewall takes pride in the number of hours volunteers give to our school each year. Our volunteers can be anyone: moms, dads, friends, older siblings, grandparents, even great grandparents. Please visit the PTA website for information on volunteer opportunities or talk with your children's teachers about the different ways you can become involved. I encourage every parent to join the PTA and participate in school activities and events this year!

Thanks, Robyn Johnson PTA President

Check It Out!

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The Stonewall PTA has its own website at www.stonewallpta.org. The PTA website includes copies of the newsletters, copies of order forms to download (Membership, Kroger Cards, Spirit, some fundraising), PTA meeting minutes, contact information for officers and committees, and a list of volunteer opportunities. The site is updated frequently with information and upcoming events.

Congratulations!

Thanks to all the parents and teachers who joined the Stonewall PTA at the Bash!

The lucky winners of the drawing for the two \$50.00 Kroger Gift Cards were: Shannon Markel and Emily Sparks.

Thanks also to all the parents and teachers who purchased Kroger Gift Cards for our ongoing fundraiser. Keep on shopping!

Together Everyone Achieves More...Join the PTA TEAM

You are invited to become a member of the Stonewall Elementary PTA. Becoming a member of the PTA is the first Step you can take in becoming an advocate for your children and all children across the country. Membership is easy, just fill out the form below, and attach the \$5 membership fee per member (checks please) and return it to your child's classroom or the school office: **Attention – Michelle Lane, Membership Chair**. You will receive your membership card as soon as your membership is processed. Again, thank you for investing in the future of our children. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at mddlane@yahoo.com

Member Information

Name: _____
First Middle Initial Last

Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____
Email: _____

Type of Membership: _____ Parent/Guardian _____ Faculty/Staff _____ Other (_____)

Child's Name: _____ Child's Teacher: _____ Grade: _____



Your Summer Contest!

We want to Know About Your Summer!

We're having a contest to see who traveled the farthest during their summer break and for those who stayed here, who did the most amazing thing in Lexington. Read the two descriptions below. Write a brief sentence or two telling us about your summer. When you are finished, simply turn in your entry to the office, attention PTA. Younger Students may dictate their entries to an adult, but the words must be those of the student. The Top 5 winners will be announced in our first September Newsletter. All winners will receive a prize. All entries must be turned into the office by **August 26**.

Who Went the Farthest?

Did you travel this summer? Do you think you might be the one who traveled the farthest? We want to know about it. Write a brief sentence or two describing where you traveled. Please include the country and city or town visited. We would also like to know what you will remember most about your trip.

Who Did the Most Amazing Thing in Lexington?

If you stayed around Lexington this summer, we want to know who did the most amazing thing here this summer. This can include an event Fayette County or any surrounding county. We want to know what amazing thing you did or participated in, did anyone go with you and one thing you will remember most about the event.

All entries must be turned into the office by Wednesday, August 26.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9	10	11	12 Day 1	13 Day 2	14 Day 3	15
16	17 Day 4	18 Day 5	19 Day 6	20 Day 1	21 No School	22
23	24 Day 2	23 Day 3	26 Day 4 Your Summer Contest Entry Deadline	27 Day 5	28 Day 6	29

