

Stonewall Elementary PTA Newsletter

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Looking for a Few Good Volunteers – Like you!

The Stonewall PTA is looking for a few people to volunteer in the following areas. If you are interested or have any experience in any of these areas and would be willing to head up one of these activities, please contact Robyn Johnson, PTA president at 221-0032 or jrjohnson99@windstream.net.

Spirit Shirt Coordinator – take up all the long sleeve and sweat shirt order forms and money. Make the order.

Field Day Coordinator – Coordinate volunteers to help work on Field Day in May.

WinterFest Coordinator – We have all the major events covered, we need you to help put it all together.

Walk to School Week Student Movers – Come one morning from 7:15-7:45 and help the students walk to school.

Picture Takers – Memory book needs you to take pictures when you visit our school, go on field trips or participate in school events with your child.

With your help, we can continue to make Stonewall a great school.

Thank You!

.... to all who participated in our fall fundraiser. With your support we sold over \$32,000 worth of merchandise. Our PTA will net almost \$16,000 to use for the benefit of our students. **A big thank you to Mary Ann Strobel and Claudette Albrecht who organized the sale.** Good job everyone!

Walk to School Week and God's Pantry Food Drive October 5-9th

Join the Stonewall tradition of walking to school each day during walk to school week. We are kicking off the week with a Walk Around Stonewall beginning at the school at 2:00 on Sunday, Oct. 4. We will all walk a loop and return to the school. Also, we encourage everyone to "Walk" to school each day. There is a loop created and directed by PTA volunteers to make sure all students (car-riders, bus-riders, etc.) can all walk to school each day. If you want to drive and park a little farther than usual, we strongly encourage that as well. We will also be collecting food for God's Pantry that week. Look for more information coming home soon. If you'd like to volunteer, please contact Kelly Norris at c.norris@insightbb.com. Get moving!



Hey, Moms! You don't have to cook dinner on Thursday, October 8th! Let Sonic do it for you from 5-8 pm at the Sonic at Bellerive Plaza off Harrodsburg Road. Sonic is hosting Stonewall Elementary that night and they will donate 10% of the total sales plus 100% of all tips. So come on out and feed your whole family and leave a big tip. Here is an easy way to get there. Take Clays Mill Road towards Jessamine county all the way until it dead ends at Brannon Road. Turn right onto Brannon Rd.; follow it until you get to Harrodsburg Rd. Turn left onto Harrodsburg Rd. and then look for the Sonic on the left. You miss a lot of traffic if you take this route, plus it is a pretty drive and closer than you think.

We are also looking for PTA volunteers to car hop for an hour during that time. If you would like to help, please email Joy Sparks at tjsparks63@insightbb.com with your name and a contact number. You will be working in pairs so sign up with your husband or a friend and volunteer to benefit your child's school. We would love to have a lot Stonewall teachers and staff out there working as car hops – no roller skates required! Come have some fun! Please sign up and let your students know you will be working and that you would love to see them and their families at Sonic on October 8th. Don't forget about Sonic's awesome ice cream and slushie desserts! You can walk off the calories during walk to school week!



Memory Books



Don't Forget to Order a Memory Book!

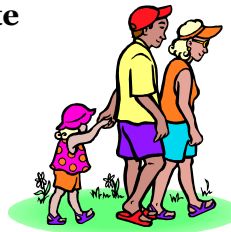
The Memory Book order forms have been sent home. Your cost is only \$17.00 per book if you pre-order by Monday, October 19, 2009. (Please note the deadline has been extended.) Don't miss out on this great opportunity to remember your Stonewall friends and events.

We only have a limited number of Memory Books ordered. You must pre-order to reserve a copy! After October 19, 2009, any extra Memory Books will be sold on a first come first serve basis and they will cost \$20.00 per book. So don't miss out, get your order in by October 19! The Memory Books will be delivered to students in May 2010. Also note that we need your photos for the books, so keep that in mind when participating in Stonewall activities.

Memory Book order forms can also be downloaded from the PTA website <http://stonewallpta.org/forms>.

We are still collecting Box Tops for Education. Last year we made several thousand dollars collecting Box Tops and we can do it again this year. Please trim the labels neatly, leaving all the pertinent information intact and place them in an envelope or baggie and send them to school with your child. We also collect Campbell's Labels for education, so send those in too. Ask your family and friends to do the same. Some parents put an envelope for box tops at their work so coworkers can contribute. Don't let those Box Tops go in the garbage or the recycle bin. They really do add up and will help the PTA purchase items to benefit all of our students. We haven't seen as many Box Tops as last year, so if you have a big stash of them, please go ahead and send them in! *Thank You!*

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Walk To School Week October 5-9th

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4 Walk to School Week Kickoff! 2:00pm	5 Day 6	6 Day 1	7 Day 2	8 Day 3 Sonic Night 5-8pm Bellerive	9 Day 4	10
11	12 Day 5	13 Day 6	14 Day 1	15	16 <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">No School Thursday and Friday</div>	17

October is Dyslexia Awareness Month