

Fogarty Memorial PTO Newsletter ~ September 2019



This year's first School Store will be held September 30!

As a welcome back for students, FMS PTO will be gifting \$1.00 to ALL students to spend at the School Store! Be on the lookout for the "Back to School Buck" closer to September 30.

Happy Shopping and WELCOME back to the 2019-2020 school year!



Fogarty PTO's website:
www.fogartypto.com

Fogarty Fridays!
Wear your Fogarty Blue or Fogarty Gear every Friday - Show your school spirit!



Be on the lookout for Order Forms for this year's only Fogarty Gear (Spirit Wear) Sale!

~Order forms and information coming home the week of September 3!

~ You can order online at:

http://www.heritagepiritwear.com/mystore/fogarty-memorial-school.html?_a=category&sort%5Bprice%5D=ASC

OR with paper order forms (coming home soon!)

~ Orders are due by: **SEPTEMBER 20**. **No late orders will be accepted.**

~If you order **ONLINE**, you will be entered to win a **\$20 VISA GIFT CARD!**

~Any questions, please email Heather :
heather@fogartypto.com

~Samples of the new gear and order forms will be at our first PTO meeting and Open House!



Please note the **Volunteer BCI Procedure**: All volunteers with the PTO and school related activities are required to have a current BCI on file.

BCI forms are available at FMS. All forms **MUST** be notarized *prior* to handing them into Mrs. Reilly. Also, this year, there will be no more "last minute" checks - the Gloucester Police Department will need two weeks to process your paperwork.

Fogarty's first PTO Meeting of the year is **Thursday, September 12**

at 6:30 pm, in the Fogarty library.

Free Babysitting is provided at all PTO meetings!

Snacks will be served and a special raffle for all in attendance will be held! Come join the fun!



This year's PTO meetings will be held the **second Thursday of every month**. For future planning:

October 10, November 14, December 12, January 9, February 13, March 12, April 9, May 14, June TBD.



RESTAURANT NIGHT

At Chelo's in Greenville!

****Tentative date: September 18****

We will post confirmation on our FB pages and via the Remind App..

Vouchers will be sent home via backpack mail the week before!

Vouchers will be good all day for dine in or take out! It is a fun way to meet up with friends and meet new classmates and their families!

Coming Soon:

YANKEE CANDLE
FUNDRAISING



Profits from the Yankee Candle Fundraiser pay for school-wide assemblies. This year, FMS PTO is excited to announce the first assembly will be in September! Looking forward to a fun show and an exciting way to start the school year.



Respect Others Act Responsibly

The **R O A R** Show!



Contact us anytime!

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Secretary: Heather Murgida, heather@fogartypto.com
Treasurer: Kristin Fecteau, treasurer@fogartypto.com



In preparation for Back to School, FMS PTO has purchased sanitizing wipes and tissues for all classrooms. And, very

exciting... FMS PTO purchased new pedestal fans for EVERY classroom at Fogarty! September can be hot in the school, hoping these fans will help... **and make the year a breeze for students, teachers and staff!**

The fans were purchased with profits from last year's Color Run!

And, just for FMS students, a new Back to School pencil will be given to everyone... and lots of new recess supplies will be available!

All of these special treats are made possible by your continued support of FMS PTO fundraising activities and events! Thank you!



We welcome new ideas for events and fundraisers! Please complete the "Fundraiser Proposal Form" or the "Event Proposal Form" and submit to Deirdra Nicholas - deirdra@fogartypto.com. All completed forms submitted will be discussed and evaluated by the PTO Board, and a decision made based on the school community.

Forms can be found on the Fogarty Memorial School PTO Facebook Page - under "Files" or sent to you via email, when requested. We look forward to hearing from you!



Here is a list of all the PTO events throughout the year. If you would like to help with these events, please contact the team leaders listed.

Help and time are always appreciated! Or, if you are interested in being a team leader for one of the open positions, Please contact Deirdra Nicholas. (Please see next column.)

Yearly Projects:

- School Store: Brenda Iozzi
- Dino's Receipts: Brenda Iozzi
- Box Tops: Hope Curry
- Yearbook: Kristin Fecteau
- Website Coordinator: Sheri Booker
- After-School Programs: Deirdra Nicholas
- Assemblies: Heather Murgida
- Restaurant Nights: Melissa Worthy
- Spirit Wear/Fogarty Gear: Heather Murgida
- Bulletin Boards: Dawn Joudry

Events:

- Trunk or Treat:: Deirdra Nicholas and Becky Pellegrino
- Breakfast with Santa: Elise Cormier
- ~BWS Volunteer Coordinator: Elise Cormier
- ~Gingerbread Room: Heather Murgida
- ~Art Room - Hope Curry and Katrina Mooney
- ~Santa Shop: Celena Almeida
- ~Giving Tree: Jessica Hopkins
- ~BWS Book Fair: Jessica Hopkins
- ~Kitchen: Cristen Henderson and Steve Booker
- ~Classroom Baskets: Elise Cormier
- ~Program/tickets/flyer: Elise Cormier
- ~Fogarty Bars & prizes: Kristin Fecteau
- ~Gift Card Tree - Raffle Donations: Brenda Iozzi and Kristin Fecteau
- Holiday Breakfast for Staff: Nancy Collucci
- Square 1 Art: Kim Borland and Heather Murgida
- Boys Event/Dave and Buster's: Brenda Iozzi
- Girls Event/Dance: Amy Steere and Caasi Baima
- Reading Week Book Fair: Jessica Hopkins and Heather Murgida
- P Bruins/Red Sox/Paw Sox: Tori Hartman
- Future Chieftains (5th Grade Event): Jeanne Cavanagh
- Color Run: Deirdra Nicholas
- Fifth Grade T-Shirts: Heather Murgida
- Field Day T Shirts: Heather Murgida
- Teacher Appreciation Week Food Events Coordinator: **NEEDED**
 - Breakfast: Celena Almeida
 - Potluck Luncheon: **NEEDED**
 - Snack/Lunch: Brenda Iozzi and Deirdra Nicholas
 - Teacher Raffle Baskets: Heather Murgida and Roseanne Tamaro
 - Teacher Gifts: Heather Murgida

