## Fogarty Memorial PTO Newsletter ~ October 2018



Upcoming Events:

Thursday, October 11, 6:30 pm:



PTO Meeting, Fogarty Library

## October 22:



~~~~Let's Connect!~~~~

~Fogarty Parent Page: https://www.facebook.com/groups/fogartyparents

~Fogarty PTO Page: https://www.facebook.com/groups/FMSPTO/

~If you are not on Facebook, no worries... We are also using the REMIND APP to send notifications and reminders! Join us: https://www.remind.com/join/FOGARTYPTO



And, check out Fogarty PTO's website: www.fogartypto.com



New this year!

FMS Water bottles with our Falcon logo! Bottles will be sold at School Store AND via order forms as well. Cost is \$3.00 per bottle... a limited number were purchased, make sure to order! All bottles will be sent home via backpack mail.



Save the date for a new Fall event... Sunday, October 28 ~ 4:00 pm-6:00 pm (rain date November 3). More information coming home soon!



It was a fun night and a great way to celebrate Back to School at Chelo's! Thank you to all the families who participated - dining in or taking out. A great time was had by all. Many more of these family and friend restuarant nights to come...stay tuned. Thank-you to Melissa Worthy for planning these nights for the FMS community. With your support, we raised \$387.43 - funds that will support our new after school programs - more information coming soon!



Thank you for your Yankee Candle Orders! All money earned with the Yankee Candle Fundraiser helps pay for all school-wide assemblies held throughout the year.

The first assembly this year will be Chris Poulos, a BMX rider and motivational speaker coming to FMS in November!

The good news is that you can still order **online** through the beginning January to benefit our school. *Visit yankeecandlefundraising.com and use group code: 99685909.* 

Thank you for your continued support of FMS PTO's fundraising.



With your support of PTO events, 3 large cooler bags were purchased so that lunches can be kept cold and easily transported on field trips! Thank-you!



If you take pictures at any PTO events, please send your pictures to: *Kristin Fecteau at treasurer@fogartypto.com* Be a part of FMS yearbook!

## Easy Ways to help support Fogarty's PTO!



The First Box Tops Contest has begun! Send in those Box Tops before October 26. Be on the lookout for Box Tops on many items - and check out the Box Tops App too! The winning class will celebrate with a BINGO party! All money raised from Box Tops contests pays for the fun and amazing Field Day in June!



Send in those Dino's receipts as well! Every receipt submitted equals money for our school! \$300 will be coming to FMS soon, our first batch of receipts has been submitted!

## amazonsmile

If you shop on Amazon, check out Amazon Smile at smile.amazon.com. You can select "Fogarty memorial school parent teacher organization" as the organization to support.



Download the Shoparoo App, create an account, and choose a grade to support! Every receipt scanned can earn points or tickets - which equals money for our school. Grade versus Grade challenges and prizes coming soon!



Thanks to the huge success of the April Reading Week Book Fair, we were able to purchase a revolving bookcase for the FMS library - a fun way to display all the great books students can choose from!



Fogarty Fridays! Wear your Fogarty Blue or Fogarty Gear every Friday – Show your school spirit! Spirit Wear sale ended September 21. All orders (online <u>and</u> traditional paper order form) will be delivered via backpack mail end of October.



PTO Meeting Thursday, *October 11 at 6:30pm* in the Fogarty library. **Please join us**! Free Babysitting is provided at all PTO meetings! We will have another raffle and snacks too, for all in attendance!



We will once again be working with our art teachers to offer your child's art masterpiece on special keepsake items. students will be working on their artwork for this fundraiser in their art classes. Order forms and more information will come home in March, for delivery of your items by end of April - in time for Mother's and Father's Day.



We welcome new ideas for events and fundraisers! Please complete the "Fundraiser Proposal Form" or the "Event Proposal Form" and submit to Deirdra Nicholas -<u>deirdra@fogartypto.com</u>. 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", at our monthly PTO meetings, or sent to you via email, when requested. We look forward to hearing from you!



For FMS 5th Graders! Signature t-shirts coming soon! All 5th graders and FMS teachers and staff will have their signatures printed on "Class of 2019" t-shirts. Order forms coming soon!