



TALMADGE PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION (PTA)

2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

POWSITIVELY AMAZING: eNEWSLETTER FOR FAMILIES



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HAPPY NEW YEAR

How can it be 2021 already?!?!? We wishing you good health and happiness as we start this New Year.

Tracy Friedenber, *President*
Vanessa Bassett, *Vice President*

THANK YOU, EVERYONE!!!

Parents, students, teachers, staff...we all deserve a THANK YOU. This school year has been hard and we are all doing our best. Take a moment to breathe deeply and pat yourself on the back for a job well done.

MAKE A SIGN FOR YOUR REMOTE CLASSROOM!

Join us at the next PTA Meeting on Wednesday, January 27th at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom!

Let's lift our students' spirits and spark creativity! Families will design their own Talmadge-tastic sign for their student's remote classroom.

All you need is: blank paper, drawing tools (e.g., crayons), and to connect to the Zoom Meeting. We hope to see you there...and enter you in our PTA attendance raffle!



RAFFLE!!!

Adult attendees will be entered in a drawing at the end of the meeting. One staff member and one family member will be chosen. Selected individuals will win a \$25 gift card if they are there for the drawing.

NEXT PTA MEETING

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27TH

7:00 p.m.

Zoom Meeting – details shared 1/27

ADMIT ONE

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FALL RAFFLE WINNERS!

These individuals attended at least on PTA meeting in the Fall.

They were selected randomly and we are excited to present them each with a \$25 gift card!

Parent winner: Alicia Atkins, parent of Robert Scott from first grade!

Staff winner: Joanne Beauchesne, Kindergarten Paraprofessional!

UPCOMING PTA EVENTS

DATE – TIME	TOPIC	TYPE
Wednesday, February 10 th - 7:00 p.m.	How can we keep track of assignments and grades? <i>Are you and your student struggling to keep track of assignments?</i> <i>Do you know what work your child is supposed to correct and resubmit?</i> <i>Do you know where to find quiz and test grades?</i> If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, please join us as we discuss these questions. We will have teachers and Spanish speakers available to help answer all of our questions about this topic.	Webinar via Zoom (details shared on 2/10)
Friday, February 26 th – 7:00 p.m.	Black History Month Celebration <i>Join us for an evening of celebration as we recognize and honor the accomplishments of Black Americans throughout history!</i> If you are interested in planning the event or being a part of it on that night, please reach out to Tracy Friedenber: (413) 250-1901; tracylukas@comcast.net .	Webinar via Zoom (details shared on 2/26)