

Harrison

Township

PTA



October 2011

Message from the President

Welcome back! It is hard to believe that it is already October! The PTA is looking forward to our Fall Bingo and Family Night on October 21. We hope that you will join us for a fun-filled night for everyone. It is also a great opportunity to come together and meet other families in our school community.

Membership: Becoming a PTA member is the first step in supporting our schools. Our PTA has made a very big difference especially with our recent contributions to technology, including last year's donation of 10 SMART Boards to our schools. However, we can't do this without the parents and teachers that join and support the PTA throughout the year. The cost to join the PTA is only \$7.00, a little more than a cup of your favorite coffee at Starbucks...and joining does not require any further commitment. Your continued commitment can be as great or as small as your schedule and circumstance permits. I would like to encourage each and every parent to join! If you have not already done so, you can join on our website at www.harrisonpta.org.

I would also like to take the opportunity to wish everyone a great school year!

Kathy Deacon, PTA President

Important Dates

HTS School Store	Oct 4, 18
School Spirit Day (Hat Day)	7
School Closed	10
PVS School Store	11, 25
Early Dismissal	19-21
School Color Day	21
Fall Festival/Bingo Night	21
Board of Ed. Meeting	24
Halloween Parade (HTS)	28
Halloween Parade (PVS)	31



Fall Bingo/Family Fun Night

Date: Friday, October 21

Time: 6:30-9pm

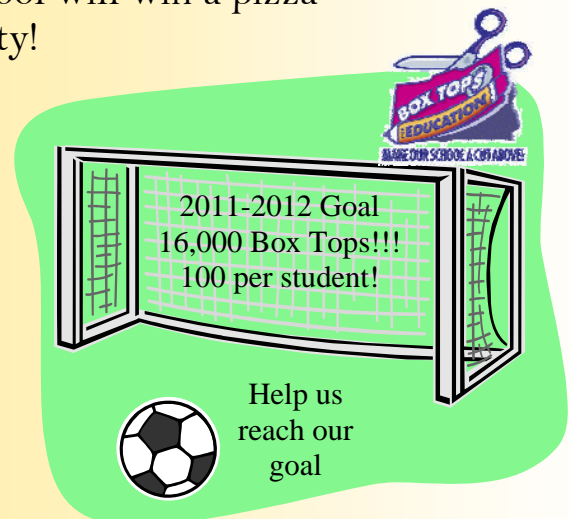
Where: Pleasant Valley School

Cost: \$20/ 15 bingo cards

Plus, free kid's bingo, crafts and fun!

Box Tops Contest

Turn in your Box Tops between September 30-October 15 for our summer Box Tops contest! One class from each school will win a pizza party!



Thank You

The PTA would like to thank the following volunteers that helped during the month of September:

- Susan Weng and the Refreshment Committee for “Back to School Night” donations
- Dolly Price, Ida Yurgin and Lisa Pirotta, the Room Parent chairs
- Tina Byers, the Membership chair
- Also, thanks to those volunteers that came in during the summer to help with Back-to-School packets
- Special thanks to our Principals for their endless contributions to McDonald’s Night

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.

- Elizabeth Andrews

Great Lakes Scrip

Starting in October, Great Lakes Scrip will be available year round! Do your grocery shopping with gift cards from Great Lakes and earn money for our schools!

Our goal: 100 families doing their monthly grocery shopping through this program. See flyer in backpack mail!

Contacts for additional information:

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Spirit Wear

Don’t forget Spirit Wear orders are due **October 17!**



Don’t forget to join us on Facebook!

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Halloween Parades

HTS Halloween Parade: October 28

PVS Halloween Parade: October 31

