

Harrison Township

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Grades K-3
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Looking to become more involved with the PTA? Want to help decide which events and fundraisers are held each year? The PTA has Board and Coordinator positions open for the 2016-2017 school year. Contact info@HarrisonPTA.org for additional information.

Spring Family Fun Event!

Spring Family Fun Night will be held at Deptford Skating and Fun Center on **March 28th** from **5-7 pm**. The cost is \$10 per skater and includes unlimited skating, skate rentals, access to the inflatable zone, the indoor FunZone, and a slice of pizza with soda. There is no admission charge for non-skaters; non-skaters will not have access to the inflatables or FunZone. Additional snacks and beverages will be available for purchase at the Roll-In Café. **Come out with friends and family for a night of fun activities and get a chance to win a door prize.** Tickets will be available for purchase at the door. Any questions regarding this event, please contact Anna Brown at anna-park93@gmail.com

Tickets are going fast for our **Monte Carlo Night** on Friday, April 15 from 7- 11 pm at Masso's Orchard Garden Facility. Get your tickets before it's too late by going to our website at www.HarrisonPTA.org. Tickets will NOT be available at the door and must be purchased online before the event! This adults-only event will feature food, drinks, dancing, games of chance, basket auctions, and more! Don't miss out on this fun event!

March, 2016

Important Dates

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| School Closed—Spring Recess | 24-28 |
| Family Fun Skating Night | 28 |
| Science Fair PVS | April 4 |
| School Store HTS | 5 |
| School Color Day | 8 |
| PTA Meeting @ HTS 7pm | 11 |
| School Spirit—Dress Up Day | 15 |
| Monte Carlo Night | 15 |
| School Store PVS | 19 |


Teacher Appreciation Week will be held from May 16th-20th. During Teacher Appreciation Week, the PTA will be providing breakfasts for the teachers. One of those days, the breakfast will be a variety of bars. If your family could kindly donate a bar/bars for the breakfast, the PTA would greatly appreciate your support. Any kind of bar will do—granola bars, nutrition bars, nut bars, etc. There is a box in the Main Office at HTS and PVS where you can place your donation. You can also contact the following coordinators to donate: Sonia Shah 407-620-1541; soniarshah@gmail.com or Jayne Gandy 609-774-3876; jayne-gandy@comcast.net. **Teacher Appreciation Week Raffle!** Each year during Teacher Appreciation Week, the PTA holds a raffle where the staff win fun prizes during their luncheons. Any donations would be greatly appreciated by the PTA—and the teachers! Please contact the coordinators listed above. Thank you!



Our Boosterthon Fun Run was a HUGE success! We are estimated to profit over \$30,000. We would like to send a HUGE thank you to our principals Mrs. Ingiosi and Mrs. Heenan for all their assistance, organization, and support throughout this event! Without their assistance, this event would not have been possible or so successful! Thank you also to the Boosterthon Team: Ariane Torres, All-Star Ali, and Slammin' Seth. Thank you to all the teachers for their support of this event; we are so grateful for all of your time and effort to make this a success! The PTA also sponsored a door decorating contest for the teachers. Thank you to all the teachers for their participation! There were so many awesome doors that it was hard to pick just one winner. *The winners are: PVS: Mrs. Ward's Class; HTS: Mrs. Mackowiak.* They each received a Boosterthon cup and a \$25 Marino's gift card. Finally, thank you to Vallerie Willis for all of her extra time and effort to ensure the Boosterthon ran smoothly; it was a wonderful fundraiser and we appreciate all you did to facilitate it! Also, thank you to the following PTA board members and parent volunteers for assisting with the Fun Runs: Megan Sakhleh, Sandy Reichert, Joanne Lopresti, Georgeanna Banks, Sonia Shah, Danielle Salario, Christine Moore, Jen Bowen, Jamie Deitz, Marcie DiGiacomo, and Dawn Galtman.

Wow! Harrison Township has a lot of Talent! Our annual Talent Show was held on February 20, 2016 at PVS and was a huge success!! We had almost 45 acts between the two shows with a variety of performances including musicians, dancers, vocalists, gymnasts, martial artists, comedians, and more. Thank you to all of the parents and students who made it so great! A heartfelt thank you to the amazing Danielle Salario who runs this wonderful student event so beautifully! Also, thank you to our amazing Brenda Damminger who gathers and organizes our Clearview volunteers as well as helps run the show. Finally, thank you to our fantastic emcee, Grace D'Amico. We're looking forward to another terrific show next year...look for online registration in January 2017!

Please join us for our annual
Science Fair at Pleasant Valley
Monday, April 4th
6:00 to 8:30pm



Meet our junior scientists who will be presenting their projects!

The Franklin Institute will be performing at the event. Please check the website for additional details.

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 EXPLORING THE FUN OF SCIENCE!**