

BARRINGTON ELEMENTARY PTA NEWSLETTER

VOLUME 1

Upcoming Events

September

Bobo's Pizza Fund-raiser

September 7th

Popcorn .50¢

October 15- 17th

Book Fair

PTA MEETING DATES

6:30-7:30pm

September 20th

October 18th

November 15th

December 20th

February 21st

March 21st

April 18th

May 16th

Experience Hand Car Wash & Detail

Full Details \$69

Every First Thursdays

Basic Wash \$20

Every first Friday

MISSION STATEMENT

The overall purpose of the PTA is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.

The Barrington Elementary Executive PTA Team

Top Lacesha Jeffers (Vice President), Alicia Faust (Co-Vice President), Meka Cottle (Treasurer), DeBorah Tyler (President), Shalmica Jackson (Secretary)



We meet every third Thursday of the month promptly from 6:30 – 7:30pm, childcare is provided. Students of Attendees get a uniform free day the following day. Also **LIKE** our FaceBook Page at Barrington Elementary PTA.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are needed every first Friday of the month to help with popcorn and to distribute books to children who have birthdays that month. Please come anytime between 9:00- 1:00pm to help. You can stay as long or as short as you like. Plus you get to eat all the popcorn you like. We also need volunteer for the book fairs. Each participant will receive a book under \$10 for every 2 hour shift they put in.

POPCORN FRIDAYS

Every first Friday of the month we have popcorn for purchase. In the past, we allowed payment for the entire school year with the purchase of a popcorn card. This proved to be a little challenging when students were not provided with them for lunch. So this year we have instituted the pay as to go policy. So please make sure your children have 50¢ every popcorn Friday.

BOOKS FOR BIRTHDAYS

Each month the Barrington PTA provides a book and bookmark to every child whose birthday is in that month. This activity is funded by the Scholastic book fairs we hold in October and April. Be mindful when you send in money for book purchases, please include the sale tax.

FUNDRAISING

We will be doing a lot of fundraising this year to support the various activities we are planning this semester. First off we will have the Bobo's Pizza fundraiser. Secondly, just in time for the holidays, we are doing an Alkaline battery fundraiser. Thirdly, we will be selling the Shop Around Coupon Books, which have tons of great coupons that has everything from entertainment to department store shopping. If you cannot participate in any of the fundraisers, we are asking for a \$25 per student opt out donation.

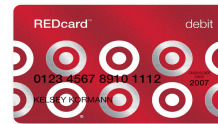
Box Tops

We collect box tops every year as a means to fundraise. So please don't forget to cut those box top label out, tape or past them to the box top sheet the school provides and submit it once the page is full or before the end of school.



Target Red Cards

Another way the school makes money is through red card purchases at Target. You can use it as a credit card or a debit card. Just make sure you list Barrington Elementary as the school and we benefit with each purchase.



Experience Hand Car Wash & Detail

The Barrington PTA is partnering with Experience Hand Car Wash & Detail to provide car washing and detailing services between the hours of 9a.m.— 2p.m. Full details for \$89 every first Thursdays and basic washes for \$20 every first Fridays. 40% of sales goes to the PTA. Sign up for appointments at WWW.experiencehandcarwash.com.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

This fall We are planning a movie night at Barrington and will need volunteers. This winter we will host a Trivia night. In the spring we are planning a Family dance (Father /daughter, Mother/son) . We will form committees for each of these events and volunteers are needed of course.