

Dr. Leroy McCloud Elementary PTO Newsletter

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DEAR McCLOUD FAMILIES

Happy Holidays & welcome to the PTO's first newsletter of the academic school year!

I know COVID has made the last two years difficult, but we are excited about being back in the school and reinvigorating the McCloud PTO. Needless to say, we're looking for interested parents to sign up and become active members. Our students need this!

Our first brainstorming session/meeting will be scheduled for January 11, 2022. Please add your voice to this epic event by sending your **email**, **telephone number**, and **name** to **mccloudptoboard@gmail.com**. We look forward to hearing from you & seeing you in the New Year. Wishing you all a safe & wonderful holiday season!

McCloud PTO ❤️



"At the end of the day, the most overwhelming key to a child's success is the positive involvement of parents."

~Jane D. Hull~

BOOK FAIR

Our Fall Book Fair was a success! The kids were so excited to shop for books again in person. Thank you to our awesome Parent Volunteers and our amazing Media Specialist Ms. Williams!



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WE DECLARE A PENNY WAR!

Did I hear ANYONE SAY!? MONEY! MONEY! MONEY!

Shout Out to Ms. Cruz for crafting the idea and helping Ms. Williams & The PTO with this fun filled week-long activity of Penny Wars! This could not have been done without the help of the Parents, Students, and Staff! We THANK YOU!

The goal was to raise enough money to purchase yearbooks for all 5th graders! We did just that, & we raised over \$1,200.00 towards the purchase. All grades were extremely competitive and great team players. However, the 5th graders came in 1st Place! Congratulations! BUT, we must report that the 3rd Graders brought their "A" game, totals were dollars off, so they came in 2nd Place! 4th Graders came in 3rd Place. All of our students are Champions, so each grade will be rewarded with a Movie, Popcorn & PJ's Day!

THANK YOU!



Members of the Rotary Club of Englewood recently visited our school and donated 380 copies of dictionaries to our 3rd and 4th graders! We are grateful for their generosity.



LOOKING FORWARD TO 2022!

We will resume Monthly PTO Meetings, Cultural Events, Host Enrichment Nights, Show Your School Spirit – Apparel Orders, Spring Bookfair & Picture Day, Teacher Appreciation, End of the Year Festivities...Dates will be provided on January's Newsletter.

"The more words you know, the more clearly and powerfully you will think... and the more ideas you will invite into your mind."

~ Wilfred Funk

HALLOWEEN BOO!

Special thanks to all the parents and friends who made our Halloween Trunk & Treat such a successful event. We danced, we ate, and the kids had a whole lot of fun! Congratulations to all the winners of the trunk show.



FREE READS!
EDUCATIONAL READING PROGRAM

January Session II

Join The Free R.E.A.D.S Project!
Accepting Applications for
Boys grades 3&4
&
Girls grades 4&5

JOIN US!!
READ EVERYDAY
AND DIVE INTO
STORIES!

Email us for more information!
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See you all in 2022!

Don't forget to sign up for the PTO! 😊