



THE FALCON'S NEST

PHELPS LUCK PTA NEWSLETTER



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January 2010

PTA Meeting

Please note that the PTA meeting for January will be held on Wed., January 13 in the Media Center. There will be an anti-bullying presentation at 6:30 p.m., followed by our monthly PTA meeting. All parents/guardians are welcome to join us.

2010 Science Fair

The Science Fair 2010 is April 15th. Information packets are currently posted on the PTA website with hard copies available in January. Don't feel like there is time to do a project? Then join us at one of the Science Fair Workshops. All the work needed to complete a Science Fair project can be done in one evening, March 1st or 2nd. Sign-up will begin toward the end of January. Space is limited. More detailed information to come.

The PTA Science Committee needs your help to judge science projects this year. Please consider helping judge on April 13 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Contact Lisa Strutz (slstrutz@verizon.net) for more info.

Book Fair Update

Thank you to everyone who came out in the snow and volunteered at the Barnes and Noble book fair and gift wrapping fundraiser on Saturday, December 5. Thank you especially to Ms. Rose and all the fabulous musicians from the PLES orchestra and to Ms. Akers, Ms. Doyle, Ms. Ottey, Ms. Andrew, and Ms. Brogan for reading during the story time. Your efforts really helped to make our book fair a festive and fun event for PLES families!

Mark your calendars now

Important January Dates

New Years Day, school closed	Jan. 1
Schools reopen	Jan. 4
Martin Luther King Jr. Day, school closed	Jan. 18
End of marking period, school closes 3 hours early	Jan. 22
Professional work day, school closed	Jan. 25

Important February Dates

Report cards issued	Feb. 3
Parent/teacher conferences, school closes 3 hours early	Feb. 10-11
Parent/teacher conference, school closed for students.	Feb. 12
President's Day, school closed	Feb. 15

PTA Executive Board Members

President	Paul Pechacek
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Secretary	Ronda Sapp
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PLES Daily Ritual / Affirmation

I stand tall! I stand tall! I take pride in my work, pride in my school, pride in my family, pride in myself! I will achieve! I will achieve!
I stand tall! I stand tall!