

HAINE PTO NEWSLETTER



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IMPORTANT NOVEMBER DATES

7th - HMS School Store

8th - HES School Store

9th - Banking 8:15-8:40 a.m.

9th - Veteran's Day Assembly

16th - PTO Meeting 9:15 a.m. (4th Grade Teacher's Lounge)

22nd-27th - Thanksgiving Break



PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Happy November Haine Families,

This month we celebrate our wonderful Custodians! Thank you to Troy, Steve and Dennis for helping at ALL of our PTO events. Working with them is always a pleasure.

Can you believe it's time to start thinking Holiday Shop?! The PTO has been thinking about it and working hard to get ready! We loved seeing all the kids shopping for family last year!

The Holiday Shop will again be during school hours and we are looking for some volunteers that like to SHOP! We will be posting the times as soon as possible. Even if you only have an hour, we need your help!

Don't forget about our new volunteer and membership system. Use the link below to join. Don't forget that you can always see what is going on at Haine via our new ONLINE directory under Events at <https://atozconnect.com>. Join PTO and be in the know!

Jody Mischik & Mary Cooley, Co-Presidents
president@hainepto.org

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are in **urgent** need of volunteers in the following areas:

School Store - one or two mornings each month.

Library Volunteers - there are 4 shifts daily (1 1/2 hours long) for the entire school year. Super flexible.

TAG - Specifically 1st, 3rd, 6th These kiddos are missing out on a great program that all the other grades are participating in. TAG is our Traveling Art Gallery.

Valentines Dance - Has a Leader, but needs committee members to help make this year successful again.

Gingerbread Houses - Help a 1st grader make Gingerbread Houses on Dec. 1st!

BINGO - Needs committee members and a Leader so that we don't lose this great and fun event.

Please visit <https://atozconnect.com> to see all available volunteer opportunities or email 1stvp@hainepto.org for more info

BOX TOPS

The fall Box Top contest raised \$1,450 for our schools!

Congratulations to the following classrooms:



Elementary

1. **Mrs. Blakley's** class turned in 1,085 box tops and won a classroom pretzel party. Mrs. Blakley received generously donated gift cards from Bravo and DiBella's Subs.
2. **Mrs. Drennan's** class turned in 909 box tops and won Wendy's frosty certificates.

Middle School

1. **Mr. Cammisa's** class turned in 465 box tops and won a classroom pretzel party. Mr. Cammisa received generously donated gift cards from Bravo and DiBella's Subs.
2. **Mrs. Rogozinski's** class turned in 394 box tops and won Wendy's frosty certificates.

Thank you for supporting Haine Box Tops! Keep clipping for our next contest beginning in February!

PTO TITBITS

PTO MEMBERS We'll periodically be holding drawings for PTO Members! In October we offered a \$25 gift card and the WINNER is Beth Lagamba! Congrats Beth, we will get your gift certificate to you. The class who had the most new member participation is Mrs. Anderson's class. They will win a class gift.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

If any of our Haine Elementary families still have used Pilgrim and Indian costumes from previous 1st grade Thanksgiving plays, email president@hainepto.org. We are trying to help families find free or low cost options. We do have information on this on our Facebook site as well!

HAINTEES All Haine Tees have been delivered! If you have any questions, please email hainetee@hainepto.org

SPIRIT NIGHTS New Spirit Nights are expected to be added soon! Check our website for updates!

PTO FUNDS AT WORK!

Have your kiddos told you? We have some new playground equipment for the Haine Elementary side! We received a brand new climbing slide to replace our old broken slide! The kids are absolutely thrilled with the new slide that allows them to climb and play while waiting their turn to slide!

A BIG "Thank You" to all that have helped the PTO with fundraising and events to raise the money to assist with these additions. We have been waiting since before Summer for these to come in for the kids to enjoy! Check out the photo on the next page!

STAFF APPRECIATION SPOTLIGHT

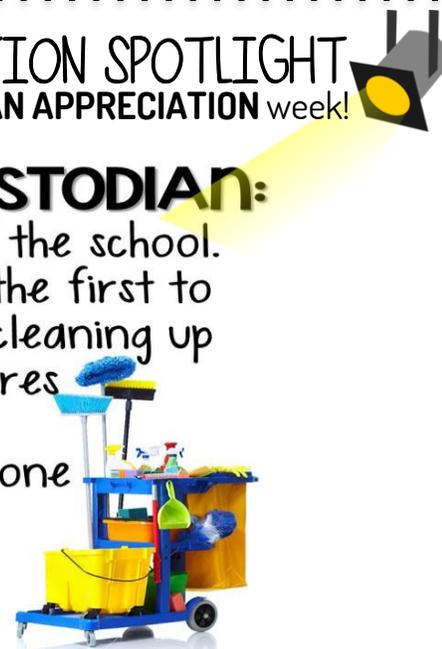
November 13-17 is **CUSTODIAN APPRECIATION** week!

SCHOOL CUSTODIAN:

The quiet hero of the school. They are always the first to arrive each day, cleaning up messes no one dares to touch and befriending everyone that passes by.

#schoolheroes

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PTO IN PICTURES

SV Pink Out for Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Red Ribbon Week and the ES's new Playground Slide!

