



PTA Paw Prints

London Towne
Elementary PTA
Newsletter

We Owe YOU our Thanks!!



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The PTA had an incredibly successful month of March due to the hard work and dedication of our many volunteers!! We know how very fortunate we are to have so many people choose to spend their time helping us and we wanted to extend a special **Thank You** to **ALL** of our volunteers!

- € Our Celebration of the Arts was a tremendous success! The children were able to display their art throughout the school thanks to the tireless work of the folks who made and hung the displays.
- € Spirit Night at McDonald's was another fantastic accomplishment for our staff and volunteers. Our winners were Sra. Arzola's and Mrs. Garant's classes.
- € The LTES Dance was a wonderful evening for all who attended! Thanks to everyone who worked behind the scenes for our families to enjoy such a spectacular event. A special *Thank You* to Carla Ryder for baking all 300 cupcakes for our guests!
- € Once again, our volunteers made the Book Fair an incredible success! From those who set up, worked during the day and the evening, to those who packed it up, we thank you.
- € And another special *Thank You* to our LTES Staff for our best Curriculum Night ever!!

We can't thank our volunteers and staff enough!!



PTA Calendar:

April 14th— Spirit Night Chick-Fil-A

April 19th—23rd—Secretaries Appreciation Week

**April 20th—PTA Meeting, 7 P.M.
Library**

**May 22nd—International Festival and
Fun Fair**

Green School Project

LTES is raising money by collecting all makes and models of used printer, fax, and toner cartridges, as well as cell phones. Please help us (and the environment) by turning in your empty cartridges and cell phones to our collection box. It is located near the school lobby, just before the Kindergarten hall, on the right, next to the music classroom. Look for the signs.



Box Tops Contest

The winning class will again receive a **Pump It Up Party** so start bringing in the **Box Tops** right away! Prizes will be awarded for **Second & Third Place** as well!

Hurry! The contest ends April 30.

Mrs. Kirk's class at their Pump It Up party!



CONGRATULATIONS Science Fair Winners!!!

OVERALL WINNER K-2ND

Lucy LaCroix

OVERALL WINNER 3rd- 6th

Holly Hunt

First Place Winners

Kindergarten: Andrew Caputo

1st Grade: Lucy LaCroix

2nd Grade: Sarah MacNamara

3rd Grade: Andrew Gantzer

4th Grade: Taranvir Kooner

5th Grade: Holly Hunt

6th Grade: Daniel Shank-Rowe

Second Place Winners

Kindergarten: Rosie Johnson

1st Grade: Yujun Park

2nd Grade: Nicholas Sanchez

3rd Grade: Nichole Hammond

4th Grade: Alex MacNamara

5th Grade: Juan Rossi

6th Grade: Jose Ortega

Third Place Winners

Kindergarten: Sophia Nortz

1st Grade: Aaron Chang

2nd Grade: James Johnson

3rd Grade: James Caputo

4th Grade: Maddie Eger

5th Grade: Natalie Caputo

6th Grade: Shad Khan

Thank you to everyone who participated!! And thank you staff for your help judging and encouraging your students!!



Southwest Regional Planning Committee Update

The Committee has finished the first two phases of their work and now it is your turn. FCPS is planning to hold four Community Engagement Focus Groups in order to share the ideas of the Committee and to hear *YOUR* ideas. Please attend one of the following meetings to learn more about the challenges facing our portion of Fairfax County and what your representatives have come up with for *possible* solutions:

- € 4/13/10 Robinson Secondary, Blue Cafeteria
- € 4/15/10 Chantilly High School Cafeteria
- € 4/19/10 Stone Middle School Cafeteria
- € 4/20/10 Centreville High School Cafeteria

All meetings are scheduled for 7-9 P.M. Please check www.fcps.edu for additional information and to sign up to attend or post a question of your own.

Community Note: Baskin Robbins, Saint Germaine Drive, will have 31 cent scoop night on April 28, from 5—10 PM. Eight fire trucks will also be on hand for this fun event!

**Our Lost & Found is
OUT OF CONTROL!!!**
Please stop by the back hallway to pick up your child's missing item!!

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