

Rockaway Borough Home & School Association Newsletter

September / October 2008 Edition

Home & School Association 2008 / 2009

Diane Musser - Co-President
Liz Hartwig - Co-President
Patti Marvin - Treasurer
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HSA Updates... and the winners are:

Adrienne Heasty, Sara Robinson, Ashley Rounsaville



They were the winners of the RBHSA 2008 Scholarship. Each girl received \$1,000.00 from the H.S.A.
Congratulations!

Fall Fund-raiser 2008

We were able to raise approximately \$8,000.00 this year. **Delivery is Oct. 23rd from 3-6 pm @ TJ cafeteria.** Please make arrangements to pick up your order at that time. We need volunteers to help with the pick up day. Please call Liz Hartwig at 973-664-9163 or Diane Musser at 973-586-3752 if you can help. Thank you for your support!

Fund Raiser Class Winners this year:

Mrs. Yobs - PM kindergarten - Lincoln
Mrs. Golden - Lincoln
Miss Schumacher - Lincoln
Mrs. Fowler - Lincoln
Mrs. Izzo - TJ
Mrs. Milite - TJ



These classes had at least 50% participation and will receive an ice cream party and each teacher will receive a \$50.00 gift certificate to Cherrydale Farms.
Thank you to everyone who participated!

Election Day Bake Sale



Don't forget to vote and to stop by the 4th Annual Election Day Bake Sale! November 4th in the TJ School lobby, 6:00 am 'til the goodies are gone! Please contact Brenda Budd at 973-625-4237 or at BAB364@aol.com if you would like to help or bake.

Mini-Grants Approved

September Meeting

- to purchase Bean Bags for Physical Education
- to purchase Cross Country T-shirts
- to purchase a Locking Storage cabinet to store Lego Kits and Software

October Meeting

- to help students to attend the Willow Tree camp weekend
- to help pay for a parent volunteer attend the Willow Tree camp
- Frederick Douglas Program

Are you a member of the H.S.A.?

The 2008 Membership Drive has begun. Please show your support by joining the H.S.A. The cost is \$10.00 per family. Your membership entitles you to voting privileges and our annual Family Fun Night! Forms have been sent home. You can also find it on our web site www.RBHSA.net or in the school office. The drive ends on December 6th. Please call Liz Hartwig - 973-664-9163 if you have any questions.



Do you want to be on the HSA e-mail list? Please let Brenda Budd know at BAB364@aol.com.



Support the HSA

H.S.A. throughout the year at no cost to you?

* **Box Tops for Education**

Please make sure to clip and send in your box tops with your child. Collection boxes can be found throughout the schools.

* **Tyson Labels**

They can be sent to the office to be put in the HSA mailbox or given to Russ Greuter.

* **Target's Take Charge of Education**

You can earn money for the H.S.A. by using your Target Red card. Go to www.Target.com/tcoe and enroll now! You can find directions on the H.S.A. web site.

* **Potbelly's Riverside Café**

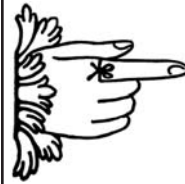
On Mondays and Tuesdays Potbelly's will donate 10% of your bill to our schools. Just mention to your server that you are with Rockaway Borough Schools. This applies for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Winter Wonderland

It's never too early to start thinking about Winter... The Winter Wonderland December 6 @ T.J. School from 10:00am - 3:00pm. This is a very busy day so we can use as much help as possible. You can sign up at the next H.S.A. meeting if you would like to volunteer. Volunteer forms will also be sent home soon. Please contact Diane Musser - 586-3752 or Liz Hartwig - 664-9163 if you have any questions.



Don't forget about your Tricky Tray donation...



The Tricky Tray has become a big part of the Winter Wonderland and we're counting on you to send in your class donations by Friday, Nov. 21st. Theme lists have been sent home or you can find them on the H.S.A. web site. Please call Alyssa Manno - 973-784-3015 or Vicki Scholtz - 973-625-1806 with any questions.

Door Prize Winners

September

Valerie Williams

October

Chris Radzai and
Christine Catalano

Many Thanks!

The Home and School Association would like to thank the following people:

Vicki Scholtz and Alyssa Manno for the many years they volunteered their time on the H.S.A. board.

Joyce Shuckman, Vicki Scholtz, Carol Kurceski, Maureen Sobierajski, and Dana Ball for helping on Back To School Night.

The new teachers who attended and introduced themselves at our October meeting:

Nicole Petrozzo - 2nd grade, **Monica Koerner** - 5th grade LAL, and **Lisa Beluzzi** - Behaviorist. Welcome!

Penny Creighton and LeeAnn Pratt and their book fair volunteers.

Carol Rogers for her help with tallying the orders for the Fall Fund-raiser.

Thank you to all of our wonderful volunteers!