

Rockaway Boro Home and School Association



September/October 2007



Home and School Association 2007/2008:

Vicki Scholtz-co president
Diane Musser -co president
Pattie Marvin -treasurer
Brenda Budd -secretary
Alyssa Manno-corresponding
secretary

H.S.A. Updates

.....and the winners are:

Nicole Taylor, Bria Rose, and Alyssa Kennedy. They were the winners of the RBHSA 2007 scholarship. Each girl received \$1000. from the HSA. Congratulations!

.....It's Finally Here!

On Sept. 15th members of the HSA, Board of Ed., faculty, and parents helped assemble the new "Rock Wall" at Lincoln School playground. It turned out to be a very successful build and we're sure the kids will enjoy it. We hope to add on in the future!

.....Welcome Arrivals in the First Grade.



The new Smart Boards that the HSA helped fund were installed in the 1st grade classes over the summer.!

Fall Book Fair 2007!

It was a blizzard of books this year at the book fair. The sales were up this year. The HSA was happy to give each teacher \$50 worth of books or materials for their class. Thank you for your support!

Fall Fundraiser 2007

The HSA is happy to announce another successful fall fundraiser! We were able to raise nearly \$10,000 this year Delivery is Oct.29 3-6:00pm @TJ cafeteria. Please make arrangements to pick up your order at that time.

Fund Raiser Class winners this year:

Mrs. Fowler-Lincoln school
Mrs. Percelay-T.J. school
Mrs. Medore-T.J. school
Each class wins a party for their participation!
If you would like to help with delivery please contact Diane Musser 586-3752.. Thank you for your support!

ELECTION DAY BAKE

Don't forget to vote and to stop by the HSA 3rd Annual Election Day Bake Sale! November 6th in the T.J. School lobby.—6:00 am 'til the goodies are gone. Please contact Brenda Budd if you would like to help or bake.

Mini Grants Approved

Two Mini grants were awarded:

- to help fund students to attend the Willow Tree camp weekend.
- to purchase mini photo albums for the kindergarten class.

Want to be on the HSA email list?
Please let Brenda Budd know at
BAB364@aol.com.

WANTED: Book Fair chairperson!

The HSA is currently looking for someone to take over as co chair for the book fair. If you are interested please contact Vicki Scholtz 625-1806 or Diane Musser 586-3752. We're hoping to find a volunteer ASAP to help with the planning of future book fairs.

Are you a member of the HSA?

The 2007 Membership Drive has begun. Please show your support by joining the HSA. It's \$10 per family. Your membership entitles you to voting privileges and family fun night! Forms have been sent home. You can also find it on our website or in the school office. The drive ends Dec. 1st. Please call Vicki Scholtz 625-1806 if you have any questions.

The new "Rambos" are here!

Ram mascots are available at school store. They are available in 2 sizes:
Mini "clip" mascots \$4.00
plush mascots \$8.00

*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.

SUPPORT THE HSA

Did you know that there are many ways to support the HSA throughout the year with no additional cost to you.....

***Box Tops for Education:**

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***Shop Rite Gift Certificates:**

The HSA gets back 5% on all cards sold. Please see the attached form for more info

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

You can earn money for the HSA by using your Target Red card. Go to www.target.com and enroll now! You can find directions on the HSA website.

*New this year.....

***Wednesday is Italia II Day:**

The HSA along with Italia II have made Wednesdays special. Just mention Rockaway Boro Home and School Association when you order on Wednesdays and Italia II will donate 10% of the first \$500 sold. Please see attached form.

Winter Wonderland

It's never too early to start thinking about Winter.....The Winter Wonderland December 1 @ T.J. School 10am -3:00pm.. This is a very busy day so we can use as much help as possible. You can sign up at the next HSA meeting if you would like to help. Volunteer forms will also be sent home soon! Please contact Vicki Scholtz 625-1806 or Diane Musser 586-3752 if you have any questions

Many Thanks

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

*Emil Suarez, Pat Tierny, Russ Perry, Vicki Scholtz, Cris Tuhy, Leo Yanas, Jerry & Diane Musser, Joe Vicente, Jim Leslie, Craig Predmore, Ed Pico, Joe McConnell for their help with building the rock wall and Brenda Budd for the refreshments.

*Dana Ball and Carol Johnson for the many years they volunteered their time being on the HSA board.

*Carol Kurceski, Maureen Sobierajski, Dana Ball, Valerie Williams, Chris Cicotti, and Liz Hartwig for helping on Back To School Night.

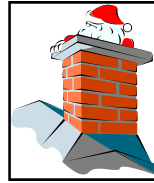
*The new 3rd grade teachers Miss Marrero and Miss Telep for introducing themselves at the Oct. meeting.

*Jean Swanick, LeeAnn Pratt and their book fair volunteers: Russ Grueter, Cynthia Connington, Carol Rogers, Patti Marvin, Peggy Cairo, Julie McBride, Johnine Chan, Barb Sexton, Kay Vicente, Chris Ulinski, Debbie McNally, Eileen Haynes, Chris Catalano, Margaret Lenahan, Andrea Varelli, Kathy VanSaders, J, Jody Kelly, Valerie Williams, Paula Buonaro, Carol Kurceski, Brenda Budd, Tracy Walls, Liane Yanas, Bindu Shah

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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 Nov. 16th Theme lists have been sent home or you can find your class theme on the HSA web site. Please call Vicki Scholtz 625-1806 or Alyssa Manno 973-784-3015 if you have any questions. Don't forget we will gladly accept any other donations you might have besides class donations. They can be dropped off in the school office. Thank you!



Door Prize winners:

September.-Jen Doty & Jean Swanick

October- Jean Swanick

Next Meeting: Nov.7 TJ cafeteria @7:30