



# Castle PTO Pages

## This Month at John H. Castle Elementary School

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

**November 16**

Fundraising Assembly

**November 21 - 25**

Thanksgiving Break

**December 3 - 14**

Giving Tree Collection

**December 4**

PTO Meeting

Cafeteria 9:00 a.m.

**December 21 -**

**January 2**

Christmas Break

**January 8**

PTO Meeting

Cafeteria 9:00 a.m.

### FALL FUNDRAISER

The fall fundraiser has come to an end and we would like to thank everyone who donated and helped raise over \$10,000!



The funds raised will provide a more secure check-in system and add additional safety features at the school.

This Friday, November 16, we will host a fundraising assembly where a safety monitor and class winners will be announced.

Thank you again for joining hands for safety!

Molly Ralph & Dana Mintline, fundraising co-chairs

### FALL BOX TOP COLLECTION RESULTS

Our Fall Box Top collection was a huge success! We collected 12,600 Box Tops, which equals \$1,260 for the PTO. Our winners were as follows:

#### Winning Classes\*

Kindergarten – Ms. Gurtcheff

1st Grade – Mrs. Ringwall

2nd Grade – Mrs. Sanford

3rd Grade – Mrs. Barnes

4th Grade – Mrs. Larramore

5th Grade – Mr. McAtee

\*These classes won a popcorn & movie party!

#### Winning Teachers

Mrs. Sanford and Mrs. Barnes received a \$50 Walmart gift card to use for their classroom.



#### Individual Winners\*

Box Top King – Aslan Ozses

Box Top Queen – Olivia Mitsdarffer

\*These students earned an extra recess for their class!

Thank you to our students, parents, and teachers for making the fall collection successful. Keep saving Box Tops for our spring collection!

Layne Springer, Box Top chair



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## GIVING TREE

We will have a "Giving Tree" at school this year for our Christmas community service project.

For this project, we will collect hygiene supplies to donate to CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) of Warrick County to hand out to its families.



Please look for more information to come home with your student near the end of November.

## SPRING CARNIVAL

The school year is flying by! Believe it or not, we are already thinking about our Spring Carnival.



We have a few Spring Carnival committees in need of a chairperson and will need a ton of help to make it as successful as it always is.

If you are interested in helping, please contact Lori Simpson at [lassns@gmail.com](mailto:lassns@gmail.com) or Amanda Herrmann at [theherrmann4@gmail.com](mailto:theherrmann4@gmail.com).

## FALL SPIRIT WEAR

Fall Spirit Wear was sent home Friday.

If you have any issues, please contact Amanda Herrmann at 812.483.5860 or Lori Simpson at 812.598.0579.

## BIRTHDAY BOOK CLUB

By the end of next week, all students that purchased books to donate to the library through the Birthday Book Club will have had a chance to check out their books before the books are put into regular circulation.



Thank you to everyone who participated!

## LEFTOVER CANDY?

Do you have leftover Halloween candy that you want out of your house? Mrs. Mattingly is happy to take any individually-wrapped suckers, smarties, or sweet tarts off your hands to be used as rewards for students that reach their AR goal.



## FALL PARTIES

Thank you to all of the parents who planned the classroom fall parties, donated items, and/or volunteered. The kids had a great time!



Happy Birthday to the faculty and staff with a birthday during the month of November!

2 Jennifer Sandusky  
2 Jennifer Sozio  
2 Julia Gaylord  
4 Kathy Howard  
15 Amanda Newlin

16 Marla Hammel  
16 Nicole Mattingly  
19 Ashley Gaitan  
29 Tiffany Porter

