# NEWS FROM YOUR EMMA K. DOUB PTA

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# THANK-YOU, THANK-YOU, THANK-YOU!

A very special thank you to parent Al Shafer for serving as our Valentine Dance DJ. We had about 200 students, parents, siblings, and staff members turn out for what we hope becomes an annual school-wide event. We all had fun watching students get their groove on!

PTA concessions sold during the dance will go toward a fund to bring more technology to our school. Our goals include putting a Promethean board in every classroom and purchasing additional I Pads for students.



Thank-you also to our volunteers who sold and delivered Heart to Heart grams. In this first year fundraising effort, the staff and students raised more than \$300 dollars for the American Heart Association. WOW!

CONGRATULATIONS to our first and second graders for their Winter Program "Flakes." We applaud their efforts and appreciate our parent volunteers who served juice and cookies that night!

**DO YOU BEST** – 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students on your upcoming MSA tests in math and reading. We know you are well prepared. Your PTA is rooting you on to success! Take a deep breath, relax, and show us what you know! Good Luck also to our school's three Destination Imagination Teams and our two Battle of the Books teams heading into their March competitions. These students have been preparing for many months!



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### PTA OFFICERS NEEDED NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

It's time to start planning for the 2012-2013 Executive PTA Board, and we are losing two of our current board members to middle school. We are seeking candidates for Vice President and Treasurer. Please contact President Tara Woiccak for more information. Tara.woiccak@citi.com or (301) 582-4549.

## LEITERSBURG CINEMAS

Don't forget to use your Emma K Doub punch card while visiting the Leitersburg Cinema. Each time you use the card, the school earns money and you earn your way toward a free popcorn and movie ticket. More punch cards are available from the PTA.

**five BEEW** Our partnership with 5 Below has ended for this school year. Overall, we earned \$50 in "free" money from Emma K Doub community members who shopped at the store and mentioned EKD at check-out. AWESOME! Every dollar makes a difference!

## **BOX TOPS**

Collecting Box Tops is a year-long campaign, so please keep clipping and keep those Box Tops coming! Remember – our school receives 10 cents for each valid Box Top. It doesn't cost a penny to participate!



### FAMILY FUN NIGHTS

February family fun nights were a super success!

We earned \$95 from Burger King sales. No total available yet from Chic-Fil-A but we had a great turn-out and lots of children spinning the .50 cent prize wheel where 100% of proceeds went to the PTA!

FAMILY FUN NIGHTS			
Bob Evans, Dual Highway	March	TBA	
Friendly's	4/17/2012	Tuesday	4:00-8:00 pm

### LOOKING AHEAD...

In the spring, the PTA will put on a book fair, sponsor a school-wide Science Assembly, and help support an author visit for our students.

Plans are also in the works for a Family Movie night. Stay tuned for more detailed information. Your support makes all of these exciting events possible. Please get involved. All PTA events are also listed on the online calendar... An easy way to stay informed.

Next PTA Executive Board Mtg. Thurs 03/01 @ 3:30pm ALL WELCOME!

