

Lake Travis Elementary PTA

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October 2017



First PTA Meeting

You're invited to our first PTA General Meeting of the 2017-2018 school year **TONIGHT, Tuesday, October 3rd, 6pm**, in the LTE Cafeteria. Fourth and fifth graders will perform! *Joanna Hess, President*, jrhess1@sbcglobal.net

Join Us for Donuts with Dads

Dads come have a donut with your student on **Thursday, October 5th 8:15-8:45 am**. Donuts, coffee & water provided by the PTA. Donations will be accepted at the event. To RSVP fill out the form in Tuesday folders, or use this link: <https://goo.gl/forms/iTEAMX8lheusRIGJ2> Please respond by Oct. 2nd
LeAnna Hart, Programs Chair, leanna1979@gmail.com

Fall Renaissance Carnival and Silent Auction

THANK YOU to all parents, volunteers, student volunteers from HBMS and LTHS, sponsors, and LTE teachers and staff for making Carnival a fantastic day! A special thank you to our Carnival Team, the PTA Board, The Watch Dog Dads, Jessica Blair and Angela Frankhouser. If you would like to sponsor next year's carnival, or participate on the 2018 carnival committee, please contact *Simone Gonzalez, Carnival Chair*, simoneaustingonzalez@gmail.com

Calling All Creative Bakers and Treat-makers!

The PTA will provide the LTE teachers and staff with a fun treat this month, and we need your help! On **Friday, October 27th**, we need volunteers to bring a Halloween or Fall themed snack or dessert to share with our fa-boo-lous teachers and staff. If you are able to help, please sign up on the Volunteers tab of the LTE PTA website.
Magda Barreda, Hospitality Chair, mjbarreda21@hotmail.com

How Do I Volunteer?

There are many opportunities listed on the "Volunteer" tab of lte.my-pta.org, such as Library help, School Store, and Vision and Hearing Screenings. Note: Don't forget to log your volunteer hours. Our school gets additional funding based on your volunteer hours. Go to the "Volunteer" tab on our website to log. *Katie Brisendine, Volunteer Coordinator*, ktbris1526@gmail.com

Volunteer of the Month: Tony Carreon

Tony can be found regularly volunteering at LTE in numerous ways. He is very involved in the school as a Watch Dog Dad and organizes Dogs w/ Dads who cook and sell hotdogs at the school carnival. Tony has also assisted in cleaning out closets and organizing the volunteer storage room. We appreciate all your time and dedication!

Staff Member of the Month: Veronica Ramirez

Veronica is a member of the fabulous FANS team at LTE and is an integral part of our campus. She is also the proud parent of a 5th grade Squire! Veronica is a positive force every day she comes to work. A star on Broadcast, Veronica leads the cafeteria staff in wonderful, zany skits about our lunch menu that our students and staff absolutely love. Veronica applied to the Scholastic Book Clubs' \$1.75 MILLION GIVEAWAY to support classroom libraries. Veronica's application was chosen from more than 82,000 entries. **As a result, Veronica won \$500 and 500 Bonus Points from Scholastic to spend on the classroom library!** Veronica is a hero, and we appreciate her for ALL she does!

****Upcoming Events****

- 10/3- PTA General Meeting
- 10/5- Donuts with Dads
- 10/6 - School Store
- 10/18 – Spirit Night-Hat Creek Burger Company
- 10/20 - School Store
- 10/27 - Treats for Teachers

How Else Can I Help?

Box Tops- Please keep collecting your Box Tops and turn them in to your child's teacher. All money collected from Box Tops is used towards recess toys. The class from each grade level with the most Box Tops will receive a prize!

Do you shop on Amazon? Try **Amazon Smile**, which allows portions of some Amazon purchases to be donated to LTE PTA! It's so easy! Simply go to <http://smile.amazon.com>, and logon as you usually would to Amazon.com. When prompted to 'pick your own charitable organization', select **PTA Lake Travis Elementary**.

Make sure to register at lte.my-pta.org to view additional information, stay updated, and sign up to volunteer.