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"Where Life is Good!"

PTG News!

Thanks to all who attended the September meeting of the PTG. We have started some great planning to support Pittston School this year. Our meeting minutes will be posted on the msad11.org website throughout the year.

Our first fundraiser of the year will be Meadow Farms. We have used Meadow Farms in the past because they have great quality items. Packets will go home with students on September 25th.

Our next fundraiser is the semi-annual Cropfest, which is scheduled for October 18th, (9-4). This is an all day scrapbooking event where you can learn new techniques and get caught up on your scrapbook projects. Registration forms will be going home with students next week. The event is open to anyone interested. So please pass on to your friends and family.

Other ongoing fundraisers will be Hannaford Helps schools program, Box Tops for Education, Campbell's Labels for Education and Red Sox Tops.

If anyone has a slightly used Pittston School t-shirt that they are willing to donate back to us, please let us know. We are going to resell them at a "slightly used" price.

The next PTG meeting is scheduled for October 1st at 6:00 p.m. in the school library.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

Melissa Porter (582-0880)
Angi Manter (588-0123)
Vickie Hebert (582-8929)
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If your child will not be coming to school please call us at 582-6268. If you would prefer to email, our addresses are:
jpelletier@msad11.org(W-F)
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Early Release
9/17/08
Students will be dismissed at
12:30 pm.

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Guidance Groups for Students

Elementary school Guidance counselors will soon be starting small group counseling sessions for students in grades Kindergarten through grade five. There are four offerings for groups at this time: Friendship; Grief and Loss; Divorce and Family Change; and Social Skills (empathy, impulse control/problem solving, anger management).

Students are eligible to participate in these groups if they are experiencing difficulty that is impacting their learning in school or their social and emotional well being. Sign up sheets will not be coming home with students this year; instead we ask that you refer your child by contacting the school and leaving a message for the Guidance Counselor. Please feel free to call with questions or for more information about these groups. And, as always, please call us about any concerns you have about your child(ren).

Joan Tourtelotte
School Guidance Counselor



For the safety of our students please remember to stop in the office for a visitors pass when visiting our school. Thank you!

Picture Day is September 9th! Information will be coming home this week!!! Any questions call 582-6268.

