

PEREGRINE FLYER

PLEASANT GARDEN ELEMENTARY

June 7, 2012



FAREWELL MESSAGE FROM OUR 2011-2012 PTA PRESIDENT

Dear PGE parents and staff,

Thank you for the support you have given to the PTA this year. The time you have invested in your school will not be wasted. PGE has some awesome people that have gone above and beyond to make this year successful. While serving as PTA President or on the PTA, I have made new friends, learned many valuable lessons and have some good memories to take to middle school. I wish you the very best for years to come.

*Sincerely,
Ann Shreve*

Dates to Note:

6/7, 5-10 pm: Family Night at Andy's

6/8: First Day of Summer Break



8/23, 5-7 pm:
Open House

8/27: First day of school

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PTA BOARD FOR 2012-2013!!



Executive Committee:

President – Joy Martin

Vice President (parent rep) – Jen Rose

Vice President (staff rep) – Brandi Edmundson

Secretary – Aurelia Wolosion

Treasurer – Holly Moser

Chairpersons:

Awards – Alyssa Harris

Box Tops/Campbell's Labels – Jen Rose

Communications – Carrie Mitchell

Hospitality – Kim Sudderth

Membership – Kathryn Bowers and Sharon Collins

Reflections – Vicky Amidon

Spirit Wear – Denise Henderson

Sunshine – Sharon Collins

Volunteer Coordinator – Alice Pawlik

Ways and Means – Tracy Walrond

Webmaster/Facebook – Sharon Collins

We still have the following committee chairs available:

Advocacy/Legislative, Beautification, Fall/Spring Festival, Health & Safety, and Nominating. If you have any questions or would like to be on a committee, please contact us at ptapge@gmail.com.



News from the Art Department

CONGRATULATIONS to Jayla Miller, Morgan Marley, Alyssa Isenhour, Victoria Simmons, Blair Cleavenger, and Lauren Travis. Their art work was chosen to hang at the new Guilford Transit Authority Building. They have even been framed by GTA !! They are throwing a huge GRAND OPENING Celebration in honor of their new building at 223 W. Meadowview Road, Greensboro, on Friday, June 22 from 3 to 6 pm. The artwork will be on display and they will also have food, face painting, music, and other fun things going on!



Also congratulations to Anna Naylor, Kelsey Skopelitis, and Brett Shreve on their entries into the Project EverGreen Art of GreenSpaces Contest. Kelsey's 2nd place work, "Beautiful Mountains", earned \$50 for our Art Department, and Brett's work, "Flying Free", earned another \$25.

Artist Mariana Pardy and the GreenHill Arts Center of Greensboro sponsored a 4th grade workshop with the children this year. After the children decorated a small clay piece, Ms. Pardy then added their clay to the "Tree-of-Life" clay sculptural piece she was building. She then donated the beautiful "Tree-of-Life" to PGES. The workshop kept the students mesmerized by her stories of growing up in Mexico and carrying-on a family tradition in clay. Her work can be seen on the internet at: <http://hispanicartsinitiative.org/artist-spotlight/mariana-rodriguez-pardy/>. The clay "tree" is on display here at PGES.

Notes from the Music Department

It has been a wonderful year in music this year at Pleasant Garden. The students have done a great job on all of the programs this year. I would like to thank the PTA for all of your support to the music programs.

The fifth grade students performed today at their award/graduation day. They sung three songs and the black belt recorder players played a song too. This is always a wonderful day of celebration.



MUSEP at Hagan Stone Park on 6/24

I hope everyone has a restful summer. Please try to enjoy some musical programs offered this summer. A great one is Music for a Sunday Evening in the Park (MUSEP). It is free to all and is sponsored by the Greensboro Cultural Arts Center.

THINGS TO DO THIS SUMMER

FUNFrenzy Camp with Mr. B still open...



Mr. B is still accepting applicants for FUN Frenzy 2012 at Hagan Stone Park. This week long camp is filled with fun games, activities, and learning experiences that will kick your summer off with a bang. The camp will operate from June 18th-June 22nd from 8:30 am-1:00 pm and costs \$ 100. If you have a 3rd-5th grader who would like to attend, please contact Mr. B at 674-4321 or by email at brundac@gcsnc.com.

Summer Sailing Classes

for kids age 10-15!

Location: Lake Townsend Marina in Bryan Park, Greensboro, NC

Taught by members of the Lake Townsend Yacht Club, in cooperation with the City of Greensboro Parks and Recreation department

Cost: \$110 includes 21 hours of instruction plus a t-shirt

To register: registration form available at www.laketownsendyachtclub.com. On the home page see the ACTIVITIES section at left; under ACTIVITIES click the JUNIOR SAILING link to bring up the junior sailing class schedule and registration information. Note: these classes fill up, so register sooner, not later. Questions? Email Bill Young, LTYC Junior Sailing Director, at woyoung@triad.rr.com.



TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

PTA sponsored a very special lunch hour catered by K&W for all teachers and staff during teacher appreciation week, May 7th-11th. Also, some of the teachers and staff were able to take advantage of the chair massages or reflexology provided by Alderman Massage. We hope our teachers and staff know how much we appreciate them ALL!

“WE THINK GREEN” CONTEST



Thank you for bringing in your plastic bags for the Harris Teeter “We think Green” contest! We collected 101 (30-gallon) bags full of plastic bags. Unfortunately we did not collect enough to receive a prize. The 5th place school collected 112 (30-gallon) bags and the 1st place school collected 919 (30-gallon) bags. Although we didn’t win a prize, we should feel very good about how many bags we kept out of the landfill.

Congratulations to our Good Citizens

We recognized the following students on 4/25 for displaying SELF-DISCIPLINE:



We recognized the following students on 5/30 for displaying PERSEVERANCE:

Kindergarten

Hall – Michael Blackwell
 Gray – Matthew Edwards & Kayden Martello
 Tucker – Kadence Martin

1st

Haisman – Paris Turner & Amiah Aiken
 Decker – Taylor Oliver & Skyler Cheek
 Holeman – Mayra Mosquesda & Ryan Brown
 Bass – Shakayla Ballard-Wilhite & Reagan Marley

2nd

Hogewood – Hannah Sizemore & Abby Rice
 Moore – Zoe Rumley & Jaylynn Padgett
 Yourse – Sophie Taylor & Sam McNabb
 Sherrill – Hollynn Johnson & Trevoughn Outen

3rd

Rierson – Shayne Welborn & Cameron Fordham
 Gardner - Joshua Bryant & Nick Grubb
 Fann – Kevin Marley & Sofia Dimidio
 Reece – Emily Moore & Morgan Marley

4th

Skopelitis – Matthew Bruscano & Maggie Weatherly
 Edmundson – Dylan Anderson & Miya Terry
 Austin – Faith Lumban & Garrett McCollum
 Mitchell – August Little & Bryson Hamlet

5th

Murphy – Sharia Flack & Joshua Vickrey
 Pegram – Atticus Bates & Jaylan Saunders
 Cole – Stacia Roth & David Sizemore

Kindergarten

Hall – Dre Ray & Skye Harrell
 Gray – Delana Collins & Zachary Bass
 Tucker – Phoebe Clutter & Riley Leclerc

1st

Haisman/ Ferguson – Tyler Sloan
 Decker – Cooper Ryan & Nathan Underwood
 Holeman – Caressa Jones & Ethan Hedrick
 Bass – Hailey Brannock & Jamieez Carter

2nd

Hogewood – Adriana Krajan & Luke Pawlik
 Moore – Ralph Saleeby & Madison Levett
 Yourse – Ashley Robinson, Nathan Flanagan, Hayden Harrell, & Branson Marley
 Sherrill – Taylor Cotie & Riley Carter

3rd

Rierson – Anna Whitt & Dominique Tasker
 Gardner - Colleen Plummer & Sam McNeill
 Fann – Olivia Roberts & Austin Banks
 Reece – Hannah Brown and Brooklyn Pinyan

4th

Skopelitis – Aidan Cady & Trevon Hayes
 Edmundson – Griffin Presnell & Matthew Johnson
 Austin – Catylyn Craven & Ethan Coltrane
 Mitchell – Anna Naylor & Melissa Pratt - Harris

5th

Murphy – Alexander Brown & Addison Earles
 Pegram – Sydney Murray & Bryson Stephens
 Cole – Cameron Metz & Elizabeth Drake
 Triplett – Jadon Scott & Justice Taylor

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Thanks to our Beach Day sponsors....

Clapp's Nursing Center, Pleasant Garden United Methodist Church, JL Furnishings East, Dr. B. Scott Walrond, Tim Murray Electric Company, Backyard Grill, Angelia's Pizza, Carolina Sports, Pleasant Garden Drug Store, D&D Asphalt Paving & Trucking, Salon Delight, Carolina Diesel Repair, Fantasy Limousines, Your Signs on Time, Corum Greenhouse, REDDI-JON, and anonymous donors in honor of PGE teachers.

We would also like to thank Rhonda Skopelitis for being the driving force behind this event, Robert & Vickie Patillo for their help and support, as well as Ted Ash & Angie Becker with the Southeast Gators for providing the food. It was a wonderful event for the PG community!

Thanks to you, the PGE PTA raised over \$23,000 this year to support our students and teachers...

World's Finest Chocolate Sale~ \$9,592.76

Cookie Dough Sales~ \$5,351.20

Fall Festival~ \$3,000.00

Andy's Night~ \$1,460.00

BoxTops~ \$3,630.83

McTeacher night~ \$350.00

Terracycle~ Over \$266.26 (We even received 1000 free points, or \$20, in April for collecting the most in the STATE!)

Yo-yo's Night~ \$125.00

Remember that you can easily help raise money for PGES over the summer through the following programs...

~ Collect Box Tops, Labels for Education, and drink pouches.

~ Link your MVP and VIC cards to PGES online or in the stores (Food Lion MVP~ #214102, Harris Teeter VIC~ #2857)



~ Donate your Coke Rewards points.

~ Use goodsearch.com to search and shop online.

Congratulations to our 3rd quarter Box Top winning classes: Lord, Gray, Decker, Yourse, Mitchell, Pegram, and Triplett; as well as to 4th quarter winning classes: Lord, Ferguson, Hogewood, Gardner, Mitchell, Murphy, and Triplett.



And finally, many thanks to our Pleasant Garden Elementary 2011-2012 PTA Board for a wonderful year...



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