



Fountain Hills Charter School



PTO "Eagle" News

JANUARY 2013

Important Dates:

1/18 – Early release
 1/21 – No School
 1/26 – Dog Show
 2/16 – Poker Tournament
 2/22 – Winter Box Top collection drive ends
 2/28 – Silent Auction & Change Truck
 3/23 – FHCS Garage Sale

PTO Meetings

3rd Wed each Month
 El Pueblo Campus
 3:30 – 4:15
 Upcoming meetings:
 February 20
 March 20

Check us out on the Web!

www.fhcspto.org

Questions?
 Comments?
 Volunteer?

Contact us at:

pto@fhcspto.org

PTO Officers:

President:
 Caroline Prelog
 Co-Vice Presidents:
 Lynn Holland
 Heather Baldwin
 Treasurer:
 Sally Dean
 Secretary:
 Kim Wickland

President's Message

Happy New Year! We have been back to school for one week now and worked out all of the wake-up-for-school-on-time kinks. We are hitting the ground running by holding our third annual Amateur Dog Show on Saturday, January 26th. This is a fun family event where you have an opportunity to show off your four-legged family member. A flyer went home on Friday with all of the details. Don't have a dog? Come watch the fun and support the school!

We are working on identifying a new date for the Eagle Fun Run, which we postponed at the request of the Town so they could work out some traffic control issues. As soon as the new date is selected we will re-distribute the flyer.

On February 16th, we will hold our first Poker Tournament. Details will be provided in the next few weeks. This is an Adult's Only event. Feel free to invite your non-FHCS friends!

We are in full swing collecting items for the Silent Auction to be held on February 28th. We are in need of donations! We have received a few generous donations from local businesses, but need many more to make this event a success. If you know of anyone who would like or be willing to donate, please let any board member know or just bring the donation to the office.

Also, in an effort to help you stick to your new year's resolution of cleaning out your old junk, we will gladly take that junk off your hands for our annual garage sale on March 23rd. If you have any items to donate, please contact Gary at (480) 334-2852 or the office at (480) 837-0046.

Finally, don't forget to list your business on the new Business Directory online. It's a great way to advertise local businesses in Fountain Hills or the surrounding areas that are owned and operated by parents, teachers, friends and administrators of the school. For only \$35 you can post your business! If interested, call the

FHCS office at (480) 837-0046 or email admin@fhcspto.org.

Remember we are looking for volunteers to help with all of the upcoming events. If you are interested in lending a hand, please let me know. Have a great month!

-Caroline

Congratulations, FHCS Students!

Congratulations to Kellie Williams, Jakob Asay, Keegan Grottke and Tanner Koopman-Hughes. These students were nominated for the People to People World Leadership Forum by their teacher, Ms. Lorance. They were nominated for displaying leadership, good citizenship and a solid academic performance. If chosen, the students will have the opportunity to visit Philadelphia, New York and Washington, D.C.

Box Tops

Keep collecting and sending in your box tops! They add up: the first competition drive collected 2,700 tops, raising \$270 for the school. The next collection drive ends on Feb. 22nd.

Dog Show

Our popular Dog Show is coming back for the third year in a row. It will be held Saturday, Jan. 26th and is open to anyone in the community. Get your four-legged friends ready to compete in fun categories such as owner look-alike, cutest dog and best dog trick!

Next PTO Meetings

Please join us on Wednesday, Feb. 20th at 3:30 p.m., and on Wednesday, March 20th at 3:30 p.m. at the El Pueblo campus. The teachers and administration will be there and the Trendsetters Club will keep the younger kids busy so you can be part of the meeting. Hope to see you there!