

WP FUN d RAISING Committee - 2011-2012 School Year!

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- We are looking for 12-15 Volunteers
- We are looking for people interested in having fun and working together!
- We are requesting a serious commitment so that we can execute on the list of Events/Fundraisers (below)!

WHAT WILL YOU BE COMMITTING TO?

- Commit to ONE MONTHLY Committee Meeting
- Commit to at least 2 Events to WORK ON CONSISTENTLY
- Commit to selling Flowers, Raffles, Tickets at least **ONE** Morning (for EVENT); For example, we sell Valentine's Flowers and have a raffle, we need 2-3 people selling Raffles and selling flowers from 7:45AM to 8:30AM. You will know date of sale at least a month in advance.
- **Everyone on Committee must work on Annual Booster Bash in some capacity.** If one does not work on the actual planning of the event, we respectfully request that you work AT THE EVENT.
- **The Annual Booster Bash Event Needs and Event Chairperson and Committee:** For 2012, we would love for some new faces to take on the event as the Chair of the event - **WORKING WITH** the **FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE**. The Fundraising Committee itself will negotiate the Venue, Food and Beverage, and Staffing. We would like Chairs to Organize the Live Auction and other FUN Elements of this traditionally FUN and WONDERFUL evening that benefits the WP as a whole. ***Date to be determined at first meeting with new members.**
- **Our SECOND MEETING: Tuesday, October 25th at 6PM, Warren-Prescott School. 6PM-Sharp. I would like to keep this meeting to no longer than 1.5 hours. We need the time to confirm processes and determine dates.**

Events/Fundraisers 2011-2012

Every child BENEFITS from our Committee's efforts. WE WANT & NEED YOU to help out this year with planning and executing these fabulous events and fundraising

- **Help plan the events that make us money!**
 - **Cookie Fund: This is the fund that Mrs. Davis has to pay for Field Trip Buses, Ice Cream Socials - things that "come up".** These events fund the Cookie Fund: **Book Fair, Chocolate Sale, Box Tops, Wrapping Paper, Flower Sales.**
- The "**Unrestricted Funds Account** - The WP Foundation" - is the account that funds the larger programs and the things that ALL of us VOTE on at the SSC Meetings. These funds are NEVER dispersed at the discretion of the fundraising committee. We simply make the money, turn it into Mrs. Davis &/or the Treasurer. We then vote on how the money is used in a larger SSC Meeting setting. **Booster Bash, Holiday Baskets, Giving Tree, Talent Show fund the WP Unrestricted Funds-Foundation.**
- **Smencil Fundraising:** Chaired by Tina Champagne specifically for Science Programming.
- Grants, Contests, etc. ARE usually separate from this committee, but we support those organizing them by getting the word out!

- **Listed Events are Definite! Dates and More Information Forthcoming AFTER OCTOBER 25th MEETING. 6PM @ the WP.**

- **The 12 Days of Holiday Baskets** (instead of the school fair, we are going to develop **12 AMAZING BASKETS**). We will invite the community in to view them and buy raffle tickets for one week. The winners will be chosen on the last day – and it will culminate in a WP Holiday Fair that is geared towards all of our families. Santa Claus, Hot Chocolate, Holiday Treats, etc.**All holidays will be represented that we know about! We'd like to get the classrooms involved by telling us about various celebrations around the world.
- **The Valentine's Day Flower Sale**
- **The 2012 Booster Bash (big party) – we need new ideas and thoughts about Raffles –Wands –Prizes in General!**
 - **Lots of ideas and thoughts and comments from last year. We have some great opportunities – so let's get together and make it the best ever!**
- **The Annual Car Wash**
- **The Annual Mother's Day Basket Sale/Father's Day Sports Raffles**
- **The FIRST ANNUAL Parent-Teacher Talent Show!**
 - **Can you sing, dance, Act – juggle, play the accordion? Are you funny? Can you play the piano or guitar? IF YES, we are looking for you to join our committee to work on the First Annual Parent-Teacher Talent Show – The Warren-Prescott Follies! Date of performance to TBD. This is going to F.U. N. We know that there are SO MANY of you with amazing talents. We are thinking about a 2-Night Run and afternoon Matinee for the kids. We will sell tickets and t-shirts, invite the public and show the community all of our amazing talents! We hope to make this an Annual Event. **This is a great opportunity to bring Alumni back, former teachers, the community as a whole, etc.**

- **And...a Lower School and Upper School DANCE! We need a 2 Sub-Committees to work on these dances! They were extremely popular. We want the Upper School to have a separate Middle School Event so that they can mingle and have it at night (like other Boston School do for the grades 6-8).**
 - **Karen Sullivan had agreed to Co-Chair the Lower School Dance.**
 - **We need an Upper School 6-8 Chairperson/Chaperones/Ticket Sale Committee.**

- **Climb the Monument – the WARREN-PRESCOTT FREEDOM CLIMB. Debbie Collier has agreed to Chair this event (think Walk for Breast Cancer/Pan Mass Challenge Model).**