

Genoa-Kingston PTO
Teacher/Staff Monthly Newsletter
March 2018

Mission Statement: The PTO is a non-profit organization. The mission of the Genoa-Kingston PTO is to enhance and support the educational experience at Genoa Kingston Middle School, Genoa Elementary School, and Kingston Elementary School, to develop a closer connection between school and home by encouraging parental involvement, and to improve the environment at our schools through volunteer and financial support.

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who helped make the APEX Fun Run a HUGE success! Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time to help. Thank you to all the teachers, staff, and families who spread the word and helped their kids get donations!

REMINDERS: We are still collecting Box Tops. We will continue to collect them all year long. Please keep the collection containers in your classrooms. We will collect them twice per quarter. Once in the middle of the quarter and once at the end. We will count for each class and have a class winner per grade per quarter. The Next prize for GES will be popsicle day!!

In addition to the Box Tops, we are collecting TYSON Project A+ labels. Go to <http://projectaplus.tyson.com/> for a complete list of participating products. These labels are worth .24 cents AND count as 2 box tops towards the class competitions! Also, we are collecting loaves for learning so check your bread bags!! <http://www.loaves4learning.com/> Details are also on our Genoa Kingston PTO Facebook page.

WE HAVE AFFORDABLE SPIRIT WEAR AVAILABLE!! We have all sizes from toddler to adult and many different styles to choose from. Watch for the forms going home soon! Also, there will be a link online to order from as well. Make sure you LIKE our Genoa Kingston PTO Facebook page so you can stay up to date!

We are having an event called Dinner with the PTO! We will be at the new restaurant in Genoa called Rivers on Saturday March 10th starting at 5:30. All are welcome! We will be there all night so if you cant make dinner then stop by for a dessert or appetizer later. This is just a fun evening out. No fundraising or shop talk, just come and hang out with us!

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Our Spring catalog fundraiser will be Yankee Candles and will begin March 16th and run thru April 6th! We are very excited about this because they offer special products not available at stores! Mothers day shopping will be a breeze this year :)

We have a Spring Blood Drive coming up on March 22nd at Genoa Kingston Middle School. We are hoping for a great turnout since this cause is close to our PTO hearts. We are super excited because we will get \$10 per donor if we have 20 donors or more! Obviously, our students are too young to donate blood, but students can earn a wristband by recruiting donors.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR BUSINESSES TO SPONSER OUR 2018 FUN FAIR! If you have any suggestions please let us know. There will be special incentives for sponsors :) Also, please take a minute to email us with any Fun Fair ideas, suggestions, concerns you may have. We are hoping to turn this into our biggest money making event for the year so any input you may have is extremely beneficial.

~Thanks for being such great teachers and role models for our kiddos!!~

Upcoming Events:

- Keep collecting those Box Tops for our class competitions for KES and GES!!
- Started collecting TYSON Project A+ labels. Each label is worth .24 cents AND counts as 2 box tops towards class competitions!! Also, collecting loaves for learning so check your bread bags!!
- Visit our booth at the Home and Business Expo on March 3rd. We will have a super awesome Gift Baskets we are raffling off!
- Dinner with the PTO March 10th 5:30 at Rivers Mexican Restaurant in Genoa. Come for a meal or meet us after for dessert!
- March 16th begins our Yankee Candle fundraiser.
- Spring Blood Drive- March 22nd Genoa Kingston Middle School (PTO will receive \$10 per donor if we get 20 or more donors!!)
- MONTHLY PTO MEETINGS: March 20th, April 24th, and May 22nd.
5:30-6:30 at the Genoa Kingston Middle School Library

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