

THE BOBCAT

REED ELEMENTARY PTA NEWSLETTER

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Thank you....

.... for a wonderful Book Fair and Ice Cream Social!

It was so wonderful to see all of our Reed families Tuesday night for our Book Fair and Ice Cream Social! None of this would have been possible without our amazing chairs.

Thank you to **Michelle Daily** and **Caroline Youkhanna** for a once again extremely successful Book Fair. One more day to go, thank you again!

We would also like to thank **Jennifer Leighton** for heading our ice cream social this year. A very successful team resulted in super successful night.

Thanks again!

Stacey McLaren & Camila Rosa president@reedpta.com



Submit Your Volunteer Hours Today!

Our Volunteer Hours report is due to the SJ Unified PTA Council this month! Please submit any hours for July 1 - December 31, 2014, that you have NOT submitted on a classroom or PTA meeting sign-in sheet.



Hours to submit: Any time spent on school/PTA volunteer activities – i.e. helping in the classroom, projects done at home for the school, field trips, prepping for Art Vistas/Cornerstone or similar, event planning/set up/clean up, shopping for treats/supplies, meetings, class basket, phone calls, emails, photocopying, creating/hanging posters, etc.

How to submit: Send your hours in a lump sum – no need to have specific dates/times. Email them to historian@reedpta.com.

Why it's important: Our volunteer hours help us maintain our non-profit status, and are also included in Reed's yearly reports. They show the wonderful level of volunteer support for our school.

Thank you for all you do all year!

Michelle Dailey Volunteer Coordinator historian@reedpta.com

Headphone Reminder!

If you have not already done so, please send in headphones or earbuds for your child to use with the new Chromebooks.



Please put the headphones/listening device in a resealable (ziplock type) plastic bag and label the bag and listening device with your child's name teacher and room number.

If you need assistance with this matter, please contact the school office. Thank you!

Walk-A-Thon Planning Meeting

Please join us on Tuesday, February 10th at Starbucks (1455 Foxworthy Avenue) at 7pm. Anyone interested in helping with the walk-athon is welcome to attend. If you cannot attend the meeting but would still like to be a part of the committee please email fundraising@reedpta.com.

Hope to see you there!

Anitha Pachagounder

Did you know...

...there are paper copies of The Bobcat newsletter available in the office each week? Thank you, Corianne Birnbaum, for faithfully printing and making copies every week!

Scrip Meets Your Needs

Do you have birthdays, anniversaries or thank you gifts you need to purchase? We have a variety available at the scrip table every week. Grocery, gas, home improvement, household, restaurants, movies, travel and more!

If you have plans for Disneyland in February you can special order Disney cards through our program. Special orders do take about a week to come in. Orders are placed Friday evening and will be in by the next Friday.

You can't get to the table Mon/Wed/Fri before and/or after school? Send the order form and payment to school with your child or drop it in the office with payment (cash or check). We can deliver the order to your child's class to be sent home. Be sure you sign the release at the bottom of the order form or we can contact you when it arrives.

Remember it costs you nothing extra and you support Reed PTA and all the programs it provides.

Thank you,
Caroline Youkhanna & Lita Bell
scrip@reedpta.com

Reserved Parking Spaces

If you are a lucky winner of one of the monthly reserved parking spaces offered during the Fall Festival Silent Auction, please note that the spaces have been relocated to the front parking lot. Just look for the specially marked signs. Thank you!

PTA Meeting Highlights from Tuesday, February 3rd, 2015

- Welcome: Stacey McLaren and Camila Rosa, the PTA presidents welcomed everyone.
- Principal's Report: The Spell-A-Thon begins on Monday, February 23rd. Grades 1st 4th grade will be participating. The parent climate survey will begin on Monday, February 23rd. You can mail in the packet or do the survey online. All parents are encouraged to fill it out.
- **Book Fair:** It's this week in room B1 (Music Room)! Thursday morning is the Books and Bagel event. The last day to shop at the book fair is Friday!! All proceeds benefit the great programs the PTA supports at Reed!
- Dinner Night Out (DNO): There is NO dinner night out in February. Look for information for the March DNO.
- Scrip: Scrip is another word for GIFT CARDS!!! Please buy your gift cards from us!!
 We sell them Monday, Wednesday and Friday before and after school.
- Program Review Survey: Please look for the survey in your white envelopes this week.
 All parents are encouraged to fill it out. We are looking forward to your feedback!!
- **Yearbook**: The 5th graders will have a dedication page this year! More information will follow to the 5th grade parents in the coming weeks.
- **Volunteer Hours**: Please email your volunteer hours to historian@reedpta.com. Hours include anything you do for the teachers inside and outside the classroom.
- **Music Concerts:** Please mark your calendars. On Tuesday, March 31st the TK-2nd graders will perform and on Wednesday, April 1st the 3rd 5th graders will perform. All performances will take place at Pioneer High School. More information to follow.
- Walk A Thon: There will be a planning meeting next week. The date and time will be announced soon. We need lots of volunteers to make this a successful event!

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
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			UNDER THE SEA BOOK FAIR		
			Books for Bagels 7:45am	Kindergarten Tour 9:10am	
				Last day of Book Fair!!	
				Rockstar Rewards	
9	10 SELAC Meeting 9:15am Walk-a-thon Planning Meeting 7:00pm (Starbucks on Foxworthy)	11	12	Happy Valentine's	
16	17	18	19	20	
MID-WINTER BREAK (NO SCHOOL)					
President's Day					
23	24	25	26	27	

*All dates and times are subject to change



SCRIP (Gift Card) Order Form

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Amazon	3%	10/\$25		\$	Lucky/Savemart	2%	\$25.00		\$
ABCO BumpBoos	4.50/	\$50.00		\$	Macy's	10%	\$25.00		\$
ARCO PumpPass	1.5% 2.5%	\$100.00 \$250.00		\$	Panera Bread	9%	\$5		\$
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Barnes & Noble	9%	\$25.00		\$	Red Lobster/Olive Garden	9%	\$25.00		\$
Bath & Body Works	13%	\$10.00		\$	Cofourav	4%	\$25.00		\$
Bed Bath & Beyond	7%	\$25.00		\$	Safeway	4%	\$100.00		\$
Buffalo Wild Wings	8%	\$10/\$25		\$	See's Candies	40%	\$5.00		\$
Cheesecake Factory	5%	\$25.00		\$	(promotional gift card) (1 lb. gift certificate)	20%	\$18.00		\$
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Chipotle	10%	\$10.00		\$	Sports Authority	8%	\$25.00		\$
Cinemark/Century Theaters (Good for admission/food)	4%	\$25.00		\$	Sprouts Farmers Market	5%	\$25.00		\$
(Single admission ticket; surcharge for 3D, other special screenings)	15%	\$9.50		\$		70/	\$5/\$10		\$
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Cold Stone Creamery	8%	\$10.00		\$	Subway	3%	\$10.00		\$
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Home Depot	3%	\$25.00		\$			\$100.00		\$
iTunes	5%	\$15.00		\$					\$
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Jamba Juice	7%	\$10.00		\$	Walmart	2.5%	\$10/\$25		\$
KFC	8%	\$ 5.00		\$	Whole Foods	3%	\$25/\$100		\$
Kohl's	4%	\$25.00		\$	Gift Card Wrapper	20%	\$0.35		\$
Lunardi's	5%	\$10.00		\$	Panda Express (Limited)	8%	\$25.00		\$
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SCRIP Special Orders		Due by Friday - usually delivered on the following Friday
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Restaurants:	@ \$ 25.00-	Spafinder (12%) @ \$ 25.00=
Applebee's (8%) (also \$50)	@\$ 25.00=	Sunglass Hut (12%) @ \$ 25.00=
Arby's (8%)		Supercuts (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Baja Fresh (7%) Black Angus (12%)	@\$ 25.00= @\$ 25.00=	Talbot's (11%) @ \$ 25.00=
Boston Market (12%)	@ \$ 25.00= @ \$ 10.00=	T.J Maxx/Marshall's(7%) \$ 25.00=
Burger King (4%)	@\$ 10.00=	Wet Seal (5%)@ \$ 25.00=
California Pizza Kitchen (4%)	@\$ 10.00=	Ulta (4%) @ \$ 25.00=
Carl's Jr. (5%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Zappos (9%)(also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Chevy's/El Torito (8%)	@ \$ 10.00= @ \$ 25.00=	Department stores:
Chuck E. Cheese (8%)	@\$ 10.00=	J.C. Penney (5%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Coco's Restaurant (8%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Kohl's (4%)@ \$100.00=
Dave & Buster's (13%)	@ \$ 10.00= @ \$ 25.00=	Neiman Marcus (12%) @ \$ 50.00=
Denny's (9%)	@\$ 10.00=	Walmart (2.5%) @ \$100.00=
Domino's (8%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Home, Garden, Auto:
El Pollo Loco (6%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Ace Hardware (4%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Honeybaked Ham (12%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Auto Zone (5%) @ \$ 25.00=
Jack in the Box (4%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Bed Bath & Beyond (7%) @ \$100.00=
Little Caesars (8%)	@ \$ 20.00=	Chevron/Texaco (1.5%) (also \$100/\$250) @ \$ 50.00=
Mimi's Café (8%)	@\$ 25.00=	Container Store (9%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Omaha Steaks (9%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Crate and Barrel (8%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Outback Steakhouse (8%)	@ \$ 25.00= <u></u>	Home Depot (3%) (also \$500) @ \$100.00=
P.F. Chang's China Bistro (8%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Home Shopping Network (6%) @ \$ 25.00=
Panera Bread (9%) (also \$25)	@ \$ 10.00=	Jiffy Lube (8%) @ \$ 30.00=
Papa Murphy's (8%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Kragen Auto (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Peet's Coffee (8%)	@\$ 20.00=	Lowe's (4%) (also \$100, \$500, \$1000) @ \$ 25.00=
Pinkberry (5%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Pier 1 Imports (9%) @ \$ 25.00=
Pizza Hut (8%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Pottery Barn/Wms Sonoma (8%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Quiznos (10%)	@ \$ 10.00=	Restoration Hardware (12%)@ \$ 25.00=
Red Robin (9%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Sears (4%) (also \$100/\$250) @ \$ 25.00=
Rock Bottom Brewery (6%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Electronics, Camera, Office:
Ruth's Chris Steakhouse (10%)		AT&T 125 min. card (20%) @ \$ 9.50=
Subway (3%)	@ \$ 50.00= <u></u>	Best Buy (2%) (also \$100, \$250) @ \$ 25.00=
Sweet Tomatoes (8%)		Office Depot (4%) @ \$ 25.00=
Tony Roma's (12%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Office Max (5%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Wendy's (4%)		Radio Shack (4%) @ \$ 25.00=
Grocery, Drug:		Shutterfly (9%) @ \$ 25.00=
Nob Hill/Raley's (4%) (also \$100)	@\$ 25.00=	Staples (5%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Rite Aid (4%)	@\$ 25.00=	Travel:
Savemart/Lucky/Food Maxx (2%)	@ \$100.00=	American Airlines (8%) (also \$250) @ \$100.00=
Smart & Final (3%) (also \$100)	@\$ 50.00=	Avis Rent A Car (8%) @ \$ 50.00=
Sprouts Farmers Market (also \$100)	@\$ 50.00=	Best Western Int'l (12%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Walgreen's (6%) (also \$100)		Budget Car Rental (8%) @ \$ 50.00=
Clothing, Accessories, Shoes, Fabric, Beauty		Carnival Cruises (8%) @ \$100.00=
Aeropostale (7%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Choice Hotels (4%) (also \$100) @ \$ 50.00=
American Eagle Outfitters (10%)		Fairmont Hotels/Resorts (12%) @ \$100.00=
Bath & BodyWorks (13%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Hyatt Hotels (9%) (also \$50, \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Casual Male XL (9%)		Marriott Hotels (8%) (also \$100/\$500) @ \$ 50.00=
Children's Place (12%)		Ritz-Carlton Hotels (8%) @ \$ 50.00=
Coldwater Creek (8%)		Gifts, Toys, Entertainment, Sporting Goods:
Crazy 8 (13%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Amazon.com (3%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Eddie Bauer (10%)		AMC Theatres (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Express/Structure (10%)	@ \$ 25.00=	AMC Theatres Single Admission (10%) @ \$ 9.50=
Footlocker/Kids/Lady (9%)		American Girl (9%) (also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
Gymboree (13%)	@\$ 25.00=	Bass Pro Shops (9%)(also \$100) @ \$ 25.00=
J. Crew (13 ³ %)	@ \$ 25.00=	Big 5 Sporting Goods (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
J. Jill (8%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Body Shop (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Jo-Ann Fabrics (6%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Build-A-Bear Workshop (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Journeys (10%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Disney (2%) (also \$100, \$1000) @ \$ 25.00=
LL Bean (16%) (also \$100)	@ \$ 25.00=	GameStop (3%) @ \$ 25.00=
Lands' End (16%) (also \$100)	@ \$ 25.00=	Golfsmith (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Limited (9%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Groupon.com (7%) @ \$ 25.00=
Men's Wearhouse (8%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Guitar Center (4%) @ \$ 25.00=
Motherhood Maternity (8%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Hallmark (4%) @ \$ 25.00=
Nike (12%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Oriental Trading Company (9%) @ \$ 25.00=
REI (8%)		Regal/United Artist Theatres (8%) @ \$ 25.00=
Ross Dress for Less (8%)	@ \$ 25.00=	Six Flags Single Admission (8%) @ \$ 42.25=
Sally Beauty Supply (12%)		Special Orders Total:
Sephora (4%)	@ \$ 20.00=	For more, go to http://www.glscrip.com and click on "Retailer List" Rev 1/5/15
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