



# October 2017

### **President's Message**

Happy Fall Allenwood Families! We have had a great response to our PTG membership and volunteer forms. If you signed up for fall events, the Chairs will be in touch! If you didn't sign up but would like to volunteer for BYOP/Trunk or Treat, Book Fair & Holiday Shoppe we would love to have you! Contact us at info@awptg.org. Please be sure to check out our new website, **www.awptg.org**, for announcements and information including forms, calendars and details on our "Free Money" fundraisers of Box Tops, TerraCycle & Amazon Smile. -Kristin Coman, President

## Volunteer Spotlight

Special thanks to committee heads Melissa Cullen (Box Tops), Anna White (TerraCycle), Courtney Alesso (KidStuff), Marisa Williams and Tara Nash (Dragonfest), Courtney Gilmartin (Dining Out Initiative) and Andrea Nolfi (Dragon's Den)

### **October Events**

- Please join us for food, drinks & live music at our Third Annual Dragonfest Adults Only Fundraiser, Friday, 10/6 at Leggetts from 7-10pm. Admission: \$25 per person at the door.
- TerraCycle has started! Keep collecting at home and send in items in a bag with your child's name so their class gets credit. Allenwood has raised **\$6,334.39** since starting our participation in TerraCycle. See www.awptg.org for details.
- The first opening of Dragon's Den School Store is 10/19 & 10/20 during recess periods. Flyer will be shared with details.
- BYOP/Trunk or Treat is on 10/27. Last year, our trunk spots sold out fast! "Trunks" will be entered into a drawing for a LeapPad Tablet. New this year: Costume Contest and Dance Area with DJ! See flyer for details and registration.

## Treasurer's' Report

\$25,000.00 was transferred into the Playground Fund from 2016-17 Fundraisers. See the website for full report and forms.

## 2017-2018 PTG Executive Board

President–Kristin Coman

Vice President–Megan Kirby McCay

2nd Vice President–Bryn Magee

Treasurer–Tory Tchilinguirian

**Calendar of Events** 

### **OCTOBER**

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- 2-6 Week of Respect
  - Dragonfest at Leggetts, 7-10pm
- 11 Yankee Candle Orders Due
- 12 PTG Meeting, 7pm
- 17 Dine Out Initiative– Bubbakoo's
- 19-20 Dragon's Den School Store
- 27 Spirit Day BYOP Trunk or Treat, 5:30-7pm
- 30 Scholastic Book Fair Preview Day
- 31 Halloween Parade & Class Parties

### **NOVEMBER**

- 1-2 Scholastic Book Fair
- 2 Book Fair Night Shop, 6-8pm
- 7 School Closed–In Service
- 9-11 School Closed–NJEA
- 14-17 1:05 Dismissal–Conferences
- 14 School Picture Make-Up Day
- 16 Kindergarten Thanksgiving Feast
- 17 Yankee Candle Pick Up
- 17 Clothing Drive
- 20 Yearbook Online Sales Start
- 23-24 School Closed–Thanksgiving

### PTG Contact Information

Website- www.awptg.org

Facebook– Search "Allenwood Elementary School– PTG"