Paragon Parent Advisory Council

September 2009

BUY SCHOOL SPIRIT ITEMS

*The Parent Advisory Council (PAC) is comprised of the parents of Paragon students working for the good of the students and staff.*

# Welcome to the 2009- 2010 school year!!!

## PAC Meeting

**Tuesday, 15 September 6:30 pm**

## Entertainment Books!

**Paragon had the advantage of being one of the first organizations to sell the 2010 Entertainment Book! Proceeds are for the AR reading program, field trips, and classroom materials – look for final results in our next edition. Thank you to Janet Hoo and all who participated!!**

## Fall Book Fair

**Mark your calendars…the Fall Book Fair is 21-25 September. Great time for:**

- **Holiday Gift Shopping**
- **Donations for the Classroom(s)**
- **Updating your child's reading materials**

**Requests for volunteers coming soon…**

**Bring Your Change for OTTER POPS Tuesdays and Thursdays after School!!!!**
***Funds are used for our Library***

## Earn Money for the School WHILE you are Grocery Shopping!!!

**A barcode will be coming home with your child from Fry's Food Stores… the next time you are shopping at Fry's, present the barcode along with your VIP card. Voila! Every purchase you make benefits Paragon! You only have to do this once every school year. What could be easier?**

## PAC Elections

**Help make your child's school experience the best it can be.**

**Elections are coming up…if you are interested in running for a PAC position (President, VP, Treasurer, Secretary), please contact one of the PAC Board members or Mr. Ridvan.**

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## Paragon needs an Advanced Reading (A/R) Program...

An advanced reading program promotes reading for all ages. The cost is close to $5,000 to implement such a program – envelopes were sent home for donations. We've already raised almost **25%** - keep those donations coming!!!!!!

## What Can You Do To Help Your School?

**Fundraisers**

- Assist with fundraisers, committees for special events, and general help.

**Otter Pop Sales**

- Selling Otter Pops on Tuesdays and Thursdays after school – (Funds are used for library supplies and books).

**Safety Volunteers, Morning**

- Mornings from 8:10 to 8:25 to assist the Elementary students unload and, at times, supervise them on the playground.

**Safety Volunteers, Afternoon**

- Afternoons from 2:50 to 3:15 to assist the Elementary students get ready for parent pick up and escort them to their car safely.

**Lunch / Recess**

- Assist students preparing to eat, answer questions, and encourage students to eat. Lunch times: 11:20 to 11:40 for K-2, and 11:40 to 12:00 for grades 3-5. (Times may change due to longer lunch times).

**Library**

- Sort and shelve books, circulation, and help students find an appropriate book for their interest, skill, and age level. Assist with Book Fairs.

**Contact**

- Contact Martina Wiesner – martina@wiesner-family.com, telephone: (480) 219-8160

### The PE Department NEEDS:

- Soccer balls
- Soccer goals
- Badminton sets
- Tumbling mats
- Volleyballs
- Footballs
- Little beanbags
- Orange baseball bases
- Bats, glove, baseballs
- Basketballs
- Playground balls
- Practice jerseys

### The Art Department NEEDS:

- Pencils
- Colored Pencils
- Charcoal Pencils
- Crayons
- Markers
- Oil Pastels
- Tempera Paint
- Acrylic Paint
- Water Colors
- Finger Paints
- White Chalk
- Colored Chalk
- Paint Brushes
- Scissors
- String
- Yarn
- Construction Paper
- Cardboard
- Paper Plates
- Foil
- Fabric
- Tissue Paper
- Masking Tape
- Glue Stick
- Pipe Cleaners
- Paper Towels

## PAC Board

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