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PTSA HOOFBEATS

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Mark your calendars Mustangs!

Nov 6	No School (Teacher Training)
Nov 11	No School (Veterans Day)
Nov 17	Reflections Projects Due
Nov 17	PTSA Meeting
Nov 23	Auction Planning Meeting
Nov 19 - 25	Conferences
Nov 25	Fun Run Pajama Day
Nov 26 - 27	No School (Thanksgiving)
Dec 3	Reflections Celebration
Dec 10	Multicultural Festival
Dec 21	Winter Break Begins



Passport to the World

Hazelwood Multicultural Fair

Dec 10th, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Hazelwood families - Get ready to travel the world!

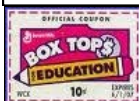
You and your family can pick up a Passport and tour around our colorful cafeteria and gym visiting as many country booths as possible. There will be entertainment, crafts, food and games. This trip is free, will not cause jet-lag and you can pack very lightly...a perfect way to travel!

We need Volunteer Families to showcase their culture!

If you have an idea for a booth representing your culture or heritage (or one close to you), please contact us with your ideas! You can sponsor a booth yourself or we may help you team up with another family; we have a wonderful group that can assist with turning your ideas into a great booth, and help set up for the event. This is a chance to use your creativity to bring culture and heritage to life with our Hazelwood community!

Please contact multicultural@hazelwoodptsa.org

Ready, Get Set...Collect! • November 30 - February 12



The third annual Box Tops Classroom Challenge is just around the corner! The first year, Hazelwood students collected 7,811 Box Tops = \$781. Last year, the goal was 10,000 and students brought in 11,975 = \$1197!

Let's see if we can beat our all-school best by aiming for 12,000 this year!

Scholars can participate by bringing non-expired Box Tops to their classrooms between November 30th and February 12th. Each classroom will have a special collection box. Don't worry about exact clipping. Just stick them in a baggie or envelope and send them in. The three classes that bring in the most Box Tops will get a special class surprise. Box Tops exist across the country, so get those far-away relatives and friends to collect for you too.

Watch for the flyer going home soon with more details. Questions to Heidi Johnston at freebie@hazelwoodptsa.org. Thank you for saving your Box Top\$ for Hazelwood!

Holiday Gift Drive • November 23 - December 11

The annual Holiday Gift Drive begins this month. The drive supports Hazelwood families in need. Look for gift tags with the holiday needs and wishes of Hazelwood children in the main lobby display case.



Gift card donations to Safeway or Target are also welcome. The process is simple: take a tag, purchase the item on the tag, and return it unwrapped with the tag to the collection box. The PTSA Community Service Committee will do the rest!

If you or your business are interested in sponsoring an individual or family this holiday season, please email Tiffany Daraja at communityservice@hazelwoodptsa.org.

If your child could benefit from the program, please contact your child's teacher or counselor Joe McPherson at (425) 204-4550 or joseph.mcpherson@rentonschools.us.



Save the Date! Pancake Breakfast and Book Fair • Saturday, January 30th • Hazelwood Commons

Auction • March 25th at Newcastle Golf Club

The date is set, the venue is reserved, and planning is underway. All we need now is YOU!

Here's how you can help:

- Do you love to plan parties? Come to the next Auction Planning meeting on Monday, November 23rd at 7pm at the Golf Club's Woolly Toad.
- Do you own a business or want to promote your favorite place? Donate or ask for donations of products or services. More info on procurement will go home this week.
- Do you love to work with students? Volunteer your time to help students create classroom art projects to be auctioned.

These are just a few of the ways you can help. No experience is needed - just your enthusiasm and desire to support our school! Email Nakisa Salashoor and Amy George at auction@hazelwoodptsa.org for questions or more information.

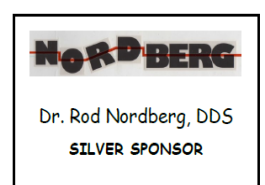
Thank You Hazelwood Community!

Many thanks to the Hazelwood community for your support! We had a record-setting Fun Run, bringing in over \$23,000! Students will celebrate their success with an all-school pajama day on Friday, November 20th. For a full list of Fun Run results, visit <http://hazelwoodptsa.org/ptsa-programs/fun-run/>.

Running Club

The Mustang Running Club makes rainy days so much more exciting! Join us on late-start Fridays for fun activities led by Jaime Greene from Coal Creek YMCA. We are looking forward to running the Seahawks 5K in the spring. A reminder that Running Club starts at 9:15am. Please check your child in with a PTSA volunteer upon arrival to make sure we have emergency contact information. Running Club is offered FREE for the entire family, courtesy of PTSA. For questions, contact Megan Allison at running@hazelwoodptsa.org.

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