



# PTA NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2024

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The school dance had a turnout of more than 200 students! Thank you to the volunteers for making the dance successful. Thanks to the generosity of Alexander Families donating items at the dance, the HTSD Food Initiative was able to fully stock the Food pantry. Our next collection will be on Field Day. Field Day shirts will be ordered for all students, teachers, staff and room reps.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

The PTA is doing great financially.

Teachers have until 6/1 to submit their reimbursements.

199 PTA members!

## COMMITTEE/EVENT UPDATES:

**IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN!**

**Box Tops:** Total of \$229.50 in our account; 2nd grade continues to hold the lead with the most submissions

**Pretzel Sale:** These monthly sales continue to be successful; April pretzels will be distributed on 4/12

**Gertrude Hawk:** This *sweet* fundraiser brought in \$919 in profit

**Spirit Wear:** There will be a sale toward the end of April with seasonal wear. Suggestions on new items are always welcome

**Teacher Appreciation Week:** A committee is being formed and volunteers are needed to help make this week a great one for our amazing teachers and staff

**Trenton Thunder Night:** Our 2nd Annual Night at the Trenton Thunder game will be held on Tuesday, 6/18 and will include the Hi-5 Tunnel, \$1 Hot Dogs and Kids Eat Free. This year we will also partake in a 50/50 fundraiser during an alternative game. This fun family event is a great way to close out the school year. Be on the lookout for a flyer to come home soon

**5th Grade Committee:** 90% of the 5th grade students are planning to attend the 5th Grade Social on 4/12. 5th grade shirts have also arrived and their end of year party will occur during the day on 6/18

## PRINCIPAL/TEACHER'S REPORT

Dance went well and students enjoyed the night

Class parties went smoothly

**The Talent Show is in need of volunteers to help with dress rehearsal on 4/24, and the show on 5/1**

*Please reach out to Mrs. Ferraris [sferraris@htsdnj.org](mailto:sferraris@htsdnj.org) to help. If your student is performing, you do not have to help during their performance.*

Deadline to order custom yearbook pages is 4/29, don't wait too long and pass up this option. Order your yearbook today!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

4/12 - 5th Grade Social

4/18 - Spring School Pictures

5/1 - Talent Show

5/17 - Kindergarten Tea for incoming new kindergarten families

5/23 - Field Day (Rain date 5/30)