### Genet



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## **PTO NEWS**

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#### **Great Start to the Year**

We hope that your children have settled into the school year nicely. The Ice Cream Social was a great way to kick off the school year. Thank you to Jill Tedford and to the many teachers and volunteers that helped to make this evening fun for the children! We are glad many of you could attend! The children had a great time dancing and seeing their teachers and classmates outside of the regular school day!

#### Yankee Candle

The Yankee Candle Fundraiser is almost over. In the past, this fundraiser has helped pay for many fieldtrips and other PTO sponsored events. Please return order forms by Monday Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> to the classroom teachers. If you have any questions, contact Noelle Nuzzi at nnuzzi@nycap.r.com.

### Explore and Grow: Helpers Needed Tuesdays: Oct. 18, Oct. 25, Nov. 1, Nov. 8

The Explore and Grow program needs helpers to assist the program teachers! The program runs from 3:15-4:15 PM. Come all 4 days or split your time with another volunteer. Please contact Maura Przybylek at <a href="mailto:mprzyblek19@gmail.com">mprzyblek19@gmail.com</a> to volunteer.

### **School Banking Has Started**

The Genet School Banking program has started. It will run every Friday. There is still a need for another parent to assist one or two times a month collecting deposits, from 8:30 – 9:30 AM. If you can help, please contact Jen O'Brien, so that we can continue to run this weekly! <a href="mailto:jjuniper71@yahoo.com">jjuniper71@yahoo.com</a>

### **Fun Fridays**

Fun Fridays will begin in October and continue once a month. Children can dress to fit the theme of the day. Popcorn or snow cones will be sold at lunch for a dollar. Sorry, lunch accounts **cannot** be used for this activity.

10/14-Snow Cones /Favorite Sports Day 11/4-Popcorn/Hat Day

12/2-Snow Cones /Favorite Holiday

1/6-Popcorn/Lounge Wear Day 2/3-Snow Cones/Day of the Decades

3/3-Popcorn/Crazy Hair Day 4/7-Snow Cones/Mismatched Day 5/5-Popcorn/School Spirit Day 6/2-Snow Cones/School Vote

### The PTO Could Use Your Help

The PTO needs a chair to run the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Moving UP Ceremony. The chairs would be in charge of buying and setting up refreshments and decorations. It is our way to make the 5<sup>th</sup> grade parents and children feel special. Please contact genetpto@gmail.com if you are able to help or have questions about this event.

Thank you to all of the volunteers that helped quickly fill the other positions!!!!

### **Upcoming Events**

Friday
October 7
Picture Day

Monday October 10 Columbus Day No School

Wednesday October 12 No School

Friday October 14

Fun Friday Favorite Sports Day Buy Snow Cones at Lunch

> Monday October 17

PTO Meeting Genet Cafeteria Superintendent Simons will be joining us.

> Wednesday October 19

Fall Fun Run

Friday October 21

Half Day Professional Development

> Monday October 31

Halloween Parade, 2 PM

DON'T WANT TO MISS AN UPCOMING EVENT? WANT REMINDERS ON IMPORTANT ACTIVITIES COMING UP?

If you would like to be automatically reminded of upcoming events and activities, please forward us your name and email address. We can be reached via email at

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