

March 2010
Franklin School P.T.A. Newsletter

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Dear Parents

Once again, this month I want to highlight election of officers for next year. The current board is happy to meet with anyone interested to answer any questions. If you are interested in running for an office, please contact Lisa Crawford at as soon as possible.

As of today, we do not have anyone running for President, Vice President or Treasurer. I invite and welcome all of you to consider running for an office. We are supposed to announce candidates at the March pta meeting and vote in April. I encourage all of you to please consider running for a position on the board.

Our next PTA meeting will be on Tuesday, March 9th at 7:30 in the Franklin School Library. Please come and join us.

I hope to see you all there!

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Reflections Update

All Reflections entries, as well as additional artwork from Franklin School, will be on display at the Roxbury Celebration of the Arts event at Ledgewood Mall from March 10 - March 31, 2010. The Grand Opening is on Wednesday, March 10, from 4:45 - 8:00 pm. This will be an evening of live performances and films, and all are invited to share in light refreshments while enjoying the accomplishments of our student artists!

The District-Wide Recognition Ceremony will be held on Wednesday, March 24, at Eisenhower Middle School. All Reflections participants will be recognized and will receive a certificate. Students whose entries were Morris County PTA winners will be awarded medals.

Chess Club

Our Chess-at-Lunch Program was a BIG success this year. So many of the children looked forward to challenging themselves and playing each other every week. We will be ending the program on Tuesday March 9th. "Thank you" to those parents who helped this year!

We are still looking for one additional co-chair for next school year. Please let us know if you're interested.

Family Fun Night! Kids Choice!

Join us on Thursday, March 11th at 7pm for a true FAMILY Fun Night! There will be different activities in different rooms – you choose what you would like to do – art, computers, chess, board games & more. Bring the whole family for an evening out.



BOX TOPS:

Congratulations to our
BOXTOPOLY
WINNERS: *Mrs.*
Leonhard's 3rd Grade
Class and *Mrs.*

Conway's 2nd Grade Class. Both classes won an Ice Cream Party this March. During the four-week Boxtopoly game, we collected a total of 3522 Boxtops (\$352.00). To date, we have a total of **\$1326.50** collected since September 2009. Keep an eye out for our Box Tops March WEBKINZ Promotion Flyer. Keep clipping and saving those Box Tops! Thank you for supporting our Box Tops Program. - Geraldine Dasappan (fsboxtops@gmail.com)



Recycle Your Old
Cell Phones,
Empty Toner and
Ink Printer
Cartridges with
Franklin School.

Thank you to all who continue to send in their empty ink and printer cartridges. We are now collecting OLD, USED CELLPHONES as well as empty ink cartridges and toners Our school is now participating in the Green School Project, a program that reduces this incredible waste and earns money for our school. Visit www.greenschoolproject.com for more information. The collection is ongoing, all year round. The collection bin is located in front of the PTA Bulletin Board. This "Green Effort" will help reduce the trash in our landfills and funds raised will help partly offset printing expenses incurred by the PTA. Please contact Geraldine Dasappan: fsboxtops@gmail.com for any questions.

