

# Daybreak PTA Monthly Minute

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## Scholastic Book Fair

**BUY ONE, GET ONE FREE!**

Did you know that 60% of the profits from the Scholastic book fair go right back into Daybreak Schools' media center and library? You won't find better prices on hundreds of children's book titles; this sale is a buy one, get one free! Books make fantastic gifts – birthdays, holidays, appreciation days – any day's a great day for a book! If you are looking for a fun, inexpensive, worthwhile way to thank a teacher, give the classroom a great book! The Daybreak PTA is preparing for Daybreak's Spring Scholastic Book Fair, set for June 2-6 in the Media Center. The book fair is focused towards readers from K-8 so there is no doubt something for everyone at this event! In order for our efforts to be successful, WE NEED YOUR HELP! All you have to do is [Sign up today](#) at [www.daybreakpta.org](http://www.daybreakpta.org), send a short email to [info@daybreakpta.org](mailto:info@daybreakpta.org), or call Melissa Lindberg at 687-1426, then spend a couple of hours this month helping put books in the hands of today's as well as tomorrow's students and teachers at the Daybreak Primary and Middle Schools!



Just in case you are still on the fence about volunteering, know that we plan to offer "Early Bird" shopping for PTA members, volunteers, and the staff of Daybreak Schools. Now how is that for motivation?

## \$\$\$\$ for Daybreak Schools!

Please remember that we are collecting Box Tops, Campbell's Soup **UPC's (not labels)**, AND Tyson A+ labels.

## Announcements

~We would like to welcome Tina Holliday as the new acting PTA Vice President.

~We would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest members, Sharon Johnson, Magdalena Frost, and Debi Boechler. We look forward to your participation, and greatly appreciate your ongoing support!

If you would like to become a member of the Daybreak PTA and help support the staff and students at the Daybreak Primary and Middle Schools, membership forms are available at your school office, or online at [www.daybreakpta.org/membership](http://www.daybreakpta.org/membership).

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK! Please fill out the attached Daybreak PTA Questionnaire and return the form to your child's teacher, or to the PTA mailbox in your school's office. This will help us prepare for the coming school year. We greatly appreciate your opinion!

## Upcoming Events

- March 17<sup>th</sup> Sodexo Open House
- March 19<sup>th</sup> Early Release AM  
Kindergarten 9-12:30
- March 20<sup>th</sup> Early Release PM  
Kindergarten 9-12:30
- March 21<sup>st</sup> No school-Learning  
Improvement Day
- March 24<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester Report  
Cards go home
- March 27<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Music Program
- March 27<sup>th</sup> Parent Math Night
- March 27<sup>th</sup> Year book Club Meeting
- March 31<sup>st</sup> to April 4<sup>th</sup> Spring Break

## Daybreak PTA Questionnaire

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1. Are you currently a Daybreak PTA member?                      Yes                      No

If not, why not? (check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cost of membership—If so, what would be a reasonable cost of a PTA membership? _____ |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not familiar with PTA  | <input type="checkbox"/> Not enough time              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural/Religious conflicts   | <input type="checkbox"/> Negative PTA experience      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don't care about PTA   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain) _____ |

2. How important is having a PTA to you and your children?

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|--|------------------------|
| 1—Extremely important                                      | 2—Somewhat important   |
| 3—Take it or leave it                                      | 4—Not at all important |
| 5—Would prefer something other than a PTA (please specify) |                        |
- \_\_\_\_\_

3. What are your expectations of the Daybreak PTA?

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4. Are you receiving PTA newsletters and notices?                      Yes                      No

If yes, do you find them worthwhile?

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| 1—Extremely worthwhile                                 | 2—Somewhat worthwhile   |
| 3—Take them or leave them                              | 4—Not at all worthwhile |
| 5—Would prefer not to receive information from the PTA |                         |

5. What types of fundraising activities would you like to see happen at Daybreak?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Payback book sales | <input type="checkbox"/> Catalog orders (food items, wrapping paper, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Book Fairs         | <input type="checkbox"/> Carnivals   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Auctions           | <input type="checkbox"/> Box Tops/Soup Labels                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Escrip             | <input type="checkbox"/> Walk A Thons/Run for the Arts                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> None               | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____                      |

6. Are you interested in taking a PTA board or committee position?                      Yes                      No

If so, what position interests you? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you aware of the Daybreak PTA web site?                      Yes                      No

If yes, how often do you visit the web site?

- Daily     Weekly     Monthly     Rarely     Never

8. Do you have any other input for us? \_\_\_\_\_

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*Thank you for your participation. We greatly appreciate your feedback, as your input will help us prepare for the coming school year. Please promptly return this form to your child's teacher, or to the PTA mailbox in your school's office.*