

ogden school ptc



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Upcoming Events

2/17/2017: Pizza Fun Lunch

2/24/2017: Mother/Son Event

2/25/2017: Congress Park Sports Equipment Sale

3/1/2017: PTC Meeting

3/2/2017: PSCC Presentation: Raising Boys

3/4/2017: Science Expo

3/5/2017: Chicago Wolves game

3/22/2017: Jimmy Johns Fundraiser

Good Morning Ogden Parents!

Today is Pizza FUN Lunch day. Thank you Carolina Schoenbeck and Colleen Lee for organizing and to the parents who counted money earlier this week and to the parents passing out pizza today at lunch. Our kids really appreciate it.

Thank you Meghan Murray and Rachel Arndt, the committee volunteers, and the Ogden Parents for a fun and successful Quiz Night! **#thatwasfun #nextyearptccopresaresmartsoisitattheirtable**

Thank you to those parents who have expressed interest in next year's PTC Exec Board. We still need more parents to raise their hands. We are accepting names through February 28th. Please contact us if interested.

Please spread the word to friends and neighbors that Kindergarten information nights are Tuesday February 21st for Full Day at Barnsdale and Thursday February 23rd for Half Day at Ogden.

Need another reason to smile other than sunshine, above normal temps, and a THREE day weekend, check out the Ogden Staff Dance video [here](#).

Have a great THREE day weekend!

Suzanne Taylor & Heather Vitell
PTC Co-Presidents

Ogden Mother/Son Event - February 24th

Calling all Boys grades K-6. Ogden's Mother & Son Night Out will be held on Friday, February 24th, 7:00-9:00 pm at Ogden. Please sign up your son and his mom or special person of his choosing with the **attached form**. There will be sports, snacks, photos and other fun activities. The cost is \$10 per family. Please make checks payable to Ogden PTC.



Completed forms and payment can be submitted to the Ogden School Office.

We **NEED VOLUNTEERS** to help the night run smoothly.

Join the Ogden PTC 2017-2018 Executive Board!

Ogden PTC Executive Board needs you! We will have the following positions open for next school year:

Executive Vice President
(3 year role - 1st Exec VP, 2nd President, and 3rd Pres Emeritus)

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We Collect



Secretary (2 year role)
VP Fundraising (2 year role)
VP Social (2 year role)
VP Positive School Climate (2 year role)
VP Communications (2 year role)



Most of these positions can be shared with another parent! If you are interested in finding out more, please contact the PTC Co-Presidents by February 28th.

Ogden PTC is on Facebook!



The Ogden PTC Facebook page is a way to get updates, connect with other Ogden Parents and share comments and ideas. Let us know what you would like to see on the Facebook page, and how often you want to see updates. Share your enthusiasm or just let us know that you "like" us!

[CLICK HERE](#) to join the group!

Help us increase the visibility and traffic of our Facebook page by liking and commenting on our posts, to reach more Ogden families!

Box Top Rally - February 13th - 17th

The Box Tops Rally is ENDING TODAY!!!



Please remember to turn in your Box Tops to your child's classroom TODAY! This is the LAST collection of the year and once they are counted - the winning classroom will win an EXTRA recess and the top 3 classrooms win bonus recess equipment!

More important than that, remember each box top is worth ten cents! So, those tiny pieces of paper bring in A LOT of money for our school! This year we have set a goal of \$1,500 and are already over halfway there! Let's crush this, OGDEN!!

Thanks for all your support. We collect box tops all year round - but can only submit TWICE A YEAR - so keep on clipping! For a list of participating box tops products, please [CLICK HERE](#).

PSCC - Speaker Dr. Michael Maniacci on March 2

Please note the revised date: The PSC Committee will be welcoming **Dr. Michael Maniaci** on **Thursday, March 2 at 7:00 pm** at the Park Junior High Auditorium for his program **"Raising Our Sons: How to Deal With the Competitive, Aggressive Culture Among Boys"**. Admission is free, bring a neighbor or friend.

4th Grade Parent-Son Book Club enrollment is now open! Click [here](#) to sign up or contact coordinators, [Trudi Kessler](#) or [Erin Manning](#).

4th and 5th Grade Parent-Daughter Book Clubs remain open through March 3. Click [here](#) to sign up or contact coordinators [Andrea Strudeman](#), [Maureen Campbell](#) (4th grade) or [Mariellen Maloney](#), [Elisabeth McKenna](#) (5th grade).

Parents of K-1st graders can find an excellent resource for friendship challenges in this week's **PSCC Resource Spotlight: [Anna, Banana, and The Friendship Split](#)**. Family learning and at-home discussion can be one of the most effective ways to prepare for or help your child with friendship/social challenges. Free parent books on social bullying remain available in the purple bin in the Ogden lobby through Feb. 28. Take one, read, pass on to a neighbor or friend.

Jimmy Johns Fundraiser - March 22nd

Ogden families who love Jimmy Johns--mark your calendars! The Westchester Jimmy Johns is hosting Ogden all day - and will give back 15% of all orders all day! If you work near there, or can order in to your office, also give them this [flyer](#)! They want to support this in a large way and we are the first school to have the opportunity to use the flyer all day! Lunch, dinner or afternoon snack--take this flyer to Jimmy Johns at 22nd and Wolf for 15% to go back to Ogden PTC on 3/22!



Quiz Night 2017: #Ogden

Thank you for everyone that participated in Quiz Night #Ogden! You raised just over \$9,000 for the PTC **#welldone**.

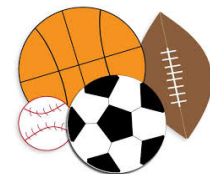
Congrats to **#smartypants winners**, Katherine and Adam Haussermann, Tara and Ian Hanson, Laura Triola and Keith Friedman, Chris Kahler and Chris Simpson and Amy and Greg Bloedorn.



Thanks to all of the volunteers who made the night a success **#youarethebest** - Rachel and Marc Arndt, Jen and Mike Kovacs, Michelle Knouse and Justin Quick, Angela Layden, Meghan Murray, and Heather and Joe Vitell.

Congress Park Sports Equipment Resale - February 25th

Congress Park PTO is hosting a Sports Equipment Resale Event. All sports / outdoor equipment - shoes, balls, gear, camping equipment, bicycles, and more! Free admission to sale; cash only purchases. Sign up to sell your used sports equipment and shop the day of the event! [Click here for more details](#).



Saturday, February 25th
8:00am to Noon
9311 Shields Ave., Brookfield

Run for 102 - Race to the Finish - Registration Open!

SAVE THE DATE! * Run for 102 - Race to the Finish * APRIL 30, 2017

Dust off those running shoes - Early bird registration is open!

The 5K and 1-mile run/walk will take place in La Grange Park on Sunday, April 30th at 8:30 am. It doesn't matter if you're a speedy runner or a slow walker,



Join us for a great time while supporting all of the D102 schools!

Race committee members are busy working to secure sponsorship proceeds that ensure the Run for 102 is such a successful fundraiser for all of our schools. **However, the committee is in search of new sponsorships for the 2017 race.** If you know a small-business owner, local or otherwise, that might be interested in sponsoring the race (and getting some local advertising), please contact [Michele Grubish](#) or [Meghan Radtke](#).

www.runfor102.org

Cossitt School Children's Consignment Sale - March 4th

Cossitt School will hold its bi-annual children's consignment sale on Saturday, March 4th, from 8am - 12pm. **SELL!** Clean out your closets! Sell your gently used spring and summer items and keep 60% of proceeds. **BUY!** Find amazing deals on gently used spring and summer items from infant to size 16... Clothing, baby equipment, bikes, Easter/Communion dresses, suits, shoes, sports gear and much more!!



Click [here](#) for the flyer. Details for sellers, buyers and volunteers can be found at [here](#).

Science Expo - March 4th

Registration for the Science Expo has already begun!

Saturday, March 4th 2017
9 am - 12:00 pm
Forest Road School



For more information check out the [Science EXPO website](#).

Are you ready to register for EXPO?

[Go to the Science EXPO 2017 Registration form](#).

La Grange Park Little League - Fundraiser March 4th & Season Registration

LaGrange Park Little League Fundraiser - March 4th

Need a date night? This adults only fundraiser is Saturday, March 4, 7-10 p.m. at the MAX Pub in McCook. All proceeds go directly to field repair, new equipment and uniform purchases. Silent Auction prizes include Cub/Sox/Bulls/Blackhawk tickets, Overnight hotel accommodations, Private baseball lessons, Fire truck ride to school and much more.



Cost is \$25.00 per person which includes food and 1 entry into the \$1000 cash raffle. Tickets can be purchased at the door or in advance at [HERE](#). See the flyer [here](#). Hope to see you there.

La Grange Park Little League Baseball Season Registration

Registration for the 2017 La Grange Park Little League Baseball Season is now OPEN! Visit the [La Grange Park Little League Website](#) and click "Register Now". Play begins in April 2017 and approximately 12-16 games are scheduled for each team. Traditionally, we will play one weekday game and one weekend game each week through mid-June.

Email [La Grange Park Little League](#) with any questions.

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[Click here to get started!](#)