

ogden school ptc



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Upcoming Events

- 3/4/2017:** Cossitt Clothing Sale
- 3/4/2017:** Science Expo
- 3/5/2017:** Chicago Wolves game
- 3/6 - 3/9/2017:** Steak & Vine Fundraiser
- 3/22/2017:** Jimmy Johns Fundraiser
- 3/24/2017:** Yearbook Orders Due

Happy March Ogden Families!

Just 22 days until Spring Break! We have a couple of new dine-out fundraisers with Steak + Vine next week and Jimmy Johns later this month. Details are below. Thank you for your continued support!

We are currently recruiting for a VP Fundraising to join our PTC Executive Board next school year. Besides attending PTC meetings, the VP Fundraising contacts restaurants to set up fundraising dates, coordinates one big fundraiser such as Yankee Candle and Mixed Bags, and submits news article blurbs and distributes flyers to promote fundraisers. The VP Fundraising also works with the VP Social to coordinate a parent social such as Ogdenpalooza or the Adult Halloween Party. This position can be shared. Please contact us if you are interested.

We also need to form a committee to organize the end of the year dance party at the Corral on June 7th. Please contact [Anne Rodgers](#) if you would like to be a part of the committee.

We hope everyone enjoys the weekend!

[Suzanne Taylor](#) & [Heather Vitell](#)
PTC Co-Presidents

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Delaney Memorial Ribbons - Please Take Down

The family of Delaney have kindly asked us to take down the purple ribbons. They love and appreciate all that the ribbons represent and support that they provided. Thank you.



Ogden Yearbooks On Sale Now!



2017 Ogden Yearbooks are available for order! Yearbooks are \$15 each. You can order online or via paper form. [Click here for details on ordering.](#)

Orders are due March 24th. Contact [Marie-Eve Vesel](#) or [Katie Weems](#) with questions.

Quick Links

[Ogden PTC Website](#)

[2016-2017 Calendar](#)

PSCC - Enroll in 4th/5th Parent-Child Book Clubs thru March 1

[PTC Committee
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PTC Fundraisers

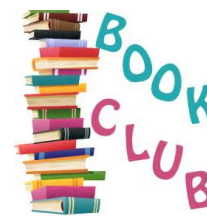
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We Collect



Book Clubs create unique parent-child bonds and cultivate a communication that may be a lifeline in junior high and beyond. 4th and 5th grade enrollment will fully close on March 10. Click [here](#) to sign up.



Please note the 2 different sign up options for 4th/5th parents of girls:

- * Organize your own bi-monthly group of 5-6 "couples"
- * Join the **Book Club Co-Op** where you will meet with different (rotating) parent-daughter couples bi-monthly. Openness to this can have unexpected rewards!

Do you feel as if your kid calls the shots at home? Not only is this hard on families, but these issues often spill over into school. In this week's **PSCC Resource Spotlight** read an important 2 minute article about re-establishing boundaries and limits.

Steak & Vine Fundraiser - March 6th-9th

Ogden Families! We are partnering with local Steak + Vine Restaurant to enjoy their local menu and vibe AND raise 10% of all Ogden family patrons' checks to come right back to our kids programs! They have offered to partner March 6-9, so pick an evening and bring the family, friends, or date night! Please **don't forget your flyer**, or show on your phone to let them know you are with Ogden Avenue School! Any questions, call **Erika Guest** at 312.898.7063!



CPCFRO - Ogden Board Member OPEN SEAT!

CPCFRO is an "All Volunteer" District 102 sports league that introduces that game of volleyball and basketball to our 5th & 6th grade kids. For most of the children who participate, this is their first exposure to playing each sport in a formal setting.



The organization is made up of the four elementary schools within the district (Congress Park - Cossitt - Forest Road - Ogden), where each school must provide two board members to the organization. We are currently seeking a new Ogden board member to fill an open position on the board that would be seated June 1.

Email **Dustin Grubish** for additional information.

Job Duties:

- 2 year term
- Attended 3-4 Board Meetings per year
- Assist with season registration (Fall/Winter)

- Assist with Ogden team player assessment night
- Field Ogden parent general league questions

Boys Night Out Photos

Thanks to our many volunteers who supported the Boys Night Out last Friday. You made the evening a success! If you didn't have an opportunity to pick up your photo or if you want a digital copy of it, click [here](#) to download.



Run for 102 - Race to the Finish - April 30th

We are already off to a great start with race registration! Don't miss out on this fun, family event.

Join us for the Run for 102 Race to the Finish 5K and 1-Mile Fun Run at 8:30am on Sunday, April 30, 2017. The Start/Finish line will be at Ogden Avenue School and travel a course through the scenic streets of La Grange Park.



Would you like to be a Sponsor?

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. 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 at Runfor102@gmail.com. To download the sponsorship form, please click [here](#).

For more information or to register: www.runfor102.org

Proceeds benefit School District 102 schools: Barnsdale Road School, Congress Park, Cossitt Avenue, Forest Road, Ogden Avenue School and Park Junior High.

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.

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 the flyer to Jimmy Johns at 22nd and Wolf for 15% to go back to Ogden PTC on 3/22!



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!

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Then moving forward, every time you shop, simply pull up Amazon Smile and we will be saved as your organization of choice. Super easy! In just October-December 2016 we earned \$161! Thank you for your support!



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