

Parker Junior High School
PTO Programs

- **Band, Chorus, Drama or Orchestra Parent:** If your child participates in band, chorus, drama or orchestra extra help is always needed. Please reach out to each respective teacher to let them know if you are available to help in any way. Don't forget that the fall Drama, *The Best Haunted House Ever*, will be Friday, October 28 at 7PM. Snacks and refreshments will be sold to support future theater productions.
- **Book Fair:** Have a student that doesn't ever put books down or a student that needs a little push to read? Come to the Parker Book Fair to find all kinds of interesting choices. The Parker Book Fair will be held November 14 through November 18. Please contact Avril Somerville my5arms@gmail.com or Lisa Komorowski lisamkomorowski@yahoo.com with questions or if you are interested in helping.
- **Innisbrook Fundraiser:** Innisbrook is a great fundraiser due to the variety of gift wrap supplies, tasty treats, magazine subscriptions and so much more. While individual packets were sent home in September with the orders scheduled to arrive in November, did you know that you could order on-line anytime and Parker still receives a percentage of the sale? Go to www.innisbrook.com and don't forget the Parker Junior High School #102401.
- **Krispy Kreme:** Krispy Kremes are always a tasty treat! Four (4) times a year we sell Krispy Kreme doughnuts to the students during lunch. Our first sales date will be November 18.
- **Locker Laurels:** To brighten the halls of Parker and recognize the students participating in band, cheerleading, chess, drama, math counts, music, NJHS, orchestra, Science Olympiad, speech, student council, yearbook and all of the sports activities locker laurels are being made throughout the school year.
- **Mardi Gras Raffle Ticket Sale:** Although there will not be a Mardi Gras event this year (No worries, it will be back in February of 2013) students will again be selling raffle tickets this year. Prizes will be awarded to top sellers. The Mardi Gras Committee is working hard on new and creative ways to make this year's raffle a success. Details will be available soon.
- **Red Ribbon Week:** October 17- 21 was Red Ribbon Week at Parker. Red Ribbon week focuses on educating students about healthy choices, especially the choice to avoid drugs. In addition, Parker has incorporated anti-bullying awareness. The halls of Parker were decorated in red and each day the students were involved in a poster decorating contest, treats, special red gifts and a fabulous assembly. Don't forget to ask your student about the week.
- **School Store:** The Parker School Store has a great variety of pencils, pens, markers, folders, spirit wear, and even musical instrument supplies. The store is open to the students each day during lunch.
- **Spirit Wear:** We Have Spirit! How About You? We have a great selection of Parker Junior High School spirit wear being offered in the School Store. Orders placed in September should be arriving any day and will be distributed to the students during school.
- **Teacher Conference Desserts & Salads:** The teachers and staff at Parker work hard to make each school year a success. As a small jester of appreciation, dinner, beverages, and dessert are provided during the first evening of parent-teacher conferences on November 21. The PTO will be looking for

donation of **store bought** side salads, desserts, bottled water and cans of pop for the incredible team. Please contact a building chair if you are able to contribute.

- **7th Grade Dance Class:** Several of our 7th Grade students have been working very hard to learn to dance the cha-cha, fox-trot, waltz, swing and more. Parents are invited to celebrate their success during the last class on October 25. Don't be surprised if you are asked to show your dancing skills.

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