



Lowrie Primary PTA

growing together

supporting each other



The Lowrie PTA serves students, parents, and staff and acts with the purpose of celebrating our commonality and diversity, while strengthening and bringing together Lowrie families, staff, and the Wilsonville community

Feb. 7th, 2013

Important Dates Coming Up

Watch DOGS Pizza Night

Feb. 7th, 6:30 - 8:00pm

Bullwinkle's Day

Feb. 15th all day

Box Tops Deadline (hint: Pizza!)

Feb. 15th

Yearbook Cover Contest Deadline

Feb. 15th

The Ram Restaurant & Brewery Night

Feb. 26th, 6:00 - 9:00pm

Domino's Pizza Day

March 5th all day

Next PTA Meeting

**Feb. 27th - 6:00pm meet-n-greet
- 6:30 general meeting**

Cultivating Resiliency in Our Children: An Expert Panel and Community Discussion - a free event!

On February 26th from 6:00—7:30pm there will be a Parent Education Night, designed collaboratively by school counselors Zach Deets and Katie Flaker. This evening is supported by the Lowrie PTA, Boeckman Creek PTA and Boones Ferry PSS. Lowrie Primary will be hosting.

Childcare will be available, as well as interpreters for Spanish speakers and some light snacks. We also plan to unveil the parent lending library that we are purchasing for Lowrie parents through a grant from the City of Wilsonville.

On this panel, our school counselors Katie Flaker (LPS and BFPS) and Zach Deets (BCPS) will sit on the panel beside authors Kathy Masarie, Howard Hilton and Kelly Bartlett. Ms. Masarie is the author of "Raising Our Sons: The Ultimate Parenting Guide for Healthy Boys and Strong Families" and "Raising Our Daughters: The Ultimate Parenting Guide for Healthy Girls and Thriving Families." Mr. Hilton wrote "BAM! Boys Advocacy and Mentoring: A Leader's Guide to Facilitating Strengths-Based Groups for Boys." Ms. Bartlett is a BFPS parent, coach and facilitator for Positive Discipline and Attachment Parenting. Her book is "Encouraging Words for Kids."

This is going to be a great event and we will see you there!

We need you to be a part of our PTA!

We are forming a *Nominating Committee* to help recruit leadership in the PTA for the 2013-2014 school year. Please contact Katie Green at lowrie.vp.membership@gmail.com or attend the Feb. PTA meeting to join this team. If you serve on this committee, you should not intend to be on the Executive Committee. Please see our [Lowrie PTA Standing Rules for more information](#). There will be many opportunities to serve in PTA leadership! The four Executive Committee positions to be elected are: President, Vice President for Membership, Vice President for Fundraising, and Vice President for Marketing.

Yearbook Photos - WANTED!

We need photos for the yearbook. Email photos to:

lowrieptaphotos@gmail.com

We would like you to include the teacher's name in the subject heading. Please do not label the photos.

And a grand time was had...



...by all!

Thank you for your donations!

We made \$3,500 from the Snowball and Silent Auction! From our PTA President, "The money will be put to work to directly impact the Lowrie community (strengthen our community and support our teachers) through the PTA." A big thanks to our adult and NHS volunteers!

WatchDOGS (Dads Of Great Students) Program Kickoff

Attention Dads! On Thursday, **Feb. 7th**, from 6:30-8:00pm. we will be having our 1st annual 'Dads and Kids' Pizza Night at our school.

You will meet at the school gym at 6:30 p.m. for FREE pizza and drinks. At 7:00 p.m. there will be a presentation about our WatchDOGS (Dads Of Great Students) Program.

RSVP: Tadema@newlifew.com so that we'll have an accurate head count for the food. Then mark your calendars and we'll see you February 7th from 6:30-8:00pm!

Restaurant and Fun Center Days and Nights - A Must Do!

Family Fun Center and Bullwinkle's Restaurant is **Feb. 15th** all day! Go all day, there is no school that Friday!



The Wilsonville Ram Restaurant & Brewery will host a Lowrie

"School Takeover" Event at their site here in Wilsonville **Feb. 26th**, 6:00 - 9:00 pm. They will be giving Lowrie 10% of **ALL** sales (eat-in and to-go orders, merchandise, etc.), no flier required! They will be providing face painting, balloons, a free kids' sundae at the sundae station that they set up! Come join in on the fun Feb. 27th! See you there. Thanks to the Ram also for their generous auction donation.

Wilsonville Domino's Pizza will donate 25% of ALL sales, ALL day on **March 5th**. Dominos will even advertise the event for our school. Go Dominos!



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