



# PTO CONNECTION

## Welcome Back!



Graysville Elementary  
Parent Teacher  
Organization

### Upcoming Events!

- ◆ PTO Meeting -  
Monday, February  
4th @ 6:00 pm
- ◆ 15th Annual  
Spring Auction -  
March 22nd @  
6:00 pm
- ◆ Teacher  
Appreciation Week  
- May 6-10

We hope you had a wonderful break and were able to enjoy some time with your families. We are excited to be back at school in this beautiful new building and ready to kick off this last half of the school year. We still have a few great events coming up that we hope you will be able to attend. Our Annual Spring Auction will be on March 22nd. This event is loads of fun. We hope you will join us for dinner and a silent auction followed by the live auction with each class' baskets. Then we have Teacher Appreciation Week, which will be the week of May 6-10. This is a time when we get to show just how much we love and adore our wonderful teachers & staff.



We will have another PTE IN THE FACE CONTEST during the 2nd semester. Votes were cast by your Box Tops submissions and Mrs. Sholl and Mr. McGuire were the lucky recipients for the first semester! Such good sports!! Who will get a pie in the face next? Send in your Box Tops for your child to be entered into the drawing to be a PTE THROWER on the morning news. Don't forget, the top two contributors for the year will win a \$50 Target gift card given at the end of the school year!

What a great night hanging out at the Fort O Moe's on November 13th for our first Spirit Night! During those 4 hours of enjoying yummy food and socializing, we raised \$214.00 for GES! Thank you for supporting our school! Our next Spirit Night will be April 16th. Please join us!



We had so much fun at our 3rd annual winter fundraiser at Hamilton Skate Place! We raised \$555.00!!

A big thank you to all who ignored the rain to join us that night!

- Fall T-Shirts sold = 268
- Car Decals sold = 48
- Baseball Caps sold = 68
- If you supported the school by purchasing one, we thank you!

Our Annual Spring Auction will be on Friday, March 22nd, at 6:00 pm. Tickets are \$10, which includes your meal. There will be child care for GES students only. We will provide dinner and movies for them as well. The night will consist of a silent auction and a live auction. The silent auction includes items that have been donated from businesses and individuals from around the community. The live auction consists of themed baskets, front row seats to graduation, talent show, etc. Each classroom is responsible for donating items for their particular theme. Please make plans to join us for this fun night!

The engraved brick sale was a HUGE success! We sold 209 bricks that will be used in a walkway at the new school. These bricks will be installed in March 2019. We can not wait to see these in place!

Please keep those Box Tops coming! We have collected \$757.10 during our first semester!!

Winners for the first semester: K-2, Mrs. Rodgers' class and 3rd-5th, Mrs. Mountjoy's class. Both classes will be having a special party this month to celebrate! We can't wait to see which classes will win at the end of the year! Next collection is January 25th! Don't forget to download the free Box Tops app!

This year we started selling insulated tumblers with a laser etched paw print. We are selling these all year long. Order forms are available in the office, or you can contact the PTO for one. Cost is \$15 each. We've sold 89 so far! Please contact us @ [graysvilleelementaryPTO@gmail.com](mailto:graysvilleelementaryPTO@gmail.com) if you would like to order yours!

We had an awesome turn out again at our annual Fall Festival in October! We sold 387 armbands, the class pottery looked AMAZING, and our families had a great time! Our vendors offered an awesome variety of merchandise. A BIG thank you to all that donated items, time, support, money, or a helping hand. As always, it was greatly appreciated. PTO was able to raise \$8,878.26 during this event.

None of this was possible without **YOU!**

Our membership drive was a great success! We sold 298 total memberships!! Winners for the membership drive were Mrs. Blackwell's class from K-2nd grades with 25 memberships and Mrs. Mountjoy's class from 3rd-5th grades with 36 memberships. Both classes received a party to celebrate their win.

Way to go, guys!!

To stay up to date with events, remember to Like us on FaceBook and follow us on Twitter & Instagram @ges\_pto