



Ottawa Elementary PTO

Newsletter- October

Thank you

Thank you to those who attended our September PTO meeting. It was wonderful seeing and hearing from new participants. We value your ideas, thoughts, and feedback and appreciate all of those who attend and plan to attend in the near future.

During these meetings, there is a time where people can ask questions or offer suggestions. We'd love to hear from you.

There are a few classrooms that still don't have a classroom PTO parent representative this year. Please check in with your child's teacher to see if this is an area of need.

This is new, but we suggest that parents could work together to ensure that their child's grade level is represented at each PTO meeting. We are eager to hear your thoughts and suggestions as classroom parent reps!



UPDATE

A hot topic this meeting was the potential of an Ottawa t-shirt sale that families can purchase. At our next meeting we will have pricing and an options of what this might look like. We're excited to pursue the Ottawa Elementary t-shirt sale because we had this in the past and families loved wearing these shirts.

We're looking forward to assemblies this year and had a discussion about a potential option that supports our school initiative around positive behavior intervention supports.

Harvest Fest is coming in October and we're looking for feedback on how to run the much loved Halloween costume contest. More discussion on this next month, so bring your thoughts, suggestions, and ideas! We also are in need of committee members to help ensure the Harvest Fest runs smoothly. Let us know if you're willing to help!



COLOR FUN RUN!

We cannot wait to see volunteers and our kids run in the Color Fun Run on October 4. Please make sure your child has their permission slip turned in to participate. Thanks in advance to all the volunteers who make this successful.



Mark Your Calendar



PTO meetings are every third
Thursday at 3:30 here at
Ottawa. Please join us!

Presidents: Heather Boening & Stephanie Kimball

Vice Presidents: Erika Leppien





Secretary: Ashley Maginnis

Treasurers: Cory Nowak

Teacher Representative: Jodi Adams & Sandy Gendich



October 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4  Color Fun Run	5	6  Picture Day!	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Parent Teacher Conferences	18	19 Parent Teacher Conferences	20 NO SCHOOL	21
22	23  4th & 5th Grade Music Performance 6:30pm	24	25	26	27  Harvest Fest 5pm-7pm	28
29	30	31  Happy Halloween				

Upcoming Dates:

November 1st
NO SCHOOL

November 9th
Picture Retakes

November 15th
Craft Night