

THE LAB SCHOOL NEWS

September 28, 2016

FRIENDS OF THE LAB SCHOOL MEETING OCTOBER 4

Parents,

We hope the beginning of the school year is getting off to a great start for you and your family! Sara Macellaio (Vivienne's mom in Red Room) and I, Julie Ravensberg (William's mom in Red Room) are excited to be leading The Friends of The Lab School. Jaclyn Jezik is heading up the Trivia/Auction Committee this year. This event is the largest fundraiser for our school and is always a great night out. The lead-up to it, however, provides an excellent opportunity for parents to get to know one another and have some fun too!

Although it seems like April is a long way off, we need *help* to make this night successful and fun. *Please join us on Tuesday, October 4th at 7:00pm in the Thompson Room to kick-off this fun event and begin brainstorming as to how we can make this the most successful auction yet!* Please join us!

There are so many ways you can help and we are looking for people with all different interests, ideas, and talents - donation acquisition, set-up/tear-down, check-in/check-out, raffle ticket selling, storing donations, basket preparation/organization, auction program design, and more! It's a great event for working parents to get involved in since we do most all of our work in the evenings :) Any time you can share is welcome!

If you have any questions, let us know. *If you can't attend the meeting, but still want to be involved or have a donation you'd like to offer, please email us or stop us in the hall.*

Hope to see you there!

Thank you,

Julie Ravensberg , Sara Macellaio & Jaclyn Jezik

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Vision Screening- October 4th

Our yearly visit from the Delta Gamma Foundation will take place October 4th. They offer free vision screening for preschoolers. All children currently enrolled at The Lab School are welcome to take advantage of this opportunity. The screening takes place individually during the time your child is in class. Children who do not attend school on Tuesday are welcome to be screened. Just bring your child to school at 9:15 and we will screen your child first so you don't have to wait. You will be notified **ONLY** if any difficulties are identified from the screening. Please note that this is a vision screening only and not a thorough eye examination. Permission forms are being sent home today by back-pack-mail. The return basket for permission forms is located outside the office.

PARENT-CHILD NIGHT: OCTOBER 6th

Mark your calendar for October 6th and join us for Parent-Child Night at The Lab School. This is a great opportunity to experience a Lab School day with your child. This is a special night for your child so we ask that you make other arrangements for siblings. Parent(s) and child may drop in during the listed times to experience a variety of school activities! **YOUR** child is the tour guide!

Yellow Class 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Red Class 5:30-6:15 p.m.

Green & Blue Classes: 6:30-7:15 p.m.

Friends of The Lab School 3rd Annual Fall Hayride and Bonfire!
All Lab School Families and friends are invited to sign up to attend a hayride and bonfire in Queeny Park on Saturday, November 5 at 5:45p.m. The cost per person is \$10.00. Per St. Louis County, EVERY person is counted regardless of age (infants included) as there is a maximum capacity for each wagon. Please make the check payable to Friends of The Lab School. Please see the attached flyer for more information and sign-up form. The return basket for forms and money is located outside the office. This event sells out quickly, so it's first come, first serve! Hope you can come!

NEW FAMILY WELCOME SIGNS: We hope that you've enjoyed the "Welcome" signs. Thanks to the families who have already returned them. If you have not, please return the signs and stakes to the office by Friday, October 7nd.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS: We appreciate your book orders. The school receives points that we use to purchase books for our Library. October book orders will be sent home next week.

IMPORTANT DATES:

September 27 & 28: Class photos

October 4: Vision Screening

Friends of The Lab School meeting 7p.m.

October 6: Parent-Child Night

October 7: Welcome signs returned

November 5: Family Hayride & Bonfire

PARENT ARTICLE:

"Is your kid having a sleep crisis?"

<http://www.scholastic.com/parents/resources/article/parent-child/your-kid-getting-enough-sleep>