

Lakeway PTO

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Welcome to this week's issue of the Lakeway PTO Weekly News, a weekly e-letter that provides the PTO members with regular updates about programs, events, and activities. Encourage your friends and neighbors to subscribe on the home page of the Lakeway PTO Website.

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 24 - Kinder to Children's Museum

January 29 - Reports Cards Go Home

January 31 - Spelling Bee, 6pm, Cafe

February 4 - Kindergarten 100th Day

February 12 - PTO Meeting, 9am, Cafe

February 13 - Class Photos

February 14 - Valentine's Day

February 22/23 - School Play

FAT FRIDAY NEEDS YOU!

4th grade is the host for Fat Friday this Friday, January 25th. The committee has not received enough commitments from parents to bring food. Please consider bringing a dish to share if you are a 4th grade parent or any parent who would like to share a dish with the many deserving teachers and staff at LWE. I know the teachers and staff really look forward to this every month so let's get in the kitchen and whip up something great. The Fat Friday theme this month is **Superbowl Tailgate Luncheon** so there are many great ideas for sandwich platters, dips, fruit trays and salads that you can bring. Please bring all food to the teacher's workroom by 10:00 on Friday morning.

SPANISH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



YEARBOOK
PICTURES
DUE JAN. 31

ATTENTION PARENTS: Don't forget to get your class's pictures together and put on a CD for the yearbook committee. Please also include 2007 Track & Field Day pictures. **Please turn in the CDs by January 31st to the attention of TERRI MATT.**

Volunteers are needed to devote 30 minutes to 1 hour per week to implement district purchased Spanish program in LWE kinder-third grade classes. Working knowledge and good pronunciation of Spanish needed. The following classes currently do NOT have any Spanish lessons:

Kindergarten- Gregory, Hundley, Wynn, and Whites.

First Grade- Gonzales

Third Grade- Johnson, McDonald, Long and Porter

We introduced this volunteer Spanish program 2 years ago under the direction of the district. This is a great opportunity for our children to be exposed at a young age to another language which will help them be prepared as they go into their middle school and high school years. It is our intent to continue growing this program but we need your help to do it - please consider volunteering your time.

Please contact Karen Brennan-Wodchis at keb@austin.rr.com if you would like to volunteer. Volunteers are encouraged to work with individual teachers to schedule a time convenient for both the volunteer and the teacher.

TAKS TEST DATE CHANGE

Please note the TAKS test date has been changed to **Wednesday March 5th** for the following grades:

3rd & 5th Grade- Reading TAKS Test

4th Grade- Writing TAKS test

Please make necessary changes on your calendars to accommodate this change in test date.

PTO NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE

Thank you to the following ladies for volunteering to be on the LWE Nominations Committee. These ladies will be working on a slate of potential PTO officers for the 2008-2009 school year. Please contact any member of the Nominations Committee if you are interested in serving on the PTO Board for the 08-09 school year. More information will be coming from the Committee concerning potential volunteer opportunities.

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SPELLING BEE JANUARY 31ST

All are invited to attend the LWE Spelling Bee held on
Thursday January 31st at 6:00 PM in the LWE cafeteria.

PTO MEETING FEBRUARY 12TH

Our next PTO meeting will be on **Tuesday, February 12th**
AT 9 AM in the LWE cafeteria. Please join us to see what is
going on at your elementary school.

Sincerely,

Lakeway PTO
