

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 Web Site](#).

Upcoming Events

September 26 ~ Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night

September 27 ~ Early Release Day

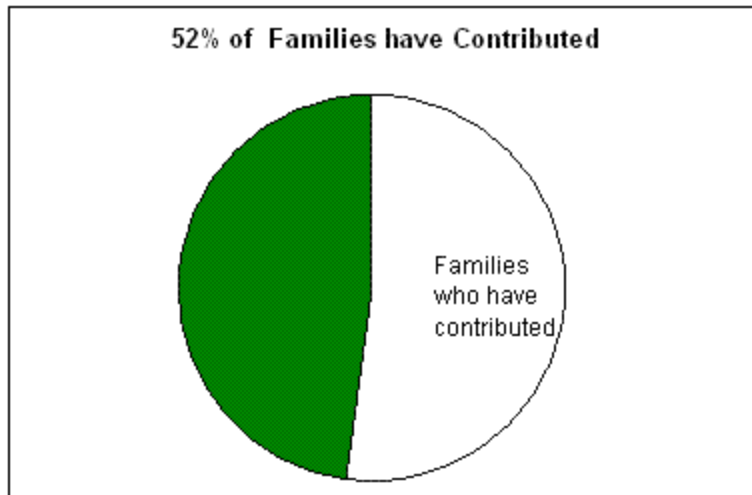
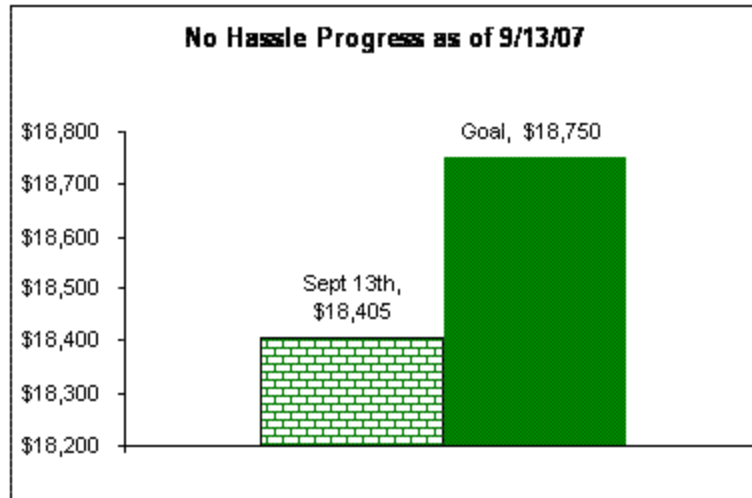
October 3 ~ Early Release Day

October 8 ~ Teacher Inservice/Student Holiday

October 9 ~ PTO Meeting, Cafe 9:00 am

October 20 ~ Fall Carnival

No Hassle Fundraiser Progress to Date!



On behalf of the PTO, teachers and staff at Lakeway Elementary we want to thank you for your generous donations to the No Hassle Fundraiser. We are so pleased by the positive response to this change in fundraising at Lakeway Elementary. We have almost reached our goal! No amount is too small, so please consider donating today.

For those families who are new to LWE, the No Hassle Fundraiser is intended to replace the previous years' Mustang Mixer which was a social event put on by the PTO and volunteers and included both live and silent auction items and hundreds of volunteer hours. When the budget for the 2007-2008 school year was created in May 2007, the carnival was included as an additional fundraising opportunity for the LWE PTO for the current school year. Monies raised come from various sources. Wristband sales give your child access to many carnival activities free of charge such as the class booths, bouncers and slides, face painting and so much more. Additional funds are raised from food

& drink sales, horseback riding, dunking booth, cake walk, etc.

The PTO would like to reduce the cost of wristbands to the carnival which in the past have been priced at **\$10 (prepaid) per child and \$12 (on 10/20 carnival day)**. Because we have not met or exceeded our goal for the No Hassle fundraiser & PTO Membership, we are unable to do this. Therefore, as a convenience and an incentive for those who have not turned in their donations, we will be curbside at drop-off and pick-up in both the upper and lower parking lots on Sept 19th, 20th, & 21st. We can take envelopes from you at that time or provide you with a form if you need one. If we significantly exceed our No Hassle Fundraising goal by **Friday, September 21st**, then we will be able to make a reduction in the cost of the wristbands. If you are concerned about sending your No Hassle envelope with your child, please consider either dropping it off at our curbside pick up or putting it in their daily folder that is checked by their homeroom teacher. Envelopes are then taken to the office and put in the PTO Treasurer's lockbox. Otherwise, we will see you curbside next week, Wednesday through Friday. Again, thank you for your generous support of Lakeway Elementary PTO. Your donation will help to enrich the educational experience of students at Lakeway Elementary! "We are Lakeway"!

Please direct any questions to Gigi Cappello @ 261-3133 or email fundraising@lakewaypto.org.

Save the Date!

The Lakeway Elementary Fall Carnival will be held on October 20, 2007 from 2:00 pm -6:00 pm.

Come join in the fun!

Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night

Wednesday September 26th is Lakeway Elementary Spirit Night at Chick-Fil-A. Chick- Fil- A will donate 10% of sales **in the restaurant and in drive-thru** starting at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday September 26th. **Please remember to turn your receipt into the designated box at Chick-Fil-A in order for LWE to receive credit toward the donation calculation.**

Lake Travis Homecoming 2007

All parent, students and Lake Travis Community members are

invited to celebrate and attend the 2007 Lake Travis Homecoming Week Events. Please join us for this exciting and spirit filled week. You may visit our school website for up-to-date event information, spirit day and parade route. Elementary, Middle School, LTYA and Youth Groups are encouraged to participate in the parade and stay for the pep rally and fireworks. See the school website for a float application and more information. <http://www.laketravis.txed.net/LTHS/>

Please pick up your dish from the PTO Workroom

Thank you for all of the volunteers who brought salads to the Staff Appreciation luncheon before school started. If you have not picked up your dish from the luncheon please pick them up in the PTO workroom this week. All dishes not picked up by Friday Sept. 28th will be donated to Lake Travis Crisis Ministries.

Lost & Found

Parents, please put your children's names on lunchboxes, jackets, balls, hats, etc. Jackets and lunchboxes and various other items without names are starting to pile up. Please check the Lost & Found located in the Cafeteria for missing items. We will try our best to return labeled items to your child's classroom. If you would like to help on this committee, please contact Christy Larrea at 291-7241. Thanks

Committee Chairpersons Needed

Please consider volunteering for the following open positions.

Natural Areas
Tech Mom/Dad

Does Your Scout Need a Bronze Project?

Recycle project during our Fall Carnival on October 20th. Contact Tracy Good for more information. (261-5791)

Sincerely,

Lakeway PTO

