

January 2021 Newsletter

Dallas Day School PTO

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Dear DDS Parents,

Happy New Year! Please join us next week, Jan 14th, for our very first virtual PTO meeting. We will share what we've done this school year, along with upcoming fundraising plans including the popular Spring Fling and auction.

Zoom meeting details to be sent shortly.

All the best,

Your DDS PTO Officers

Holiday Teacher Appreciation Gifts & Breakfast - *December 18th*



The PTO officers treated DDS teachers and staff with a holiday breakfast on Friday, December 18th. Every DDS teacher and staff member received a gift card (funded by the DDS PTO) as a token of our appreciation and thanks this holiday season. This is one of many ways we can give back to the teachers with the PTO's fundraising efforts.



Come to Our BOOK FAIR! **BOOK FAIR UPDATE** – we are excited to say we have earned over \$4,000 in Scholastic dollars so far. These dollars will be spent on supplies, books & furniture for our classrooms. Thanks to everyone who participated. We will be sharing pictures of how we allocate to each classroom.



Upcoming PTO Events

January 14

Quarterly PTO Meeting

April 8

Quarterly PTO Meeting

July 15

Quarterly PTO Meeting



We launched GroupMe chats last month and it's been well received, it would be great to get additional parent participation.

**Also – if your child has recently moved into a new classroom, please request to join that new room.*

- GroupMe is a free group messaging app (<https://groupme.com/en-US/>)
- DDS PTO plans to utilize this app to communicate school news and events with parents
- This chat app will help parents to network (since we no longer see each other in the school)
- You can join your child's classroom GroupMe with the published QR codes on the DDS Facebook page OR email Brandi @ brandiroush@yahoo.com