

Evans H&SA Newsletter - April 26, 2019

Basket Raffle: The Basket Raffle was a HUGE success! Thank you to all our volunteers, teachers, and staff who helped throughout the entire process! We raised **\$16,129** at this year's raffle!!! Thank you, thank you, thank you for your support! A list of our donors can be found on our website. Please visit these businesses and let them know you appreciate their support of our school! <http://www.evanshsa.org/11th-annual-basket-raffle.html>

The winning class basket is Mrs. Pence and Mrs. Hollinger's Lottery Themed Basket "Don't Stop Believin!" Students in those classes will enjoy Popsicles on the Pavilion as soon as the weather cooperates!

Original Works: Original Works orders are in! Our committee chair is working hard organizing all the orders, and will deliver them to school sometime next week. Questions can be sent to Sara McDowell at semcdowell813@gmail.com.

Book Fair: Congratulations to our Classroom Coin Challenge Winner – Mrs. Smith's first grade class! Their class earned \$25 worth of books for their classroom by contributing the most money for the Classroom Coin Challenge. The Coin Challenge supports cancer patients at CHOP King of Prussia. Many thanks to all who donated!

Book Fair envelopes are now due – it is not too late to send them in to school! In school shopping begins next week, **May 2nd** and our Family Shopping Nights are **Tuesday, May 7th and Thursday, May 9th**. Bruster's Ice Cream Cart will also be on site for both family shopping nights! We hope to see you there! Questions, please visit our book fair website: <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/eepa>

Volunteer opportunities for the Book Fair can be found here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b4bada72aa7fe3-spring>

As in previous Book Fairs, each Evans student will receive a FREE book valued at \$6.99 or less during in school shopping!

Art Show: Our Annual Art Show will be held on **Thursday, May 9, 2019** from 6-8pm. Tour the school to see our students creativity shine on the walls of Evans! Visit the gym to see your child's framed art on display! Visit room 108 to see glow neon artwork! Head over to the gym to see your child's framed art on display! Framed pieces are available for purchase! New for the 2019 show, credit cards are now being accepted to purchase artwork!

Family Fun Movie Night: Movie Night is scheduled for **Friday, May 10, 2019** at 7:30pm on the Evans playground! This is a FREE event for families! Bring a chair or blanket and some snacks and watch a movie under the stars! Rain date is Saturday, May 18.

Which movie do you want to see! Vote here ---> <https://forms.gle/WSDyavU7aJun79Qh9> The winning movie will be announced on our website on May 9!

To give us a better idea of how many guests to expect, please "order" your free tickets here - <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/family-fun-movie-night-tickets-56131567028>. You do not need to print out and bring physical tickets to the event. This is just to gauge how many people to expect.

If you won a VIP Movie Night Experience during the Fun Run, your tickets have already been reserved and were sent home with your child this week.

Teacher/Staff Supply Bin: We're running low on supplies for our teachers & staff! Please consider bringing an item for donation to Movie Night on May 10! Donatable items include disinfecting wipes, tissues, hand sanitizer, paper towels, and any other item frequently requested by our teachers. Thank you for helping keep our classes well stocked!

Teacher/Staff Appreciation Luncheon - Wednesday, May 15, 2019: Let's show our teachers and staff how much we appreciate them! The food for the Spring event is sponsored by the H&SA, but help is needed to set up, serve, and break down the luncheon. Visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d4eafac29a7ff2-teacher4> to sign up to help!

Daytime Help: Help is needed to welcome our newest students to Evans during Kindergarten Orientation on **Wednesday, May 29 and Thursday, May 30**. If you have availability please consider signing up to help - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0f48a8ad2aa2fd0-kindergarten>

Spirit Sticks: Our last Spirit Stick Sale for Gr. 1-4 is on **May 30, 2019!** To purchase spirit sticks and Spring-Ford Keychains, send in payment in an envelope marked "Spirit Stick Sale" with your child's name, teacher, and the amount you sent into school on May 30. Spirit Sticks are \$1, Keychains are \$2. This is the last day for Spirit Stick vouchers to be redeemed! To help with the sale visit - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b48a4ad2da02-spirit>

Field Day: Field Day is scheduled for **Friday, May 31, 2019!** Students should wear their Evans shirt on this fun filled day! A Sign Up Genius for volunteers is coming soon! This has filled FAST in years past, so sign up ASAP when you receive it. Want to be one of the first to get the link? Subscribe to the Daytime Help Committee in the AtoZ Directory to receive an email with the link before the rest of the Evans community! <https://atozconnect.com/cls/login.php>

Laminating: The new Spring Laminating Committee Sign Up is here! No prior experience is needed! Clearances are required to be on file with the district office and other children can not accompany you to school. Click the link below to sign up! <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044aaeab2cabfc1-evans2>

Spirit Wear: Get ready for Spring with new Spirit Wear! Visit https://teamlocker.squadlocker.com/#/lockers/evans-elementary-home-and-school-association?_k=quh5jv to check out all the amazing items for sale! New spring styles added! Free shipping directly to your home on orders over \$125!

Upcoming Events - Save the Date!

May 2 - 9, 2019 - Spring Book Fair!

Tues, May 7 & Thurs, May 9 - Book Fair Family Shopping Nights 6-8pm! Enjoy a Sweet Treat from Bruster's!

May 9, 2019 - Art Show 6-8pm!

May 10, 2019 - Family Fun Movie Night! Rain Date May 18!

May 14, 2019 - Last General Membership Meeting! 7pm in the Library!

May 15, 2019 - Spring Teacher/Staff Appreciation Luncheon!

May 17, 2019 - Spring Concert at 7pm! Includes all Evans 4th Graders and will feature Band, Orchestra, and Chorus!

May 30, 2019 - Last Spirit Stick Sale for Gr. 1-4!

May 31, 2019 - Field Day! Rain Date Tuesday, June 4!

Active Sign Up Genius Links & Event Websites

Spring Book Fair - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b4bada72aa7fe3-spring>

Teacher/Staff Appreciation - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d4eafac29a7ff2-teacher4>

Kindergarten Orientation - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0f48a8ad2aa2fd0-kindergarten>

Laminating - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044aaeab2cabfc1-evans2>

Spirit Stick Sales (LAST Sale May 30, 2019!) -

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b48a4ad2da02-spirit>

Spirit Wear -

https://teamlocker.squadlocker.com/#/lockers/evans-elementary-home-and-school-association?_k=quh5jv

Donors Choose Opportunities

1. **Flexible Seating: A Cozy Classroom Community by Mrs. DiBenedetto:** Please consider supporting Mrs DiBenedetto create A Cozy Classroom Community for her students! Visit <https://tinyurl.com/y5x84bc9> for more info and to donate!

2. **Flexible Seating: A Comfy Classroom to Help Increase Student Engagement by Mrs. Smith:** Please consider supporting Mrs. Smith offer alternative seating options in her classroom! Visit <https://donorschoo.se/e/eFx375CE3U> for more info and to donate!

3. **Flexible Seating: First Graders Need Flexible Seating Options by Mrs. DeAngelo:** Please consider supporting Mrs. DeAngelo offer flexible seating options to her students! Visit <https://tinyurl.com/yxh64z4w> for more info and to donate!

4. **Flexible Seating: One "Seat" Does Not Fit All by Mr. Latch:** This project has been FULLY FUNDED! Thank you for your support! <http://tinyurl.com/y2nb9l5q>

5. **Flexible Seating by Mrs. McGarry:** This project has been FULLY FUNDED! Thank you for your support! <https://www.donorschoose.org/project/flexible-seating-in-first-grade/4008503>

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