



November 2021

RFIS PTO Monthly Newsletter

The RFIS PTO needs you!

The RFIS PTO works to create a sense of community, support teachers, enhance the educational environment and provide students with fun and educational experiences. In the past, the PTO has organized and funded the following: Back-to-school events for the students and teachers, Academic Planners for all students, 5th and 6th Grade Activity Nights, teacher appreciation gifts and events, refreshments and prizes for Walk-a-Thon and Field Day, student assemblies and the 6th Grade Send-Off.

***RFIS may not have Homeroom Parents,
but there are still lots of ways to become involved!***

- Become a PTO Member: <https://forms.gle/iFhfjJS3yskEJnAy9>
- Volunteer for the PTO: <https://forms.gle/UX8RHdXzh3RKVHg58>
- Follow us on FB @RFISPTO (send us some 👍 & ❤️ to increase reach!)

PTO MEETING:

All RFIS parents are invited to attend the PTO meeting on Wednesday, November 17th at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom. (Comfy clothing and favorite beverages are welcome!) Agenda will include a recap of the 6th Grade Activity Night, overview of this year's Holiday Hands program, upcoming fundraisers, and other items of business. Join us on Zoom: Meeting ID: 845 2838 9370 Passcode: 811145

NOVEMBER FUNDRAISERS:

[Holiday Hands](#) This year, our annual fundraiser will look a little different. There will be two ways to give! The United Way will be setting up Amazon Wish Lists for each of the schools in our district, so parents can buy gifts for families in need, and have them shipped directly to the United Way Volunteer Center on Fulper Road in Flemington. Or sign up to buy a gift card, and drop it off at the school during Parent-Teacher Conferences during the week of November 29th. More info to come!

[Taste of Naples Dine-Out](#) Come enjoy a night without cooking! Order out or eat in at Taste of Naples in Ringoes on Wednesday, November 17th and Thursday, November 18th from 7-9pm. Mention the RFIS PTO and 10% of your check goes back to the PTO.

[Moms' Night Out @ Hammer and Stain](#) Moms! Need some "you" time?! Enjoy a fun DIY night at Hammer and Stain on Friday, November 19th from 6:30-8:30 pm, and 20% of the proceeds will go to RFIS PTO and support fun events for the school year.

<https://bit.ly/3GHNSgD>

[Box Tops](#) Here is another no-extra-cost-to-you way to help support the RFIS PTO. Buy products with the Box Tops logo, scan your receipts into the app and the PTO will earn cash for our school programs! See flyer below..

[Amazon Smile](#) Looking for the easiest way to support the RFIS PTO? Select us as your default charity on Amazon.com, and we get a percentage of what you spend! Details below..



RFIS PTO TREASURY UPDATE:

October Income:

\$ 623.03	Membership Dues from Parents & Teachers/Administrators
\$ 119.00	Humdoo Dine-Out
\$ 165.00	Blue Fish Grill Dine-Out
\$ 2,800.00	Scholastic Book Sale Proceeds
\$ 5,662.29	RFIS PTO Walk-a-Thon Donations

October Expenditures:

\$ 1,345.00	6th Grade Activity Night
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Upcoming Expenses:

- Teacher Appreciation/Holiday Gifts

We need your involvement to make PTO programs successful!

Please contact us at rfispto1@gmail.com with questions or concerns.

RFIS PTO Executive Board

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READING-FLEMING INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL PTO CALENDAR 2021-2022

September

- Thursday, 9/9 Welcome Back Event for 5th Graders 6:30pm to 7:30pm
- Friday, 9/17 Welcome Back Event for 6th Graders 6:30pm to 7:30pm
- Wednesday, 9/15 Fall Plant Sale begins
- Wednesday, 9/22 General PTO meeting at 7:00pm
- Wednesday, 9/22 Fall Plant Sale ends
- Monday, 9/27 Meadow Farms sale begins

October

- Monday, 10/4 to Wednesday, 10/6 Book Fair
- Thursday, 10/7 Fall Plant pickup
- Wednesday, 10/13 Meadow Farms sale ends
- Friday, 10/22 Sixth Grade Activity Night
- Tuesday, 10/26 Walkathon
- Wednesday, 10/27 Walkathon (rain date)

November

- Monday, 11/15 Holiday Hands begins
- Wednesday, 11/17 General PTO meeting at 7:00pm
- Friday, 11/19 Mom's Night Out at Hammer and Stain Flemington from 6:30pm to 8:30pm
- Monday, 11/29 Holiday Hands ends

January

- Wednesday, 1/26 General PTO meeting at 7:00pm

March

- Monday, 3/14 to Friday 3/18 Spring Book Fair
- Friday, 3/18 Spring Flower Sale begins
- Wednesday, 3/23 General PTO meeting at 7:00pm

April

- Friday, 4/1 Spring Flower Sale ends
- Saturday, 4/9 Spring Flower Sale pickup
- Friday, 4/29 Basket Auction

May

- Wednesday, 5/4 General PTO meeting at 7:00pm
- Friday, 5/6 Basket Auction (rain date)
- Friday, 5/13 Fifth Grade Activity Night
- Friday, 5/20 Fifth Grade Activity Night (Rain date)
- Friday, 5/20 to Friday, 5/22 Sixth Grade yard sign pick up

June

- Thursday, 6/9 Field Day
- Friday, 6/10 Field Day (rain date)
- Wednesday, 6/15 Sixth Grade Send-Off
- Thursday, 6/16 Sixth Grade Send-Off (rain date)



CALENDARIO DEL PTO DE LA ESCUELA INTERMEDIA DE READING-FLEMING 2021-2022

Septiembre

- Jueves, 9/9 Evento de bienvenida para estudiantes de 5° grado 6:30pm a 7:30pm
- Viernes, 9/17 Evento de bienvenida para estudiantes de 6° grado 6:30pm a 7:30pm
- Miércoles, 9/15 La venta de plantas de otoño empieza.
- Miércoles, 9/22 Reunión general del PTO a las 7:00pm
- Miércoles 9/22 La venta de plantas de otoño termina
- Lunes, 9/27 la venta de Meadow Farms comienza

Octubre

- Lunes, 10/4 hasta el 10/6 Feria del libro
- Jueves, 10/7 Recogida de plantas de otoño
- Miércoles, 10/13 venta de Meadow Farms termina
- Viernes, 10/22 Noche de actividades de sexto grado
- Martes, 10/26/22 Caminata
- Miércoles, 10/27 Caminata (fecha de lluvia)

Noviembre

- Lunes, 11/15 Holiday Hands comienza
- Miércoles, Reunión general del PTO a las 7:00pm
- Viernes, 11/19 Noche de padres en Hammer and Stain Flemington de 6:30pm a 8:30pm
- Lunes, 11/29 Holiday Hands termina

Enero

- Miércoles, 1/26 Reunión general del PTO a las 7:00pm

Marzo

- Lunes, 3/14 hasta el viernes 3/18 Feria del libro de primavera
- Viernes, 3/18 Comienza la venta de flores de primavera
- Miércoles, 3/23 General Reunión de PTO a las 7:00 pm

Abril

- Viernes, 4/1 La venta de flores de primavera termina
- sábado, 4/9 Recogida de la venta de flores de primavera
- Viernes, 4/29 Subasta de canastas

Mayo

- Miércoles, 5/4 Reunión general del PTO a las 7:00pm
- Viernes, 5/6 Subasta de canastas (fecha de lluvia)
- Viernes, 5/13 Noche de actividades de quinto grado
- Viernes, 5/20 hasta el viernes, 5/22 Recogida de letreros en el patio de sexto grado

Junio

- Jueves, 6/9 Día de campo
- Viernes, 6/10 Día de campo (fecha de lluvia)
- Miércoles, 6/15 Salida de sexto grado
- Jueves, 16/6 Salida de sexto grado (fecha de lluvia)



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