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SNEAK A PEEK AND PTA FAIR AUG. 20

This Thursday, stop by your child's classroom from 4-5pm to meet your child's teacher. Come early or stay late (3:30-5:30pm) to check out the PTA Fair in the gym - learn about PTA programs and after-school classes, buy the latest spirit wear styles, and more! Interested in volunteering at our PTA Fair? Sign up at: www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0545a8af2ea46-sneak2. Contact Sarita Venkatraman at president@wyattpta.org with questions.

BACK TO SCHOOL WIZARD

So far, more than 100 Wyatt families have logged into the PTA's Back To School Wizard! If you aren't one of those, you're missing out! This is our convenient and simple process through which you can buy spirit wear, planners, and yearbooks; edit your online directory info; join PTA; contribute to our #techforwyatt fundraising campaign, sign up to volunteer, and more, all in one step. Visit pisd.parentconnect.net/portal/wyeppta/backtoschool to check it out! Orders placed by Tuesday, August 18th at midnight will be available for pickup at our Sneak-A-Peek PTA Fair on August 20th from 3:30-5:30pm. Contact Sarita Venkatraman at president@wyattpta.org with questions.

#TECHFORWYATT FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

Our campaign to raise money for tablets (iPads and Chromebooks) at Wyatt is up and running - so far, we have raised more than \$3500! We need much more to reach our minimum goal of 10 tablets per grade, so we hope we can count on your support! Donate through our online store at pisd.parentconnect.net today. Contact Esther Rutnam at fundraising@wyattpta.org with questions.

WYATT PTA DAD'S CLUB AND WATCH D.O.G.S. WILL KICKOFF SOON!

To include the dad in your family, send his name and email to Todd Boone at DadsClub@wyattpta.org or check the "Dad's Club Members" interest box in the Volunteer section of the Back to School Wizard at WyattPTA.org. Dad's Club is a great way for dads to be involved in Wyatt by participating in fun activities with your kids at school. Activities include Watch D.O.G.S. (our school-based father involvement program at Wyatt), morning drop-off greeter, Donuts with Dad, and Wyatt service projects.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

We are excited to offer a variety of after school programs at Wyatt this year. Please see attached flyers at the bottom of the eNews for program details and registration information.

PASAR students can attend and will be dismissed back to PASAR at the end of the class. Vendors will be available to answer your questions at Sneak-a-Peek on August 20th between 3:30 and 5:30pm, or by contacting the vendor listed on the flyer. Contact Soundra Sundharam at education@wyattpta.org for more info.

Session Days (all classes held 3-4pm):

Mondays - Brainopolis "Espionage Camouflage!", Sep 14-Nov 20

Tuesdays - The Art Experience, Sep 14-Nov 20

Wednesdays - Wyatt Garden Club (twice a month), Sep 14-Dec 11

Thursdays - UT Dallas STEM Computer Coding, Sep 14-Nov 20

Fridays - USA Chess, Sep 14-Dec 11

PTA TEXT MESSAGE UPDATES

Now that you've joined our "Wyatt Elementary PTA" Facebook group (you have done that, haven't you?), get even more connected to what's happening at your child's school by signing up for text message updates. Text "Follow @WyattElemPTA" to subscribe to texts from Wyatt PTA. You may also follow us on Twitter @WyattElemPTA. Contact Lisa Mendiola at communications@wyattpta.org with questions.

Note from Mrs. Hentges

Hello Everyone!

We are really getting excited about seeing you in just a few more days! Please plan to bring your family to Wyatt beginning at 3:00 for the PTA fair which is followed at 4:00 by Sneak-A-Peek! Many of you are returning Wyatt families so you know what to expect, but for those of you who are new, this is when you will get to find out who your classroom teacher is and visit your new classroom.

Please note:

- 1) Your registration forms must be complete in order to go to the Sneak-A-Peek. Please bring your confirmation which shows you have completed your forms.
- 2) If you are unable to complete the forms by Thursday afternoon, you can finish them in our library and then go to the classroom.

The Wyatt Wire has a lot of great information to help guide you about the many fun activities and opportunities that exist here at Wyatt!

The teachers are very busy getting everything ready for your students. In addition, this week will be filled with Professional Development that includes the entire staff. Please be patient if you are trying to contact us and there is a delay in our response.

You can follow us on twitter @wyattlearns #wyattlearns

And sign up for Remind to get updates on school-wide activities from Mrs. Hentges. Text to the number 81010 and in the message type @wyaatf

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Thank you,

Cynthia Hentges