

Cedar Hill Scoop

September 14, 2018

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

September 15	Last Day to Update AtoZ Directory
September 17	Board of Ed Meeting 7PM @ Ridge PAC
September 19	School Closed -- Yom Kippur
September 21	Family Fun Night @ 4:30 pm - Volunteer Spirit Wear Sale Ends
September 24	Board of Ed Meeting 7PM @ Ridge PAC
September 26	General PTO Meeting 9AM
October 2	Back to School Night
October 5	Last Day to Join PTO
October 11	Parent Social @ Stirling Hotel

JOIN THE PTO

We invite you to join the CHS PTO for the 2018-2019 school year and hope to reach our goal of 100% participation! Each year the PTO organizes and funds over 50 events for our CHS students, from annual initiatives like assemblies and field trips to larger goals like playground renovations and technology updates. The funds from these events come directly from your PTO dues, as well as from annual fundraisers.

As a bonus, your \$35 PTO membership fee gets you access to the online AtoZ Directory, which contains contact information for CHS families as well as teacher assignments once they are posted. **Only those who pay their PTO dues by October 5** will receive a printed copy of the school directory in the late fall. After this date, only the online AtoZ directory will be available upon joining the PTO.

For your convenience you may pay your PTO dues by visiting www.chspto.org where a button to pay dues is available for PayPal. (Please note there is a \$1.35 courtesy fee from Paypal). You may also pay by check. Either fill out the attached form and mail it to Cedar Hill School OR send it in to school with your child.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT: 9/21 - VOLUNTEER

You are cordially invited to come and kick off the start of another great school year at Cedar Hill, **Friday September 21st**, from **4:30-6:30 pm**. Bring the whole family to enjoy bouncing inflatables, games, dunk tank (be the first to dunk your teacher or Mr. Ciempola), face painting, airbrush tattooing, a magician and DJ. Pizza, drinks, and treats will be available for sale. Please see attached pizza order form to order pizza in advance (limited quantities will be available for sale at the event without a pre-ordered form).

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help make this event a success: Please volunteer to help sell food, drinks and help out with activities in 45 minute shifts, from 4:30-7pm. Go to <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0f4aa5ac2caaf49-cedar> to sign up for a time slot to help. Thanks!!

SPIRIT WEAR SALE

We are excited to be offering the spirit wear sale again this year. It's always cool to support your school & be in-style with CHS wear, especially on Green & Gold assembly days! Please place your orders online by Sept 21st.

<https://schoolcolorsinc.com/cedarhill/shop/home>

Any questions, please contact SpiritWear@cedarhillpto.org

GENERAL PTO MEETING: 9/26

Our first General PTO meeting will be Wednesday, September 26th at 9:00 A.M. Cedar Hill School Principal, Mr. Paul Ciempola, Assistant Principal, Krissy Uhler and Guidance Counselor, Molly Wilcox will be our speakers. Please join us!

CEDAR HILL PARENT SOCIAL -- 10/11 OKTOBERFEST THEME!

Let's kick off the school year with a fun night of football with an **Oktoberfest** twist! Parents, join us on **Thursday, October 11th at 7:30 pm** in the Stirling Hotel Beer Garden to watch the **Giants vs. Eagles** and enjoy some Oktoberfest samplings. **Due to limited space in the Beer Garden, only guests with tickets will be admitted.**

WHEN: Thursday, October 11th @ 7:30 p.m.

WHERE: Stirling Hotel Beer Garden // [277 Main Ave.](http://www.stirlinghotel.com) Stirling, NJ

COST: \$40/Person (\$80/Couple)

Each ticket includes 2 drinks and an Oktoberfest buffet as the game plays on a big screen inflatable t.v.! Cash bar and grille menu will also be available.

STEP 1: Fill out the Google Form found at <https://www.chspto.org/oktoberfest.html>

STEP 2: Send your check into school in your child's backpack or bring your check made out to Cedar Hill PTO to the Main Office. Please mark the envelope "Oktoberfest." No cash.

STEP 3: Wait for a confirmation email letting you know your form and check have been received.

Questions? Email us at fundraising@cedarhillpto.org

FALL BOX TOPS CAMPAIGN

Ready, Set, Go!! The Fall Box Tops collection is starting. Look for your collection sheets in your children's backpacks next week. Please continue collecting Box Tops from all of your favorite brands like Motts applesauce, Ziploc, General Mills, Nature Valley granola bars, and many more. Every Box Top your family clips not only raises money for CHS but it also brings your child's class closer to an extra recess. The top two students with the most submissions will also win individual prizes.

Here's how to help CHS:

1. Keep clipping those Box Tops!!
2. Use the sheet coming home in your child's backpack and tape or glue the Box Tops to it. Please copy additional sheets if you have already collected more than 50!!! Please put your child's name on the sheets along with his/her homeroom for credit. We will redact the identifying information once the sheets have been tallied.
3. Please send in the bonus certificates separately in a Ziploc with your child's name and classroom on the bag.
4. Send in the completed sheets and bonus certificates with your child.

It's that easy! We will count them up and send them in. Any questions, please contact Sonya Longo at sonya.longo@verizon.net, Bridget Schiraldo at bschiraldo@yahoo.com or Olivia Wintermute at owintermute21@gmail.com.

5TH GRADE ALERT – YEARBOOK PICS NEEDED

Work has started on the 5th Grade yearbook and we need your pictures! The Yearbook staff invites parents to submit photos for the yearbook. Our photographers can't be everywhere. Help us get as many photos as possible to create a terrific book everyone will want to have.

Right now we'd love any photos you took of your kids in their classroom activities from kindergarten to the present.

Here is how you can submit photos online:

- Go to: <https://images.schoolannualonline.com/login>
- If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: 410473685
- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload.
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- Click "Upload Chosen Images".

It's that easy! Submit your photos today! Questions? Contact Alice Nemetz nemetzfamily@verizon.net

FROZEN FALLS & CHS – A DELICIOUS COMBO

Looking for a cool treat after school or a delicious way to cool down after fall activities? Cedar Hill School is participating in the Frozen Falls Community Give Back Program again this year! All you need to do is mention the **Cedar Hill PTO** at checkout and **15% of your purchase will be donated back to CHS**, so head over to Frozen Falls and show your support for the Cedar Hill School!

FRIDAY FOLDER: Need to sign up for the Cedar Hill Friday Folder and or the Honeywell Alert System?

Here are the Links:

Cedar Hill Friday Folder:

http://www.bernardsboe.com/district_information/friday_folders/friday_folder_sign_up/

(remember to check the Cedar Hill box)

Honeywell Alert System: <https://instantalert.honeywell.com>

HELPFUL WEBSITES:

CEDAR HILL PTO – www.chspto.org

CEDAR HILL SCHOOL - <http://cedarhill.bernardsboe.com> (school policies and procedures can be found on this website)

AtoZ Link - www.schooldirectoryupdate.com

LUNCH PREPAYMENTS - <http://www.myschoolbucks.com> (online account for student lunches)

SCHOOL CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENTS - <http://www.bernardsboe.com> (you can also sign up for Friday Folders and Honeywell Alert System here)

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION - <http://www.boxtops4education.com>

AMAZON SMILE - <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-3679303>

OLIVER LABELS - www.oliverslabels.com/cedarhill (enter Promo Code FUN3072)

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Submissions to the Cedar Hill Scoop may be emailed to chsscoop@cedarhillpto.org. Deadline for submissions is **Wednesday at 5pm** for inclusion on Friday. ALL submissions must be approved by the PTO Presidents.

PTO Presidents: Ryan Parker and Liz Vinhal can be emailed at chsinfo@cedarhillpto.org

Editors: Rebecca Murphy & Megan Lipset can be emailed at chsscoop@cedarhillpto.org.

ATTACHMENTS BELOW

September Lunch Menu

PTO Membership Form

Family Fun Night Pizza Order Form

Box Tops Collection Sheet