

Cedar Hill Scoop

March 1, 2019

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

March 1	5th grade yearbook photos due
March 6	Half Day- 12:45 Dismissal
March 10	Harlem Wizards Basketball Event
March 13	General PTO Meeting- 9AM, Cafeteria Topic: School Safety
March 16	Science/STEM Fair - 9AM, Cafeteria
March 18	Board of Ed Meeting- 7PM, WAMS
March 29	Boys Night Out— Save the Date!

HARLEM WIZARDS BASKETBALL GAME

VOLUNTEERS are needed to make this event a success!

Volunteer here -- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a054badad2ea7fb6-chswizards>

TICKETS: A limited number of tickets are still available online, however, should the event sell out there will NOT be any tickets available to purchase at the door. Buy online here -- <https://harlemwizards.thundertix.com/events/140111>

For those of you who have already purchased tickets via the paper form, tickets will be sent home with your child the week of March 4th.

50/50 RAFFLE: You too could be a winner at the Wizards Game with our game-time 50/50 raffle! **5 tickets for \$10, 15 for \$20 – cash only!** Tickets will be sold until the end of halftime and the drawing will be at the end of the 3rd quarter! Winner must be present to collect.

NEW PTO BOARD OPENING! -- VP OF FUNDRAISING

The PTO is in need of a VP of Fundraising starting next year (2019-2020). This is a two-year commitment and one of the most impactful roles on the board. The responsibilities are as follows: Attend all executive and general meetings; oversee all fundraising events, including the "big" spring fundraiser; attend preliminary fundraising event meetings and provide continuous assistance as needed by the event Chairs. Maintain appropriate annual fundraising files. Research new fundraising opportunities.

Interested? Drop an email to chsinfo@cedarhillpto.org by **March 13th**

GENERAL PTO MEETING- MURAL UNVEILING

The next General PTO Meeting will be held on **Wednesday, March 13th** at 9AM. Please join us in the Cafeteria as we unveil the beautiful new mural, painted by local artist, Caren Frost Olmstead, all of our CHS students, and many parent volunteers. **Hank Werner**, Director of School Safety and Security, will be speaking, followed by an **English/Language Arts Curriculum Forum**. Please join us!

SCIENCE/STEM FAIR -- VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are excited for our annual Science/STEM fair for grades 3-5 on **March 16 from 9:00am-12:00pm**. Volunteers are needed to donate coffee and water, set up on **3/15**, and work at the fair on **Saturday, March 16th!** Click the link to sign up! Thank you!
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0449ADA62DA7F58-march>

BOYS NIGHT OUT – SAVE THE DATE!

Calling all boys and their special ladies, come on out and enjoy our annual BNO on **Friday, March 29th from 6:30-8:30pm**. This year's event will be at Branchburg Sports Complex and will include a ton of fun activities such as dodge ball, gaga, playmaze or laser tag (depending upon the child's grade) and arcade time!!! Moms, don't worry about dinner that night since pizza and drinks will be served. Just make sure to wear your sneakers since the ladies will get a chance to challenge their favorite guys on the field! We hope to see you all there!! Please note, this event is only for current CHS boys and their favorite lady. **Signup details and flyer will be coming soon!**

VALENTINE'S DAY STAFF APPRECIATION BREAKFAST- THANK YOU!

The CHS teachers and staff enjoyed a wonderful morning of delicious breakfast items, homemade treats, coffee and door prizes. We would not have been able to make this event a success without the help of many wonderful parents! Thank you to all of our fabulous volunteers: **Amy Anaya, Barbara Geary, Beth Donnelly, Catherine Gilbert, Chris Ross, Cori Fonzetti, Courtney Klimovich, Cynthia Kirchner, Danielle Abrutyn, Dimitra Patton, Hillary Morgan, Jamie Higgins, Jessica Harrigan, Kamlesh Shekhawat, Katie Lawlor, Kristin McInerney, Lauren Bonura, Lee Clark, Lisa Szikman, Liz Vinhal, Lorraine Anderson, Lynn DeAngelo, Manjula Vellingiri, Marian Abdou, Marian Francis, Meghan Flinn, Michele Iannotte, Michelle Jacoby, Mildred Jones, Natalie Cash, Nicole Henderson, Patricia Scott, Rebecca Murphy, Ryan Parker, Sara Medenilla, Sarah Heller, Shruti Goel and Tara Kanofsky**. A special thank you to our Event Chairs, **Courtney Samuel** and **Michele Sousa**, and PTO Board Liaison, **Colleen Harris**, for all their hard work in putting together the breakfast!

WINTER BOX TOPS CHALLENGE!

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Winter Box Tops Challenge! We raised \$240 for CHS!!

Ms. Nollkamper's class had the most Box Tops and wins an extra recess! Our top individual collectors were **Eliana Yerov** from Ms. Nollkamper's class and **Keban**

Ramnauth from Ms. Flaherty's class. Both students earned gift cards from the Learning Express for all of their hard work! Congratulations to all of our winners!

Please remember to keep clipping to get a head start on next year!

MARCH BTEA CLINICS

The BTEA invites you to learn to sew or learn to speak Italian in this month's offering of free clinics. See attached flyers.

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)

STOP AND SHOP A PLUS REWARDS PROGRAM- stopandshop.com (Cedar Hill ID Code 07390)

FROZEN FALLS- Mention the **Cedar Hill PTO** at checkout and **15% of your purchase** will be donated back to CHS

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

March Lunch Menu

March Calendar
March BTEA Clinics