



Parent Teacher Organization
Annual Membership Packet
2019-2020



August 2019

McCormick Families,

On behalf of McCormick Elementary, welcome to the 2019-20 school year! We are so happy to have you as a part of the McCormick Community! This year McCormick's PTO will continue to encourage our children to choose kind as we all PAY IT FORWARD. We are very excited about all of the programming, events and activities planned for the upcoming year. The PTO Board is excited to be welcoming back COSI and MadCap Puppets, as well as a visit from the Children's Theater. We are also excited to have been able to fund flexible seating options and supplies for the NEW Maker's Space!

If you are looking for a way to contribute to your child's school experience, one of the easiest ways is to become a member of McCormick Elementary PTO (Membership does not renew itself; families must join annually). A McCormick PTO Family Membership is only \$10 a year and helps support the many activities, events and building improvements that take place at McCormick. **Joining PTO does not obligate you in any way** – it is simply a way to help fund the numerous PTO sponsored events.

Over the years PTO has supported McCormick in many ways. We have provided SMART boards, building upgrades, curriculum updates, Chrome Book Carts and most recently new playground equipment! PTO also coordinates numerous activities for our students and families including family skate nights, the talent show, the book fair, assemblies, field day, the magic show, after school enrichments and more. These improvements, activities and much more are funded by the McCormick PTO and help to make McCormick the amazing place it is.

In addition, there are endless opportunities for families to volunteer throughout the year. These events could not happen without the help of dedicated people like you! Without volunteers we simply cannot hold the events we do. As volunteers are needed, we will send out a sign-up genius asking for the volunteers and supplies needed. There are always many ways to help out. There is so much more we can do if we have the volunteers to do it.

We are grateful for the dedicated parents who have been involved and have volunteered at our events in the past. If you would like to become more active in the school community, I encourage you to volunteer. You will not regret it! Over the years, I have found volunteering brings parents together; it helps foster new relationships, lasting friendships and a sense of community!

Information about upcoming PTO events will be sent home in Friday folders, posted on the McCormick Elementary Facebook page, posted on our website (www.mccormickpto.com) and put in "McCormick Matters", our weekly newsletter.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact any of our 2019-20 Executive Board Members. Thank you in advance for your support and we look forward to a great school year!

Sincerely,

Barb Oehler
McCormick Elementary PTO President



McCormick PTO Executive Board

Our 2019-20 PTO Executive Board hopes to encourage our children to continue to choose kind as we all PAY IT FORWARD. We are looking forward to another successful year supporting our McCormick community. Please contact your Board Members if you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions.



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McCormick PTO Committee Sign-up



McCormick PTO has numerous opportunities to get involved with committees operating within our four service areas. We are in need of volunteers to be part of the committees listed below. If you are interested in serving on one or more committees, please check the appropriate circle(s) from the list. For additional information about what each committee entails, please review the committee descriptions found with the PTO documents at www.mccormickPTO.com and/or contact the respective PTO Vice President. Needs for each committee vary and do not always require availability during school hours.

Without parent volunteers, we simply can not provide these experiences for our students or staff! We need you!

<p><u>Academic Enrichment</u> (PTO VP – Allison Slemons)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="radio"/> McCocoa Café (Family Reading Night)<input type="radio"/> McMath/McSteam Night (Family Science/Math Night)<input type="radio"/> McCulture Night (Family Social Studies Nights)<input type="radio"/> McEarth Day (Family Science Day/grounds cleanup)<input type="radio"/> Assemblies	<p><u>Social Events</u> (PTO VP – Angela Colwell)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="radio"/> 6th Grade Recognition Night<input type="radio"/> Musical<input type="radio"/> Talent Show<input type="radio"/> Field Day<input type="radio"/> Art Show<input type="radio"/> Magic Show
<p><u>Fundraising</u> (PTO VP – Natalie McCormick)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="radio"/> McCormickFest 5K Run/Walk & Festival<input type="radio"/> Scholastic Book Fair<input type="radio"/> Community Rewards Programs (Kroger)<input type="radio"/> McFamily Fun Events<input type="radio"/> McCormick Kids' Consignment Sale	<p><u>Community Connections</u> (PTO VP – Molly Zeek)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="radio"/> Community Outreach (ex: mitten drive)<input type="radio"/> Green Thumb (Landscape Upkeep)<input type="radio"/> Yearbook/Picture Days<input type="radio"/> Staff Appreciation Luncheon<input type="radio"/> Staff Appreciation Week (not lunch)<input type="radio"/> Recognition of Staff Birthdays (Sunshine)

I am interested in Chairing or Co- Chairing an event. Please contact me.

Please Print:

Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Questions? Contact: Allison Slemons (Alslemons@yahoo.com), Angela Colwell (franzcolwell@gmail.com), Natalie McCormick (mccormicknatalie@hotmail.com) or Molly Zeek (mollyzeek@yahoo.com) or President Barb Oehler (mccormickptopresident@gmail.com)



McCormick PTO

Annual Family Membership and Student Directory 2019-2020 School Year

When you join the PTO for just \$10.00 (per family), you receive a free McCormick Student Directory. Joining the PTO does not automatically sign you up for any activities, it's just a small way to start the year supporting the students, school and teachers/staff. We want to continue the tradition of a strong Parent-Teacher Organization that funds school programs, supports our teachers and staff, and keeps our McCormick Community connected.

Parents Names _____

Emails _____

Cell Phones _____

Home Phone _____

Address _____

Child's Name _____	Grade _____	Teacher _____
Child's Name _____	Grade _____	Teacher _____
Child's Name _____	Grade _____	Teacher _____
Child's Name _____	Grade _____	Teacher _____

Would you like to become a member of the McCormick PTO?
Yes ___ No ___ (if yes please include \$10)

Would you like the above contact information published in the McCormick Student Directory?
Yes ___ No ___

Would you like to be added to the sign-up genius volunteer list to receive email notifications about volunteer opportunities for the school year?
Yes ___ No ___

Membership Dues: \$10.00 Per Family
 Please return this form with your dues in an envelope marked:
 McCormick PTO Membership
 Cash or Checks payable to McCormick PTO gladly accepted
 Questions? Please contact Barb Oehler at mccormickptopresident@gmail.com

2019-2020 PTO CALENDAR OF EVENTS



AUGUST

Membership Drive thru 9/6

Class shirt orders thru 8/30

Budget due to board office

- 7: Popsicles on the Playground (incoming K students only) 5:30-6:30
- 14: Teacher In-Service Day
- 15: Teacher In-Service Day (convocation)
- 15: Open House-New Families 5:00-5:30, A-L 5:30-6:15, M-Z 6:15-7:00
- 16: Teacher work day
- 19: First Day of School
- 30: McCormickfest Kick off Assembly (1-3 p.m.) /Fundraising Packets home

SEPTEMBER

- 2: Labor Day/No School
- 3: 5k Training Club Starts (run through 9/26; meets Tues/Thurs)
- : Curriculum Nights
- 10: McFamily Night Out/Skating Party (Castle Skateland; 6:00 – 8:00)
- 17: PTO General Mtg; Principal Chat 7pm
- 18: Early Registration for McCormickfest/Final Day to turn in fundraising for t-shirt
- 19: McCormickfest Registration due
- 23-27: McCormickFest Spirit Week
- 27: McCormickfest Final date to turn in fundraising
- 28: McCormickFest; set up begins at 12pm, Miami Meadows Park
- 28: McCormickfest 5K Run begins 3:30, festival at 4:00

OCTOBER

- 4: Kroger Rewards drive through 10/25
- 8: Fall Picture Day
- 10: End of 1st Quarter
- 11: Teacher In-Service day/no school for students
- 14/15: Fall break/no school
- 17, 22, 24: Fall Conferences/Conference Dinner in Staff Lounge
- 21-24: Book Fair (set up 18th, runs through 24th, clean-up 25th)

NOVEMBER

- 1-8: Spirit Wear Sales
- 5: Election Day/No School for students/Teacher In-Service Day
- 8: McCulture night/PTO General Meeting (7-8 p.m)
- 11: Veteran's Day Program (Auditeria/Gym; 8:45 am)
- 12: Picture Retake
- 15, 18: Art Show set up
- 19-21: Art Show (Reception on 19th)
- 22, 25: Art Show clean up
- 27-29: Thanksgiving Break/No School

DECEMBER

- 2-5: Peter Pan Jr, Rehearsals (6:30-?)
- 6: Peter Pan Jr, 7 p.m.
- 7: Peter Pan Jr, 2p.m. and 7p.m.
- 10: McFamily Night Out/Skating Party (Castle Skateland; 6-8 p.m.)
- 16-19: Holiday Spirit Week
- 18: Madcap Puppets, A Christmas Carol Assembly (1-3 p.m.)
- 19: End of 2nd Quarter/ Classroom Holiday Parties
- 20: Teacher In-service/no school for students
- 12/23-1/3: Holiday Break

JANUARY

- 6: Classes Resume
- 17: Friends of the Library Drive (runs through 1/31)
- 21: PTO General Meeting/Principal Chat 3:30pm
- 20: No School/Martin Luther King Day
- 24: McCocoa Café (7-8:30 p.m.)
- 29: Set up for COSI (6:30-?)
- 30/31 COSI-Chemistry

FEBRUARY

- 7: Magic Show 7pm
- 11: McFamily Night Out/Skating Party (Castle Skateland; 6:00 – 8:00)
- 14: No School/In-Service Day
- 17: No School/Presidents' Day
- 20, 25 Winter Conferences/Conference Dinners in Staff Lounge
- : Talent Show try outs
- 28: McMath/McSteam Night (7-8 p.m.)

MARCH

- 6: Children's Sale Set-up (6:00 for sellers)
- 7: Children's Sale Event (8:00 am doors open to public)
- 11: Spring Picture Day
- 13: End of 3rd Quarter
- 20: Talent Show Rehearsal
- 21: Talent Show/PTO General Meeting

APRIL

- 6-13: No School-Spring Break
- 18: McEarth Day (9am-11am) (rain day 4/25)
- 21: McFamily Night Out/Skating Party (Castle Skateland; 6:00 – 8:00)

MAY

- 4-8: Staff Appreciation Week/Bus Driver Appreciation; Activities TBD
- 5: Staff Luncheon Set-up; 3:30pm – 6:30pm
- 6: Staff Luncheon; additional set-up from 8:30am – 10am; Event from 10am to 2pm; Clean-up from 2pm to 4pm
- 11: 6th Grade District Skating Party (6-8:30 p.m.)
- 11-15: Right to Read Week
- 15: Volunteer Appreciation Sing (in morning)
- 15: Children's Theater Assembly (in afternoon)
- 20: Kindergarten Sing
- 20: Kindergarten Open House (5:30)
- 21: Field Day (rain day 5/22)
- 25: Memorial Day/no school
- 26-28: End of the Year Class Parties; Times and locations TBD by grade
- 27: 6th Grade Recognition Night (7:00; Auditoria/Stage/Gymnasium)
- 28: End of 4th quarter/Last Day of School for Students
- 29: Teacher Work Day

***Calendar subject to change. Find the most up to date calendar at www.mccormickpto.com.