

Your Panther PTA... Who We Are & What We Do

Last Year 07-08: Our Panther PTA coordinated the following events for your children:

BooHoos & YaHoos, Welcome Breakfast for Panther Teachers, Breakfast for Shannon Center teachers (no PTA at campus), 2 Grandparent Days, Park-a-Palooza, Pumpkin Carving Night, McDonald's Fun Nights, Applebees Breakfast with Teachers, Red Ribbon Week, Help Families at the BISD Clothes Connection, Texas PTA Reflection Contest, Student Directory, Hosted 5th Grade Choir Program, Hosted 4th Grade Christmas Program, Texas PTA Environmental Contest, Provided Luncheon for Shannon Teachers (no PTA at campus), Hosted 1st Grade Choir Program, Dinner at Wild Bills, Spring Carnival & Rummage Sale, Panther Talent Show, Dinner at Chuck E Cheese and Teacher Appreciation Week.



Executive Board Training & Duties:

On your behalf the PTA Executive Board attended local BISD Leadership Training Classes, attended 4 BISD Council of PTA meetings for learn about State programs, contest & legal requirements of non-profits, held monthly Executive Board planning meetings for campus events, submitted IRS tax forms, adopted Texas Ethics Code of Standards, and updated our PTA Bylaws. In addition, your PTA earned the following awards, Texas PTA Early Bird Award for Memberships, Golden Apple Award for 100% Mullendore Staff Membership in PTA, Most Outstanding Student Directory Award for BISD Council of PTAs, had 3 Panther students honored for Reflection entries and 1 Environmental entry that advanced past Mullendore & BISD Council of PTAs to Area 17.

Panther PTA Sponsors:



We want to say thank you once again to our amazing 2007-08 Panther PTA sponsors included: Richland Hills Church of Christ (free school supplies & spirit t-shirts for every Panther), North Hills Hospital, Five Star Ford, Darla's Florist, DFW Floral Supply, Walmart on Rufe Snow, Sid Richardson Museum, Modern Art Museum, Fort Worth Cats, Kell's Cleaners, Braham's Hockey, Cotton Patch, Rave, Mountaisia, Curry Printing, Curves, Incredible Pizza, NRH2O, Oscars, Dominoes, NE Chamber of Commerce, Iron Horse Golf Course, NRH Recreation Center, Dolores Webb State Farm Insurance, Mrs & Mrs. Oscar Trevino, Martini Tan, Putt Putt, Sweet Shop Candies, Incredible Pizza, Kroger's, Pro-Tan & Nail and others.

Mullendore Wish List: Based on funds We

will be purchasing a new industrial grade laminator, hosting 4 Strong Families events to Mullendore, providing funds to help reduce the cost of field trips expenses, purchased weekly readers for classes to share and offered teachers \$25 per class to help with expenses of parties and more!



This Year 08-09:

Until September 30th classes who have reach

100% PTA can still win PJ parties. Winners so far include:

- Ms. Asbell's Class (K) Ms. Gill's Class (1st)
- Ms. Gray's Class (2nd) Ms. Hopson's Class (3rd)
- Ms. Coffee's Class (3rd) Ms. Benke's Class (5th)
- Mr. Hansen's Class (5th)

Which grade will get to 100% PTA memberships first?



As of 9/23/08 we have a total of **309** PTA members. If we reach 100% before October 10th we can stick Mr. Pope up on our Panther roof. Only **64** more memberships are needed!

Texas PTA Reflection contest is just around the corner. This year's theme is "**WOW**" which can cover just about any topic. Look for flyers & poster soon on how Panther students can enter this State PTA contest.

Panther Events on the PTA Website:

Check out all our activities and more info like common Myths & Facts, Contacts, Volunteer Opportunities and more about your child's school & PTA.

Grandparents Day: Thank you to our **200+** grandparents that enjoyed lunch with their Panthers a couple of weeks ago and enjoyed the photo op offered.

Background Checks Required: 173 individuals since August renewed their annual criminal background checks. You must apply early to get approved to attend fall field trips or to help at school. Approved volunteers also receive email notices about events at school to help you stay connected.

Men in Panther PTA: To date we have 48 men who have joined Panther PTA. TXPTA recognizes units with over 25 members...way to go!

It's a Big Deal: Community members, staff and parents working in partnership to benefit every child at Mullendore. Support our children, support our community and join our Panther PTA today for only \$5.

Kim Kirby - Panther PTA President 2007-09