# **Horizon PTO Newsletter**

The PTO mission is to provide all students at Horizon the opportunity to excel in academics and in life by providing committed volunteers and supplemental funding for supplies and programs that will enhance the learning environment at Horizon Elementary.

www.horizonpto.com

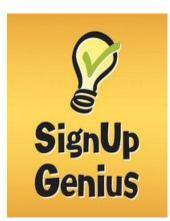
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# We need Parents!!!!

### Will you give just one hour of your time?

# Volunteers Needed for the School Dance on March 2!!!!



#### **How Can I Help?**

Horizon PTO uses a website called Sign-Up Genius to organize time-slots for parents to volunteer. To access it:

- Go to <u>www.signupgenius.com</u>
- Click on *Find a Signup* at the upper right hand side of the page.
- In the **Search by Email** box, enter <a href="mailto:horizonpto@yahoo.com">horizonpto@yahoo.com</a>.
- Select the event, and review the available activities/time slots that need volunteers.
- Once you have signed up for the event, the website will send you an email confirmation, as well as reminder emails.

### Thank you in Advance to all our Parent Volunteers!!!



#### GET CONNECTED

Throughout the year, PTO sends emails with reminders of upcoming events, last minute requests, and general information in between newsletters. If you would like to receive emails from the PTO, please send an email to horizonpto@yahoo.com and include the subject line "PLEASE ADD ME."

## Seeking Raffle Prizes!!

We are in the process of gathering prizes for our **HUGE** raffle in March. If you own a business or work at one that may be interested in donated a prize, please contact us at donatehorizon@gmail.com.

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# ...Other ways to help!



Amazon Smile - Amazon will donate a portion of your purchases to Horizon, at no extra cost to you! To shop via AmazonSmile simply go to <a href="mailto:smile.amazon.com">smile.amazon.com</a> from the web browser on your computer or mobile device, select Horizon Elementary as your beneficiary (you will only need to do this once), and then your Amazon purchases will result in a donation to our school!!!

**Box Tops for Education** - . Simply look for the labels on hundreds of marked packages, clip them and send them into the school with your child in a plastic baggie labeled "Box Tops for PTO". We'll do the rest!!



#### **Box Tops Products:**

General Mills Bisquick Annie's Betty Crocker Totino's And more... Ziploc Hefty
Mott's Larabar
Fiber One Scott
Lysol Finish
Land O'Lakes Old El Paso

Reynolds Nature's Valley Kleenex Green Giant Hamburger Helper In addition, you can download an app to earn <u>double points</u>! Look for the Box Tops for Education App in the Apple App store or on Google Play for more details!

**My Coke Rewards** - when you purchase Coca-Cola products (see insert below), you can enter codes listed on the products into the website (www.mycokerewards.com) or app to accumulate points that can be redeemed by our school!

#### My Coke Rewards Brands:

Barq's Fresca Powerade
Coke Fuze Pibb
Dasani Fanta Minute Maid
Sprite Tab Seagrams
Mello Yello



#### We Accept Paypal!

Donations to our school are easy!!!
Simply send in a check to Horizon PTO
with your child, or you can donate directly
through Paypal at

https://www.paypal.me/donatehorizon,..

# Horizon PTO is now a 501(c)(3) charity!!

This means that all donations to the school are now tax deductible, and it opens up larger fundraising opportunities that were previously unavailable to us!!

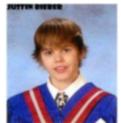
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# BECAUSE YOU NEVER KNOW WHO THAT KID NEXT TO YOU WILL BECOME...













# Order your Yearbook NOW!!

Go to <a href="https://ybpay.lifetouch.com">https://ybpay.lifetouch.com</a> & enter Yearbook ID Code 12915617.

#### Have Yearbook Photos?

Please forward any photos to include in the yearbook to school with your child in an Envelope marked "PTO Yearbook," or send them electronically to Nicole Murphy at: horizon.pto.yearbook@gmail.com. Our next PTO Meeting on is 3/16 and will take place at Portillo's in Streamwood.

Hope to see you there!!



#### February 2017

No	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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#### March 2017

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#### April 2017

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## **Mark Your Calendars!!**

02/20 - President's Day (NO SCHOOL)

02/22-02/24 - Book Fair (see above for details)

**02/28 -** Deadline to Prepay for School Dance @ discount

**03/02 - School Dance** (Luau Theme!) - We need volunteers!!!!\*

**03/08 - Spring Sing** @ Bartlett HS (6pm for K-3, 7pm for 4th - 6th)

03/09 (7pm) - CAC Meeting @ Elgin HS

03/16 - Portillo's Fundraiser

03/16 - PTO Meeting @ Portillos!!!

03/27 - 03/31 - SPRING BREAK

