



## The News you need to know from your

# Fox River Grove PTO!

**FEBRUARY 2016**

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### FEBRUARY Highlights:

- [Spring Fling tickets on sale until 2/22 here!](#)
- Show your school spirit! [Click HERE!](#)
- [Yummy Asian Bistro fundraiser](#) - Feb. 24/25
- [Schwan's fundraiser](#) runs through March 16

"Nothing is impossible  
to a willing heart."  
-- John Heywood

### FEBRUARY

- 10 Box Tops/Labels collection due date
- 12 Six Flags Read to Succeed reading logs due
- 19 [Safe Kids 911](#)/after school taekwondo program begins (runs through March 18)
- 22 Last day to buy [Spring Fling](#) tickets
- 24/25 [Yummy Asian](#) Bistro fundraiser
- 27 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Activity @ [KIAGA](#) 6 – 7:30 p.m.

### MARCH

- 1 PTO Meeting 3:30 p.m. ARS Library
- 5 [Spring Fling](#) 11:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
- 16 [Schwan's](#) fundraiser ends



### Looking ahead...

- ☺ [Daddy Daughter Dance](#) - Sat., April 9
- ☺ [Mother/Son Bowling](#) - Sunday, April 10
- ☺ [ARS Fun Day](#) is Friday, May 27

*Read to Succeed* is an exciting program that encourages students in grades K through 6 to read for fun. Students who complete six hours of recreational reading earn a **FREE** ticket to Six Flags!

**Reading logs due to  
teachers by February 12!**

## 5th grade activity!

It will be at [KIAGA](#) on Saturday, Feb 27

6 – 7:30 p.m.

\$2 per kid

Snacks and drinks provided

## TRIVIA NIGHT...A SPLENDID SUCCESS!



The FRG PTO Trivia Night planning committee thanks you for playing!

We are eager to announce that we raised over **\$2,400** for our two schools!  
We look forward to scheduling a second trivia event - keep your eyes on emails/social media!



# Spring Fling!

Spring Fling 2016 promises to be a fun and delightful afternoon! Come help out FRG School District 3... AND win some fabulous prizes while you enjoy lunch and visiting with friends/neighbors! Please note that we will have 2 special "Kindergarten Parent" tables set aside for our newest PTO supporters for anyone that may be new to this event and would like to meet fellow parents/friends in our great community!

Spring Fling will take place on **Saturday, March 5 (11:30am-2:30pm) at Makray Memorial Golf Club** in Barrington. Ticket options include choice of entrees (*Chicken Piccata or Vegetarian Penne Pasta*) and the chance to bid on **hundreds** of fabulous items donated by some amazing businesses. To purchase tickets: either [download the attached form](#) and return via backpack mail, or you can purchase online at:

[Spring Fling 2016 Buy Tickets in Barrington | Ticketbud](#) by **February 22!**

\$1 & \$5 raffle tickets can be purchased at the event (in order to save you the processing fee, we are not offering these online this year). You will have the option to bid on donated items from Disney World, American Girl Doll, Mario Triccoci, FRG Fire Department and many more! (Literally too many to list, but see our Facebook page for updates as they come in!)

***Raffle tickets can be purchased at Spring Fling with check, credit card or cash!***

**LIKE us on Facebook to get updates on our fabulous raffle items... for every "Like" and/or "Share", your name will be entered to win \$25 in raffle tickets on the day of the event (you must be present to win). **We can't wait to see you there!****



- Special [FRG PTO](#) fundraiser now through March 16.
- Our PTO will earn 20% on product sales and 40% on eGift card sales (limit 1 per customer per campaign) when you shop at [Schwan's](#) between now and March 16!
- Enjoy delicious food and super home delivery convenience - all while helping to support our kids and teachers!

Click [here](#) to start shopping!

# SCHOOL SPIRIT

Show your school/community spirit with **AMAZING** spirit wear!  
Locally owned business/quality products/quick delivery!  
Check out the cool collection at: [SPIRIT WEAR](#)

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Safe Kids 911 Taekwondo after school program is back! [Lee's Martial Arts](#) will be in the ARS gym starting Feb. 19 to teach a 6 week class for K-4<sup>th</sup> graders. T-Shirts are included **and they donate 100% of the proceeds back to our schools!** If you have ever wanted your child to learn some life skills through the discipline of Taekwondo, this is a great opportunity!

**Safe Kids 911 After School Program: [click here!](#)**

If you have any questions contact [Candice.enssling@gmail.com](mailto:Candice.enssling@gmail.com)

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We are looking for some pictures from holiday parties and school sponsored events to be added to the **ARS yearbook!** (Photos limited to school sponsored events only - please no Rec Council, CJT, etc.) Please email photos to [ARSDist3Yearbook@gmail.com](mailto:ARSDist3Yearbook@gmail.com). Include the names of the children/staff in the photos and a brief description of where the photo took place. We may not be able to include all photos submitted, but we will do our best to fit them with the space we have! Thank you!



- FRG PTO Fundraiser! Book your upcoming 2016 travel through Faith at Lake Zurich Travel and **\$25.00 per booking will be donated to our PTO!**
  - Valid for bookings made from Feb 1, 2016 through May 31, 2016 for vacation packages or cruises of 4 nights or more.
  - Please contact Faith Babbitt at [Lake Zurich Travel](http://LakeZurichTravel.com) (461 S Rand Road, Lake Zurich IL) [Faith@lztravel.com](mailto:Faith@lztravel.com) 847-438-5551
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Next collection is **February 10!**

Final collection is **May 18!**

All labels **MUST** be cut on the dotted lines and bags must be clearly labeled with child's name and teacher's name, otherwise the points will not be counted!

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*We are sorry to report that the "Art to Remember" program will not take place this school year. We hope to be able to bring it back in the future.*