Deephaven Parents:

Here is the PTA News for the week of May 8-12, 2017. It can also be found on the PTA website by 8 a.m. on Tuesday: https://www.minnetonkaschools.org/schools/elementary/dh/parents/pta/pta-news

Offered below is the following:
1. Important dates
2. Event details
3. Volunteer opportunities

If you have any questions or comments, please let us know!

Thank you!

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**Important dates:**
May 11 Fund-A-Need @ Deephaven - PJ Dress-up Day
May 11 Art Exhibition, 5-7p.m.
May 12 Yearbook order deadline
May 20 Parent Party
May 23 PTA General meeting

**Talent Show, Grades 3-5 - Friday, May 5th** - Congratulations to the 27 acts, 100+ students + 5th grade performance for an outstanding Talent Show! A special thanks to:
- Co-chairs Sarah Jewett & Norma Jean Macoska for planning the event
- 5th grade parents for planning the performance: Kate Regan, Laurie Sigel, Victoria Ahliquist & Kate Laing
- Mrs. Anderson (music teacher) for script writing & 5th gr rehearsal

**Fund-A-Need PJ Dress-up Day - May 11th** - Help "RAISE THE SAIL" as we raise money to fund needs in each grade for 2017-18. Items include: new basketball racks in PE, dynamic classroom seating for learning, books for in-
class libraries, and STEM learning kits. Encourage your child to wear pajamas on Thursday, May 11th. A suggested donation is $3 and is optional. Donations can be turned in to his/her classroom teacher on 5/11. See attached flyer.

**Art Exhibition - May 11th, 5-7p.m.** - Celebrate the Arts! This open house style event will showcase YOUR student’s artwork displayed at their classroom. ARTOME’ will display the artwork in a beautiful frame and mat for the event. If you would like to purchase the frame and mat from ARTOME’, it is optional and will be available to purchase for $20 (the cost of frame and mat). Otherwise, all student artwork will be returned to the student the following week. Please note: this is not a PTA Fundraiser. ARTOME’ is simply providing a service to assist with displaying the artwork since we did not have enough parent volunteers to help this year. For more information, please contact Marta Chou, martachou@hotmail.com.

**Yearbook Order Deadline - May 12th** - Still time to order your yearbook at: jostensyearbooks.com

**Parent Party - May 20th!** - Please mark you calendar! We hope you can join us for a night of dinner, dancing and fundraising in support of the Deephaven PTA. Tickets on Sale for $75/person includes unlimited food & drinks. Price increases to $100/person on May 12th. To purchase tickets, go to: www.deephavenpta.revtrak.net

**Anchor Down for Deephaven!**
**Deephaven Parent Party**
**Minnetonka Yacht Club**
**Lighthouse Island**
**May 20, 6:30 - 11:00 pm**

**PTA General Meeting - Tuesday, May 23rd at 7pm, Media Center** - Please mark you calendar! We will recap the 2016-17 school year, overview the 2017-18 school year and leave time to network and celebrate together!

**PTA Executive Board & Lead Volunteers** - Volunteers are needed for the 2017-18 school year! If you have held back from volunteering thinking “it’s taken care of”, please be informed YOU are needed! Without Lead Volunteers by June 1st, PTA programs will be **significantly** reduced for the 2017-18 school year. Currently, the following areas need parent volunteers and link to detailed descriptions can be found at: https://www.minnetonkaschools.org/schools/elementary/dh/parents/volunteer
If you are interested in volunteering or would like to learn more, please contact Deborah Zorn, deborah.zorn@mac.com. Remember….it is for the KIDS! And it takes a village!

**PTA Program Lead Volunteers** *(need to be identified by June 1st)*
- Author’s Circle of Excellence (ACE - 5th grade writing)
- School Directory
- Imagination Fair (day-long fair)
- Staff Appreciation
- Newspaper
- Talent Shows (K-2 & 3-5)
- Tonka GREEN (service project)
- Tonka PRIDE (coordinate selling of Deephaven & Minnetonka gear)


- **The Media Center:**  
  [http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4ea5a62ea1f49-deephaven](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4ea5a62ea1f49-deephaven)

- **Lunchroom Assistance:**  
  [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0C4FAFAF22A0F85-lunchroom4](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4FAFAF22A0F85-lunchroom4)

- **Playground Assistance:**  
  [http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4fafaf22a0f85-20162017](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4fafaf22a0f85-20162017)

**Your online shopping can benefit Deephaven Elementary:**
[www.AmazonSmile.com](http://www.AmazonSmile.com) - Log in to your Amazon account. Search for “DEEPHAVEN PTA”.