

### PTA Tidbits

- The 84 Fundraising campaign update; It has raised \$5,286.51 for the PTA. Prize winners on back of this page. The Sixth Grade class raised \$184.80 in flag sales.
- Don't forget to sign up your Bonus Card at Martin's Grocery Store. Our East Pike ID Number is : 00050
- Don't forget to go to [www.applesforeducation.com](http://www.applesforeducation.com) and sign your Giant Eagle Rewards Card up for East Pike. Our East Pike ID is: apple0286.
- Our new Bylaws were unanimously approved at the November 18th PTA meeting. The state chairman has approved them and they will be in effect for the next five years.
- Don't forget about the membership discount at the Indiana Ice Center on Wednesday nights.



### Next Market Day Sale:

Now through Dec. 31st

Delivery Date: January 6th

4-5 p.m. Pickup

### Reflections: 55 Entries

What a difference a year makes! Thanks to a joint promotional venture of the school staff and PTA, the entries for Reflections are up over 100% this year. A very special thank you to Mr. Murray who spent several art classes helping the students to understand the Reflections program. We appreciate all the efforts of Dr. Chakot who organizes and runs the program for our school. Several entries have moved onto the next level of judging. All participants will be honored with participation ribbons and have their work displayed at the March PTA meeting. Those students in italics are having their work move on to the regional level. We are certainly East Pike Proud of every one of the students listed below.

#### Primary Visual Arts:

*Natalie Grattan* (2) (4 entries)

*(One of Natalie's is moving on)*

Noah Grattan (K)

*Hope Cook* (K)

*Mia Ciocca* (K)

Mike Mazey (2)

*Brooke Boyer* (2)

Abby Walker (2)

Sara Kane (1)

*Sarah Denver* (2)

#### Intermediate Visual Arts:

*Hannah Colen* (5)

*Darius Stormer* (5)

*Carrie Smith* (5)

*Sydney Shearer* (4)

*Elizabeth Denver* (4)

Paige Almes (3)

#### Primary Photography:

*Aubree Koering* (K) (4 entries)

*(Two of Aubree's are moving on)*

*Luke Ciocca* (2)

*Danny Lee* (2)

*Timothy Hauge* (K)

#### Intermediate Photography:

Lauren Makara (5)

*Katie Peles* (4)

*Carrie Smith* (5) (4 entries)

*(One of Carrie's is moving on)*

Charlie Bennett (5) (2 entries)

*Damien Koering* (3)(4 entries)

*(One of Damien's is moving on)*

*Rose Mazey* (5)

*Talia Mastalski* (3)(5 entries)

*(One of Talia's is moving on)*

#### Middle/Junior Photography:

*Megan Lydick* (6)

*Ian Helsel* (6)

#### Intermediate Dance:

*Carrie Smith* (5)

#### Intermediate Film Production:

*Carrie Smith* (5)

*Darius Stormer* (5)

#### Primary Music:

*Alyssa McLaine* (2)

#### Intermediate Music:

*Carrie Smith* (5)

#### Intermediate Literature:

*Dominic Ciocca* (4)

*Samantha Sneddon* (4)

*Dylan Kane* (5)

*Benji Walters* (5)



## Fall Fundraising Winners

### Top in Grade Level each received \$20 cash prizes:

Zachary Cole (Kindergarten); Hannah Reilly (1st Grade); Payton Smathers (2nd Grade); Lance Albright (3rd Grade); Michael Foust (4th Grade); Elise Proch (5th Grade); Austin Wood (6th Grade).

### Top Three Sellers in our school:

3rd Place winning \$50.00: Alissa Mason  
 2nd Place winning \$75.00: Owen Putt  
 1st Place winning \$100.00: Carolyn Bish

**Grand Prize winner of a Dsi and GameStop Gift Card: Jordan Pardee**

## January: Cell Phone Collection Campaign

We have signed up with a company called PhoneRaiser who recycles cell phones and will provide the PTA with cash for phones.

If Santa brings you a new phone consider donating the old one to the PTA to recycle for cash. Don't forget to ask other family members or co-workers too.



You need to clear off your personal information. **We need only the phone with the battery inside.** No accessories/chargers or cords. We will be sending in a big collection in early February, so try to collect them over the holidays and turn them in. The collection bin is in the main office in front of our School Secretary's desk.

### PTA Calendar of Events:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event/Reminder</u>	<u>Location/Time</u>	<u>Information/Details</u>
Dec. 2-4	Santa's Secret Workshop	Music Room	During school hours, children shop for family
Dec. 2	Market Day Monthly Delivery	6-7 p.m.	Cafeteria
Dec. 7	Holiday Choral & Band Concert	7 p.m.	Multi-purpose Room
	School Board Re-Organizational	7:30 p.m.	Administration Offices
Dec. 14	District String & EP Vocal Ensemble	7 p.m.	Multi-purpose Room
Dec. 15	Banquet Planning Meeting	6:30 p.m.	Eat N Park
Dec. 21	Regular Monthly School Bd.	7:30 p.m.	Administration Offices
Dec. 23	Teacher's Choice Day	during school	PTA provides special afternoon snack
Dec. 31	Last day to order Market Day online	11pm	Paper orders due to school by Dec. 23rd
Dec. 24-Jan 3	Christmas/Holiday Break		
Jan. 6	Market Day Monthly Delivery	4-5 p.m.	Volunteers needed 3-4 p.m. to sort
Jan. 11	Regular Monthly School Bd.	7:30 p.m.	Administration Office
<b>Jan. 13</b>	<b>PTA Meeting/Valentine Party Plan.</b>	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Location TBA</b>
Jan. 18	No School: Martin Luther King Day		
Jan. 19	End of 2nd Quarter		
Jan. 22	6th Grade Festival of Immigration	during school hours	
Jan. 26	Father/Daughter Banquet	6 p.m.	Multi-purpose Room

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Organization

## Back Page Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions

that are frequently asked about your organization.

A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all employees.

If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include a listing of those here. You may want to refer

your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a biannual charity auction.

If space is available, this is a good place to insert a clip art image or some other graphic.



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