



# Hiteon Hawk Squawk!

Hiteon Elementary School PTC Newsletter

January 2014

## President's Message

Happy New Year and welcome back from winter break! Hope everyone had a great time with family and friends over the holidays.

We are easing back into the year with only a few activities in January. First up is the PTC General Meeting January 15th at 9:00am please join us to find out about upcoming activities and events, your questions and input is always valuable. The Science Fair Kick Off Assemblies are January 16th so help your student(s) start thinking up fun ideas for their projects.

Cathy Manor and Stacie Ayers  
Co-PTC Presidents

## News from Passport

Since we didn't have passport for December 2013 due to bad weather, the Passport Club sent home a passport check list form before Winter break for parents to sign.

Parents please sign the form and indicate how many levels your child studied for December. and have your child turn in the form to his or her teacher sometime in the next week so they can receive credit for December stamps.



## SCIENCE FAIR

The Science Fair will be on Thursday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2014 and are still in need of reviewers!

If you would like to help, please go to the Help Counter to sign up!



## Bingo Night Needs You!!!!

One of Hiteon's most fabtastic community events is slated for Friday, February 28th and we need plenty of volunteers for set-up, breakdown, greeting and Bingo card distribution, prize monitoring and more.

Questions? You can contact Suzanne Griffiths (osgriffiths@frontier.com) or Lisa Kraemer (2142lisa@gmail.com). Sign up for volunteer shifts for before, during, and after Bingo Night on Help Counter! Go to [www.hiteonptc.org](http://www.hiteonptc.org) and click on Help Counter link at lower left.

# WE HAVE EXTENDED THE ORDER DEADLINE TO WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2014



**T-Shirts:**      Youth (XS-XL) = \$9      Adult (S-XL) = \$9      Adult (XXL+) = \$11  
                     Ladies (XS-XL) = \$11      Ladies (XXL+) = \$13

**Sweatshirts:**      Youth (XS-XL) = \$20      Adult (S-XL) = \$20      Adult (XXL+) = \$22

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE ORDER FORM (available on the PTC website)  
AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT TO HITEON PTC.**

This is not a fundraiser. Apparel pricing has been generously provided at cost AND graphic design, digital garment printing and production costs have been donated for this project by Good Seam, LLC. The PTC greatly appreciates their time and creativity!



## POPCORN FRIDAYS



Here are the dates for Popcorn Fridays, so mark your calendars!

- Jan 24 - Fri      · Apr 24 - Thursday (No school Friday)
- Feb 21 - Fri      · May 16 - Fri
- Mar 21 - Fri

Contact Melynda Stitt at [stittfam5@hotmail.com](mailto:stittfam5@hotmail.com) if you are interested in selling popcorn after school!





## ARE YOU READY TO OBOB??

The Hiteon Oregon Battle of the Books competition will be starting later this month. Please check with your teacher to confirm when your classroom battles will begin. Keep reading from the list of selected book titles for the 3rd-5th Grade Division, and be sure to check out some practice questions created by the Cedar Mill Library at <http://library.cedarmill.org/kids-teens/school-age-kids/oregon-battle-of-the-books.html/?searchterm=OBOB>. These are not official OBOB questions, but should give your student an idea of the similar style of questions they might be asked during a battle.

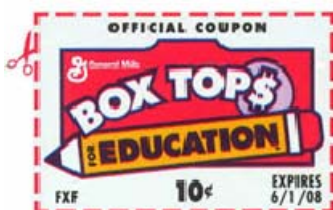


## Save the Date and Participate! Hiteon's Annual Fun Run April 17 and 18, 2014

Hiteon's biggest fundraiser of the year may be a few months off, but the planning is already getting started. Sign up at HelpCounter to join the Fun Run committee and to reserve your sideline seat as a Lap Counter either of the Fun Run days. This event is a huge endeavor – many volunteers are needed to make it a success. Come join the fun!

## Box Tops & Labels For Education

Don't forget to turn in your Box Tops & Soup Labels!

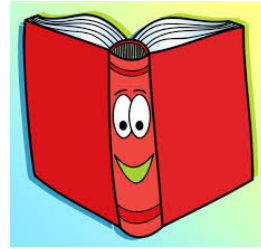
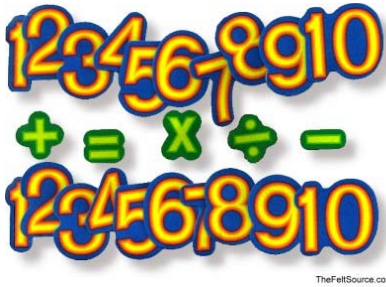


## Third Grade Math Labs

The third grade math labs program is up and running! Every Wednesday morning a group of volunteers meet with the third graders and help them practice their math problem solving skills.

It is not too late to volunteer if you would like to be involved in this enrichment program. For more information on volunteering or just to learn more about the program itself, please visit the Hiteon PTC website: <http://hiteonptc.org/our-enrichment-programs/3rd-grade-math-labs/>

Thank you!



## Reading Incentive

“Go For The Gold” is in full force at Hiteon! Each month hours are tallied helping your student earn prizes and recognition for reading.

**ANYTHING** your child reads counts! If they read the cereal box at breakfast, the street signs on the way to school, books before bed, books for class.....the possibilities are endless!

Simply get a tally sheet from your child’s teacher or download one from the PTC website at [www.hiteonptc.org](http://www.hiteonptc.org) under forms, record the hours read and put the completed sheets in the basket in your child’s classroom.

## Dates to Remember

January 20th (Monday)– NO SCHOOL

January 27th (Monday)– NO SCHOOL

