



# Hiteon Hawk Squawk

Hiteon PTC Newsletter

September 2018

## President's Message

Dear Hiteon Families,

We've had a great start to the new school year. Thanks for stopping by our PTC Social during Curriculum Night. It was fun to see familiar faces and meet new Hiteon Families. Please mark your calendar for our upcoming Volunteer Orientation scheduled for Wednesday October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 pm followed by our General meeting at 7:00 pm.

PTC Communication is changing. We are reviewing how we communicate with our families and have set a goal to improve this process. In order to accomplish this, we added Sarah Parsons to our team as PTC Communications Chair. Her current priority is revamping our PTC Website. Please take a moment to visit [www.hiteonptc.org](http://www.hiteonptc.org) to see the amazing changes and check back regularly for continued updates.

The "Go for The Gold" Reading Incentive Program has been revamped and tracking all those valuable reading hours will now be easier for parents. Students will be able to better track their progress and earn prizes. Ultimately, we hope to hand out lots of medals this year. We extend a big THANK YOU to our Reading Incentive Chairs, Jen Christy and Sarah Parsons, for their hard work! If you have questions you can reach them at: [readingincentive@hiteonptc.org](mailto:readingincentive@hiteonptc.org)

The Passport Program is also changing this year and will now be offered as an elective. Communication regarding these changes will be released soon so be on the lookout for this information.

Math Labs is looking for additional parent helpers for 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grade. If you are interested in volunteering once a month in the Math Lab please email: [president@hiteonptc.org](mailto:president@hiteonptc.org)

Thanks again for allowing us the opportunity to serve alongside you this school year.

Alicia Schenbeck and Marilee Shafer, PTC Presidents

## Upcoming Events

### September

- 21 Popcorn Friday
- 25 Dining 4 Dollars, Chipotle, 4-8pm
- 27 Lost and Found clean-out, 12pm

### October

- 2 Art Lit Training, 8:30-10am  
PTC Board Meeting, 6-7pm
- 3 Volunteer Orientation, 6-7pm  
PTC General Meeting, 7-8pm
- 4 Picture Day
- 9 Hearing Screening
- 10 Walk & Bike to School Day  
School Assembly
- 12 Coffee with the Principals, 8:15-8:45am  
Popcorn Friday
- 15-18 Book Fair
- 18-19 **Conferences - No Students**
- 23 McTeacher Night, 5-8pm
- 24-25 Passport Check

## Hiteon PTC Executive Board

### Presidents:

Marilee Shafer and Alicia Schenbeck  
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### First Vice Presidents (Fundraising):

Amy Harrison and OPEN POSITION  
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Shawna Grigsby and OPEN POSITION  
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### Treasurer:

Megan Mumford  
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### Volunteer Coordinators:

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### Secretary:

Carrie Tillotson  
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## Box Tops for Education

The start of a new school year means the start of a new school challenge to see which class can bring in the most BoxTops!

Each BoxTop is worth \$0.10 for our school. It is amazing to watch how quickly they add up.

All you need to do is clip, check expiration dates, and send them in with your child. Each classroom has a box to collect them. We do not receive credit for expired ones so it is important to check those dates!! Thank you for supporting our school. If you

have questions about BoxTops, please contact BoxTops chairperson, [Angeliou Hafer](#).



## Popcorn Friday

Our first popcorn Friday is coming up September 21st. Each bag is \$0.25. Remember to send in those quarters with your child. Popcorn bags are pre-ordered and delivered to your child's classroom. There will be a small quantity of popcorn available at the end of the day for sale for those who forget to bring their quarter. If you have questions about Popcorn Fridays, please contact Popcorn Friday chairperson, [Angeliou Hafer](#).

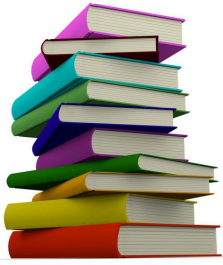
## Art Literacy

Your child's classroom needs your help!

Are you looking for a fun way to volunteer, but only have a limited amount of time? Art Lit is a hands on program that takes place in your child's classroom throughout the year. There are 5 artists and 1 culture that the children get the opportunity to learn about, then make an art project that represents that artist and culture. We have training meetings for each artist so you know what to expect. It is really fun and we highly encourage if you are the least bit curious to come to our first training meeting. The artist is [Lois Mailou Jones](#) on October 2nd. It is being held at 8:30am in the cafeteria. We look forward to seeing you there. If you have questions about Popcorn Fridays, please contact Art Literacy co- chairs, [Cynthia Hedgecock](#) and [Angeliou Hafer](#) (yes, she really does chair that many committees!)



**4th Grade Math Labs** is recruiting volunteers! Any interested folks can email Mary Pat Janowski at [marypat\\_j@yahoo.com](mailto:marypat_j@yahoo.com).



## Go for the Gold!

Go For the Gold! is Hiteon's Reading Incentive program where students earn prizes for reading and turning in monthly reading logs. You should have received September's reading log from your child's teacher. Learn more at [hiteonptc.org/read](http://hiteonptc.org/read).

We're still looking for classroom volunteers to log hours each month. This is a 1 hour monthly commitment and can be done from home. If you're interested, contact Reading Incentive co-chairs Jen Christy and Sarah Parsons at [readingincentive@hiteonptc.org](mailto:readingincentive@hiteonptc.org).

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## Hiteon PTC Website

The [Hiteon PTC website](http://hiteonptc.org) has been updated! Check back frequently for the latest info on Hiteon news and to find out more information about our school. Our website is intended to be an easy and accessible for parents and teachers to stay involved and up to date on all things Hiteon.

Contact Communications Chair Sarah Parsons at [website@hiteonptc.org](mailto:website@hiteonptc.org) with any questions, updated information, or suggestions on content to add.

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## Lost and Found

Are you looking for that brand-new sweatshirt you just bought for Back-to-School? Has your student misplaced his or her lunchbox? We are only a few weeks into the school year and the Lost and Found is already full of items that have been left behind. Items that are labeled with a **student's last name** are easily returned to their owner. If you haven't already, please take a moment to clearly label your student's items.

Hiteon Elementary has a 30 day Lost and Found Policy. **The Lost and Found will be completely emptied on the last Thursday of each month.** Unclaimed items will be donated to the Beaverton School District [Clothes Closet](#) for district families in need. The Lost and Found is located across from the adult bathrooms near the Main Office lobby. Please take a moment to stop by and look through the Lost and Found (or remind your student to do so) **before it is emptied at noon on Thursday, September 27<sup>th</sup>.**



## Dining for Dollars

Our first Dining for Dollars event of the year will take place Tuesday, September 25 from 4-8pm at Chipotle. Please see the flyer below for details.

# SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support The Hiteon Parent Teacher Club. Come in to the Chipotle at **14795 Murray Scholls Dr. Ste 112** in Beaverton on **Tuesday, September 25th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**.

Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to The Hiteon Parent Teacher Club.



Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in-restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.