

# CUB RUN REPORTER



## LETTER FROM THE PTA PRESIDENT

Well, the Holiday Break was followed shortly by an almost equally long SNOW break! I, for one, am hoping we have seen the last of the snow for this winter...somehow I doubt that will be the case! Unfortunately the Bright Star Children's Theatre *African Folktales* assembly scheduled for January 26th was "snowed out." Plans are being made to reschedule this event.

The PTA has scheduled several events in the upcoming weeks to get everyone out of the house and enjoying themselves: Bingo, the Spelling Bee, Texas Roadhouse Night, Rita's Night and the volleyball game against Virginia Run. Of course everyone is welcome at the PTA meetings!!

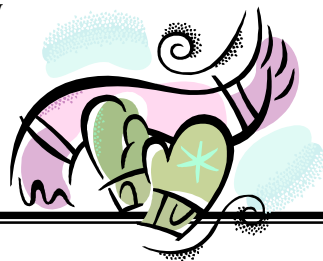
Most of the current PTA board is planning to return to serve the Cub Run school community again next year. Heather Huling has served her term as vice president and will "retire" to take over as the Fall Fundraising chair. Bev Basham, our current treasurer, is planning to take Heather's VP position which will leave the treasurer position open. If anyone would be interested in serving on the PTA board as treasurer please contact me.

The FCPS School Board is scheduled to take action on the final recommendation regarding the Southwest Boundary Study on February 24th . Currently many unanswered questions remain regarding the boundary changes. While Cub Run students are not impacted in that they would change schools or incur longer bus rides, Cub Run will see the addition of approximately 100 students from Deer Park and Virginia Run elementary schools.

A Spring Fling informational meeting was held on February 1st. I want thank those parents who attended and expressed interest in seeing the event become a reality. However, at this time, we still do not have an event chair. It has been decided that the Spring Fling will be cancelled if no one has stepped forward to run the event by February 15th.

I look forward to seeing many of you at our upcoming events!

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### THANK YOU!!!

The PTA would like to thank the following people for their invaluable help with the many events the PTA sponsors for the Cub Run community:

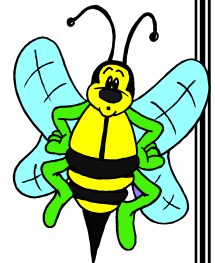
Rhonda Crane: for coordinating the ice skating event at the Reston Town Centre Skating Pavilion in January. It was a super cold evening, but the night was warmed with hot chocolate and good friends! The event raised \$159 for the general PTA fund. Thank you to all who braved the cold and supported this event.



The Cub Run PTA Bingo Night is Friday, February 11th! This fun family night will take place this year in the Cub Run cafeteria. Volunteers are needed for this tradition to continue! Thanks to those who have already volunteered. If are interested in helping please contact Bingo chair, Angela Mitolo, at [alfi4pitt@verizon.net](mailto:alfi4pitt@verizon.net).

### Spelling Bee

The annual Cub Run Spelling Bee will be held this year on Thursday, February 17th at 6PM in the cafeteria. There will be a practice session on Wednesday, February 16th immediately after school in the cafeteria until 4PM. All participants should make plans to attend this session.



# UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY 11: Bingo  
Cub Run Cafeteria  
6:30-8:30PM

MARCH 9: Cub Run Rita's Night  
Rita's Sully Station  
6-8PM

MARCH 30: Chik-Fil-A Night  
Chik-Fil-A  
5-7PM

FEBRUARY 17: Spelling Bee  
Cub Run Cafeteria  
6PM

MARCH 8: PTA Meeting  
Cub Run Library  
7PM

APRIL 12: PTA Meeting  
Cub Run Library  
7PM

FEBRUARY 28 :Texas Roadhouse Night  
Texas Roadhouse  
6 - 9PM



MARCH 18: Volleyball Night  
Westfield HS  
Time TBD



APRIL 14: Baskin Robbins Night  
Baskin Robbins  
6:30PM-8:30PM

SPRING BREAK:  
April 18-April 22

## It's YEARBOOK time!!!

Reserve your copy of the 2010-2011 yearbook - a fun, memory book filled with pictures from your child's school year. The students love to receive their yearbooks in June and have all of their friends and teachers sign them. Yearbook Sales will be held from February 16th - 25th - a flyer and money envelope will come home on Wednesday, February 16th. The cost of each yearbook is \$20. Please return the order form with payment: cash or check made payable to Cub Run PTA. You may also order online. This is the only sale in which a yearbook is guaranteed - any left-over yearbooks sold in June are first come, first served and at a higher cost.

ORDER YOURS TODAY!!!

Contact: Stephanie Kohout [kohout5@verizon.net](mailto:kohout5@verizon.net) with questions.

## Emergency Lunch Fund (ELF)

Many of you may or may not be aware of a program the PTA funds known as the emergency lunch fund, or ELF. This program exists to assist children when they have forgotten their lunch, lunch money or their lunch account is low or out of money. When a child runs into any of the previous situations they will be provided with a lunch consisting of cereal and milk at the cost of one (\$1) dollar. Via email or a letter home (in the child's backpack) parents are alerted when their child has used this service and repayment of the cost of the lunch is due. If payment is not received, or if the service is used repeatedly, subsequent letters to recover the cost of the lunch will be mailed home. Repayment of the cost of these lunches is essential to continue to provide the necessary funding for this program. Once the fund is depleted the PTA may have to consider cancelling the program. In an effort to recoup any balances that may be due the PTA will hold yearbooks and field day t shirts until payment has been received. We thank you for your cooperation in helping us to continue this program.

