



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**MARCH 13**  
PTA Meeting—7PM  
Library

**MARCH 16**  
Movie Night  
"How to Train your Dragon"  
Cub Run Gymnasium  
7-9PM  
Preregistration **REQUIRED**

**MARCH 23**  
Volleyball Game  
Westfield HS  
7-9PM

**APRIL 2-8**  
Spring Break  
No School

**APRIL 9**  
Student Holiday  
No school

**APRIL 17**  
PTA Meeting—7PM  
Library

**APRIL 22**  
Spring Fling/5K/Fun Run  
Time: TBA

**APRIL 27-MAY 3**  
Book Fair—Buy One/Get  
One (BOGO)

**MAY 8**  
PTA Meeting—7PM  
Library

**MAY 11**  
Talent Show: grades K,2,4,6  
7PM

**PTA website:**

[www.cubrunpta.org](http://www.cubrunpta.org)

# Paw Prints

Cub Run Elementary PTA

**NO SPRING FLING! NO FUN RUN! NO BINGO!  
NO SPELLING BEE! NO WELCOME BACK BBQ!  
NO FALL DANCE! NO SPORTS CAMPS!  
NO KID ART! NO MOVIE NIGHT!  
NO VOLLEYBALL GAME!  
(the list could go on!)**

**NO EVENTS!! NO ANYTHING!!!**

Current Cub Run families you are facing the very real possibility of having your PTA dissolve. Four of the five board members are 6<sup>th</sup> grade parents, with no siblings left at Cub Run! We are moving on next year.....The PTA advertised for a nominating committee in the last newsletter, but no one has come forward to form that committee. Two people have already said that they would serve as a VP and the secretary, and Tammy Rohland has agreed to stay on as treasurer, should the PTA continue.

**However the President's and a second VP and position must be filled!**

I don't know how more ardently I can stress the importance of a PTA operating within our school. I think most everyone can see the value of the programs provided and the wide spread use of money generated from the many events the PTA sponsors. It is time for each Cub Run parent to assess what you want from your child's school, and how you can be a part of enhancing your child's educational experience. You cannot continue to sit back and wait for someone else to step up to the plate.....

If no one comes forward to fill the vacant positions by April 1, 2012 the PTA board will begin the process of the dissolving the PTA at the April 17<sup>th</sup> PTA meeting.

I ask that every parent please consider how you may play a role in ensuring the PTA continues at Cub Run.

Sincerely,

Beth Haubach  
President – Cub Run Elementary PTA  
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## HELP NEEDED

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

Four of the five PTA board members have served in their positions for the past two year. In addition these same four people will be leaving Cub Run at the end of this school year. That said there will be four positions (President, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> VP and secretary) to be filled for the 2012/2013 school year. If you are interested in serving on the nomination committee please contact Beth Haubach (bhaubachpta@verizon.net).

### TALENT SHOW:

To date no one has committed to coordinating the PS, 1,3,5 Talent Show set for May 4, 2012. Please contact Beth Haubach (bhaubachpta@verizon.net) if you are interested in volunteering to chair this fun and anticipated event!

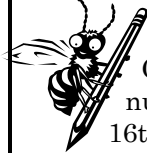
### WEBMASTER:

A new webmaster is needed to keep the Cub Run PTA website up to date. The current webmaster will be leaving Cub Run after this school year. Please contact Jim Bolton (jbolton55@yahoo.com) for more information.

### Original Art

Cub Run has teamed up with Original Works to offer a very special program. This program allows you to have your child's very own artwork reproduced onto a selection of nearly 30 quality products. These products range from magnets, mugs and mouse pads to t-shirts, tote bags and tiles. They make memorable gifts for any occasion.

Your child will be creating their artwork in school, using the regular art curriculum as the basis for their work of art. We are thrilled to be participating in this unique and innovative program. Look for complete program, product and pricing information coming soon.



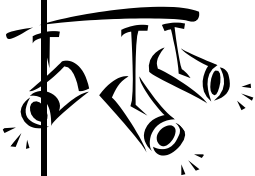
### Spelling Bee

Congratulations to Sarah Elliot, the winner of the annual Spelling Bee held at Cub Run on Thursday, February 16th, and to runner up Tracey Ampaw. Sarah advances to the County Bee which will be held at Hayfield Secondary School on March 18th. Good luck, Sarah!

### Spring Fling/5K/Fun Run

Sunday, April 22nd Time: TBA

Many hands make light work! Never more true than with a big event like Spring Fling. We welcome any and all volunteers and there is still plenty of time to get in on the planning! The next planning committee meeting is Monday, February 27th at the Stone Road Starbucks. Please contact Jeanelle St. Sauveur (emailjeanelle@gmail.com) directly with any questions, concerns or if you are interested in donating your time or talents to this great family



### Spotlight on Cub Run's Teachers!

**Name:** Mike Nokovich

**Position:** 4<sup>th</sup> grade Teacher

**Family:** Wife (Sharon), son (Michael)

**Favorites:**

Color: Green/blue

Food: Mexican

Book: Number the Stars

Movie: Comedies

TV Show: Modern Family

Place to Visit: Mountains/National Parks. Favorite park is Bryce Canyon, UT

**How do you like to spend your weekend?:** With my wife and son doing just about anything.

**What do you love about CRES?:** The community and the wonderful students and staff

**What other career would you have chose?:** I've always wanted to be a teacher. I considered high school biology for awhile.

### 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 Skatequest in January. The decision to move the event to an indoor rink was a good one! The event raised \$445 for the general PTA fund. Thank you to all who put on ice skates and supported this event.

Nancy Render: Nancy has coordinated the Spelling Bee for several years now. The students really enjoy this event. It's amazing to see how many children participate in the Bee each year. The competition can be fierce and the last rounds are always very exciting!

Angela Mitolo: This is Angela's second year chairing Bingo, and it was a great success! A "Thank You" also goes out to Coca-Cola for donating the sodas. Finally a huge THANK YOU to all those who donated baked goods and volunteered their time to help with the event.