

# Pecan Grove Elementary

## January PTA Newsletter



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PGE PTA website:

[www.pgepta.digitalpto.com](http://www.pgepta.digitalpto.com)



Whew!!!! We did it!!!! December was such a busy month. Breakfast with Santa, Holiday Market, Winter Parties, and the holiday break. Wow!!!! I'm sure we were all exhausted. Hope everyone had a great holiday break. I know I sure did.

Now that we are back in school, the PTA has a lot of special events planned for this semester. With this new semester, most of the students will have their grade level field trips. Be sure to ask your teacher to find out your child's field trip schedule.

Anyone interested in becoming part of PGE/PTA board? Nominations for the 2017-2018 school year will be starting in February. More information to come next month.

Cheryl Grimes  
PGE PTA President

Save the Date:

Jan 13 – School Store/Spirit Day

Jan 18 – Spirit Night @ Texas Roadhouse

Jan 27 – School Store/Spirit Day

Feb 10 – School Store/Spirit Day

Feb 24 – School Store/Spirit Day



### December VIPS of the month: Allison Edwards and Jack Grimes

VIPS (Volunteers In Public Schools) consists of parents, adult community members, and youth who are mentors and/or assist campuses in a wide variety of endeavors. Each month, 2 VIPS from PGE will be recognized for their volunteer services! A BIG thanks to all our volunteers!

Questions? Contact [volunteers@pgepta.com](mailto:volunteers@pgepta.com)



Be on the lookout for the new sign up link to be emailed to Dads. Plenty of t-shirts for Watchdogs are available in ALL sizes for sale for \$14 at the school. They should be worn during WATCHDOGS volunteer times. We will be

announcing a day for Dads with WATCHDOGS to come to school for pictures for yearbook (wearing your shirts, of course!). The kids LOVE seeing you involved at the school! You bring them such JOY!

Third grade container garden volunteers will be needed soon. More info on dates to come. This is a great opportunity to volunteer with your child!!



Help us get smiles in the yearbook by uploading your photos of school events to:

<http://community.lifetouch.com>.

Use school code: GLKVTL

Contact Brittany Puchot with questions at [yearbook@pgepta.com](mailto:yearbook@pgepta.com).



### From the desk of the Treasurer:

All returned checks (insufficient funds) are automatically submitted for collection through a direct third party, “Paytek”. Fees will be incurred.

Thank you to our 1st Annual Trunk Or Treat Winner...



- Injectable  
(Dysport, Botox, & Fillers)
- Micopen / Vampire Facial
- Corrective Facial
- Spa Facial
- Massage
- Body Wrap
- Body Peel
- Hydra Facial
- Derma planning
- Chemical Peels
- Spray Tans
- Laser Hair Removal
- Spider Veins
- Photofacial
- Tri - Pollar  
(Skin Tightening Treatment)
- Vanquish ME (Fat Reduction)
- Thermi Va

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Breakfast with Santa was such an amazing success and it was all because of the spectacular volunteers we had.

- Allison Edwards - thank you as you brought the vision to life...Thank you for your COUNTLESS hours. The entire theme came together beautifully!
- Jackie Lee Dorsey and Nisa Garcia - the least fun project EVER...wrapping empty boxes (TONS OF THEM)!
- Cheryl Grimes and Jack Grimes - thank you for making the giant Lollipops come to life!
- Erika McKay, Suzannah Stout and Erika Hobley - thank you for your time in making the amazing life size candy!
- Ashlea Torres - thank you for using your decorating skills and turning the stage into a beautiful masterpiece.
- Araceli Grier - You are AMAZING!!! The Gingerbread House was just Incredible! YOU DID ANYTHING YOU COULD TO HELP!
- Robin McGuire - thank you beyond words for doing everything (including overcoming and pushing through your fear of heights)!
- Lisa Longworth - thank you for being the problem solver and coming and doing all of the pieces that needed to come together.
- Melissa Lomonte and Emerald Bragg - YOU BOTH ARE AMAZING! Also, Nisa, thank you for being a tech savvy major! The stage came alive with the candy lights thanks to you ladies. Then, you stayed and did way more. I can't say thank you enough!
- Kelly Randolph - Koda never looked better! It was so time consuming. Hours upon hours!
- Stephanie Tolbirt - what a blessing you are. Thank you for doing all of the organized stuff behind the scenes then spending even more time decorating! It was a seamless setup.
- Kelsea Lake - COUNTLESS HOURS, over 200 candies made! Thank you beyond words.
- Kim Pechacek - thank you for making the candies and helping to take down!
- Monica Llanes - thank you so much for coming to set up and taking time from work to do so!
- Brittany Puchot - thank you so much for helping and making the cute signs!!
- Kara Ann Williams - your mountain looked fantastic!
- Lillie Saucedo, Cheryl Hayes-Fowler, and Dewana Curran - GOD BLESS YOU FOR MAKING CANDIES AND REINDEER FOOD!!!
- Julie Ridings and Heather Wallace - beyond thank you for your suckers!!!
- Julie and Matt Washburn - the amazing The Candyland People?! Incredible!!!!
- Kelly Clinton - you just jumped in to just do anything you could! And put candies together!
- Ashley Smith - the center pieces were incredible! I know how much time they took!!
- Vicki Kipp - I cannot thank you enough for being such an awesome asset and coming to help!!!
- Samantha Drummond and Kara Mattea - thank you for staying and taking everything down!!!
- Darrell Marek - thank you for bringing the train and giving the children an incredible experience!!!

There are so many more that came to help. This school is so blessed. You put everything above yourselves with this project. It took a village! Thank you to everyone who helped make memories for our children!!! And THANK YOU to all of the volunteers and older siblings for being so helpful. Our 5th Grade Elves were phenomenal as well!!! Thank you, Jennifer Vontz, for suggesting the elves make a return!

Coming up Next is Our Little Sweetheart Dance on February 10th. If you would like to help setting up and decorating please contact Brittany Francis at [programs@pgepta.com](mailto:programs@pgepta.com)

Also, sign ups will soon be going out for the Talent Show. Spaces will be limited. So please turn them in ASAP after They go out.



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