

TIGER TEXT

PTA: Pave the Path to Education

Mark Your Calendar

Your PTA Board will meet at 5:30 on each of these nights. As a PTA member, you are encouraged to attend any and all of these meetings. We would love to have your input!

Tuesday, April 17

Tuesday, May 15

TIGER BINGO

Wow! What a night!! Thank you to each and every family that attended our Tiger BINGO event. It was an absolutely successful event and everyone had a great time!

Thank you to each vendor that took the time to donate to our cause and to set up for shopping that night. Also a special thank you to Mr. & Mrs. Dunn and Ms. Droog and her fiancé for helping to run the event that night.

We were able to raise over \$2,000 to move forward with the Buddy Bench purchase and installation. Also, the remaining funds will be going towards new instruments in Music class. It was a win-win for everyone and we hope to have a similar event in the future.



Blood Drive Love

A sincere heartfelt THANK YOU to each and every individual that helped to make our 1st ever YBES Blood Drive a success! There were those of you that donated blood, attempted donation for the first time, provided snacks and drinks and even volunteered your time to make the event run smoothly. No matter how you helped, we want to say a big thank you! It took each and every one of you to make this event possible.

We were able to collect 27 pints of blood out of a goal of 30 for the day. It was only due to a lack of time that we did not surpass our goal as we had so many of you show up to show that day.

Many of our students were even taught about the blood in their little bodies for the first time. They had grade level appropriate conversations about blood donation in their classrooms and were encouraged to invite their family to donate. More importantly, they were taught ways that they can help their community when they grow up. Opening their eyes and minds to these possibilities is priceless for our next generation.

Our YBES family never ceases to amaze me and for that I am so very thankful. The hearts of those at YBES are not only for our students, but for our community as well. THANK YOU for helping to save lives!

Field Day Shirts

2018 will be the 10th school year that Field Day shirts will be provided for every student at Yellow Branch. This is only possible due to the support of local companies. We are beginning our campaign for shirt sponsor donations for 2018 and need your help! We have a letter that we can provide you to give to family or friends that work for local companies. Please contact a PTA Board member or email yellowbranchpta@gmail.com and we will get you a copy.

2017-2018 PTA Board

President: Afton Fisher
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Our Wonder Woman team would love to have your help anytime! Grab your super hero cape and jump right in with us! We'd love to have you.

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Claire Parker Foundation

This year Mr. Dunn is heading up a fundraiser to support the Claire Parker Foundation. This foundation is a local organization based in Altavista, VA that helps fund and raise awareness for families and children that are facing Pediatric Cancer. All of the money raised stays right here in our community to help the ones that are struggling in our very own neighborhoods. One of the families being supported is actually one of our own YBES Tiger students. This is a great cause and unlike many other fundraisers we know who this will impact. Let's show them we care and they are loved. Our fundraiser runs through Friday, March 30th.



Packets were given to students in their PE classes over the last couple of weeks. Please ask your student for the information and help us raise money for this fantastic organization. If you have questions please feel free to contact Mr. Dunn.

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Save the Date - Art Exhibit!

Each and every student at YBES has had the opportunity to create 4 different pieces of artwork throughout this school year. The themes have included fish, tigers, Math and Zentangle. Your YBES PTA has worked hard to partner with the teachers and staff to provide this opportunity to the students through an Art Day each of the 9 weeks. The students have thoroughly enjoyed these days and have worked to create their own masterpieces that they are proud to display.



Tuesday, April 17th will be the 1st Annual YBES Art Exhibit. We would love to have you join us for this event. Over 2,000 pieces of art work will be displayed that night and we are excited to see it all come together. We hope that you are able to join us and witness the joy that this art has brought to our YBES students.