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Highland Drive PSO Weekly Update-February 12, 2018

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February 12th Weekly Update

Greeting

Dear Highland Drive Families,

Happy Valentine's Day! Class parties will be held this Wednesday afternoon.

Wednesday is also the deadline to register for Family Bingo Night. See below for more information and a link to get a new registration form, should you need one. We hope you can make it!

Finally, the **PSO has several open volunteer positions for the 2018-2019 school year.** Please see below for information and if you have any questions and/or are interested in anything, please let us know.

Have a great week,

Sarah Beebe and Joanie MacRaid
Highland Drive PSO Presidents 2017-2018
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Family Bingo Night

Save the Date- Friday, February 23 will be Family Bingo Night. The event will take place at Highland Drive from **6pm-8:30pm.** We have many great prizes to

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give away from local businesses including Star Sports, Austin's Wood Fire Grill, Starbucks, The Kiln, London Pickle Works, Brecksville Batting Cages, Sokolowski's University Inn, Pizza Fire and more!

Registration is due Wednesday, February 14 and is required in order to have a headcount for food and prizes.

Registration Form:

https://www.highlanddrivepsa.com/uploads/8/4/8/2/8482358/bingo_night_registration_2018.pdf

Time to clean out the closets! Do you have any new toys, stuffed animals, or other giveaways that you are able to donate for prizes? There is a Bingo Donation Box in the entryway of the school. We appreciate any new or unused items you are able to donate!

We could also use volunteers for the evening. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Sarah Beebe and Megan Makuch at highlandbingo@gmail.com. It's a lot of fun and the kids love it when their parents are able to be involved.

Thank you for your support!

2018-19 PSO Board Positions Available!

Calling all volunteers!

We seek to fill a number of open PSO Board and Committee positions for the 2018-2019 school year.

It would be fantastic to see some new faces (as well as the old) fill these roles. Please feel free to contact **Meggan Rawlin** (megrawlin@gmail.com) for more information and with questions. Currently, the open positions are:

2018-2019 Board Positions:

- *Co-Vice President of Fundraising (2 volunteers desired)
- *Treasurer
- *Recording Secretary

2018-2019 Committee Positions:

- *Back to School Fling
- *Bowling
- *Box Tops
- *Cafeteria Aid Calendar Keeper
- *Chess Club
- *Creative Writing Corner
- *Health and Safety Week
- *Hospitality/Decorating (note: possibly filled)
- *Highland Island/Earth Week
- *Room Reps Coordinator (K-1)
- *Back to School Supplies Coordinator

Screenagers Screening

Please consider joining us for a viewing of the

2/21 Screenagers Viewing

2/23 Highland Family Bingo Night

Volunteer Form

If you are a volunteer that will be with students without a staff member present, including chaperoning field trips, you must complete this form: [HERE](#)

documentary **Screenagers, on February 21st in the HS Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.** This 65 minute documentary investigates the impact our children's use of technology is having on them. [Click here](#) for more information about the film.

Please [click here](#) and sign-up to attend the event by clicking on the "register here" link in the upper right hand corner of the event.

Student Directory

The Student Directory is Here!

https://drive.google.com/open?id=1Wm_lf1eZOFf8fw9TBhIL1ZxpmnLr5Tpj

I apologize for the delay in getting the Directory compiled. We had a minimal number of responses and sent paper forms home at the end of November for those that hadn't submitted information and then the Holidays hit!

In addition to the Directory being included in the newsletter, you will also receive an electronic copy from your room parents. **Only parents who sent in the paper form or sent information in thru the online link are included.** We will only be distributing an electronic version and not be printing these and sending them home with the kids.

Should anyone have questions or if there are any typos I need to fix have parents contact me by email suzanne95osu@gmail.com

Thank you!
Suzanne Nall

Highland Cafeteria Parent Volunteers are Needed

Please consider volunteering your time to help out in the Highland cafeteria at lunchtime.

We are looking for people who can help children with opening packages in their lunches, cleaning up tables, and generally keeping things calm and organized.

Siblings are welcome to join.

Lunch Volunteer Time - 11:30am - 12:45pm

We are also in need for volunteers in Highland Island during lunch recess to make sure the children behave when around the ducks.

If you have any questions, please contact Jamie Bindra - jpatel440@gmail.com

To Sign up for February:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/30E054BA5AD28A46-february

Creative Writing Corner

February Writing Prompt - National Inventors' Day

February 11th is "National Inventors' Day" in honor of Thomas Edison, who was born on this day in 1847. If you could invent something, share what would you invent and tell why and/or how it would be used. Use your imagination!

Due Date: Friday, February 23rd, 2018

Writing submissions will be displayed for a month along the wall outside the gymnasium doors in Creative Writing Corner. When the submissions are returned, students will receive a little prize to take home.

Writing Submission Guidelines: Younger students may want to write a few words or a picture, while older students may want to write a paragraph or two.

*** Please indicate name, grade, and teacher on the entry before turning into your child's teacher.**

Box Tops for Education

February's collection sheets were sent home earlier this month. This month's contest is a continuation of the January contest. **The classroom that submits the most Box Tops for January and February combined will earn a movie and popcorn party!!!** We will also award a **Top Contributor Trophy** at the end of the month to the student that submits the most Box Tops in February.

At the close of January, the top five classrooms include: **Mrs. Mulac, Mrs. Jagielo, Mr. Cervenka, Mrs. Brinkman, and Mrs. French.** It is a close race, however, and any classroom can easily take the lead.

Thank you for your support!!!

<http://www.highlanddrivepsa.com/box-tops-how-tos.html>

Giant Eagle and Heinen's

Here is an easy way you can help out our school without spending any extra money.

Please take a minute and select Highland Elementary for both the Giant Eagle and Heinen's Education Rewards programs. Every time you shop these stores give money back to our school. Encourage others (grandparents, neighbors) to also designate Highland as their school.

For Giant Eagle- call [1-800-474-4777](tel:1-800-474-4777) or register online at [Giant Eagle Education Rewards](#)

Heinens- enroll at customer service in the store or
online at <http://www.heinensrewards.com/>

Sincerely,

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