

SME PTO Newsletter

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New Year, New Ideas


Welcome 2009! The PTO has planned some great new family activities for the rest of the school year. First, we will have a Family Arts & Crafts Night on Friday, January 23. There will be ten different projects with all the supplies provided. This will be a make-and-take event. Some donations are being requested. Look for more information on flyers this week.

In March, an SME Dinner Out Night is being planned at one of our local restaurants. Taking your family to dinner will actually benefit SME, as the restaurant will donate a percentage of sales to the school. And, as an added bonus, you won't have to cook!

Join us for these fun-filled events, plus others you will see in the coming months.



Upcoming Events

- Recycle SME! 
- Bring in those Box Tops!!!
- Spirit Day Friday, Jan. 16 is Inside-Out Day
- Jan 23 - Family Arts & Crafts Night, 6:30pm, SME Multi-purpose room.

Cookie Dough

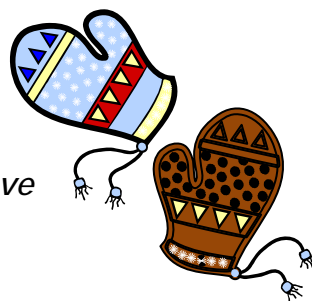
Holy Guacamole, Batman! Are SME kids future entrepreneurs, or what? Your children raised over \$7000 for SME by selling cookie dough!

Way to go, kids!!!

A playground fitness circuit, classroom emergency kits, and new library equipment are just a few of the benefits being reaped from all the hard work. All of these purchases and more are expected by the end of this school year.

Cookie dough really brought in the "dough"!

"Wearing mismatched mittens doesn't make you odd; it makes you have warm hands."



PTO Meetings

The SME PTO board meets at least twice a month. Meetings are held every other Wednesday afternoon at the school at 3:15pm. Anyone is welcome to attend. Call the office for more information. Hope to see you there!

FUN at SME!

Spirit Days remind students to be proud of who they are and where they go to school! Every Friday, students can show their school spirit by wearing their school colors - purple, teal and black. The second Friday of each month will celebrate SME school spirit with various themes. January 16 is Inside-Out Day. Show off those tags and seams on your shirts and jeans! Let's have some laughs!

Look up SME on the web at www.southmountainelementary.com!

