# **WPS PPO Newsletter**

#### WHAT IS PPO?

PPO = Parent Participation Organization It's a group of parent volunteers who organize and participate in school fundraisers and events. We also volunteer our time for various school activities throughout the year.

# WHAT WE DID LAST SCHOOL YEAR:

- We helped wrap gifts for our younger students in December for Breakfast with Santa
- We handed out holiday goodie bags to all the students in our school.
- We had a movie night with snacks and raffle prizes.
- We held an Indigo fundraiser in the Fall, where part of the proceeds from the book sales went back to the school.
- We hosted an end-of-the-year picnic in June for all of our students. It was a great opportunity for parents, children, teachers and staff to come together and enjoy good food, good company and play outside!

# PLANS FOR THIS YEAR:

- Pizza parties
- Bingo night
- Bake sales
- International food festival

# **OUR NEXT PPO MEETING:**

Wednesday, October 2nd at 4pm North Campus (Marymount)

# WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN THE PPO:

It's a great feeling to be a volunteer and do something to support our children and our school! You also get to meet new people and make friends. And best of all....the money we collect from our fundraisers not only helps to pay for other fun events, but we can also invest more money directly into our school.

## **OUR CURRENT LEAD MEMBERS:**

Co-Chairs - Flore Bachellerie & Wendy Epstein Secretary - Debra Desmettre Public Relations - Sophie Antippa

## **OPEN POSITIONS:**

We're always looking for more parents from BOTH campuses to join the PPO. We're currently looking for a

- Treasurer to keep an accurate record of our funds
- Coordinator from the South Campus to ensure the balance between the 2 campuses.

If you're interested, please let us know!

## **CONTACT US:**

We can't do this without your help! For more information, please email us at:

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We look forward to hearing from you!