

# CFA PTA

## Meeting Dates:

### 7 pm , cafeteria

- *September 9*
- *October 7*
- *November/December—  
No Meeting*
- *January/February— no  
meeting*
- *March 3*
- *April 3— no meeting*
- *May 5*
- *June 2*

## **Officers:**

### *President:*

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## **PTA Events & Involvement:**

### **Building Leadership Team (BLT) Reps—**

The PTA elects two reps to the BLT for each school year. This small group of principal, teachers and parents meets monthly and focus on academic achievement and other improvements.

**PTA Council Representatives—**Two reps from each school are invited to attend district-wide PTA Council meetings once/mo., where schools exchange ideas on events and other topics.

**School Pictures -** September 25, PTA coordinates communication with our portrait providers and make sure portrait sessions run smoothly.\*

**Book Fair—**Held during Open House-September 16. This event encourages reading and raises a small amount of funds.\*

**Open House—**September 16, PTA provides refreshments.

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade Scavenger Hunt—**September 12 This event allows 6th graders to familiarize themselves with CFA by having an in-school scavenger hunt. Prizes are awarded.\*

**Reflections—**A national PTA program which allows kids to express themselves through the arts.\*

**Spirit Wear—**“CFA” clothing sale to increase school spirit and pride.\*

**Staff Appreciation Week—**PTA coordinates a week of treats and thank yous for the teachers and staff.\*

**Staff Luncheon—**An end-of-the-year thank you lunch for the teachers and staff.\*

**8th Grade Farewell—**Help fund the event and provide parent volunteers.

**Fall Festival—September 26,** an outdoor dance with games, karaoke and food.\*

**Teacher Grants—**Offer \$50.00 to each teacher to be used for education enhancement. Grants are approved at PTA meetings.\*

**Bulldog Bones—**A character education program that is coordinated by the guidance office. PTA provides funding and purchases the prizes.

**Beautification -**A standing committee to plan improvement projects to beautify and maintain the landscaped areas around the school as well as basic interior improvements. \*

**Fundraising—**All funds raised are used to support these PTA and school programs and events.\*

**Communication—**PTA has a master email list to notify parents of upcoming school events, days off, etc. \*

**Membership—**Periodically coordinates refreshments for staff and at winter concerts for band and chorus families.\*

**Bingo—**Family Night held in the winter.

**After School Clubs—**help coordinate and fund.

\*PTA Sponsored and coordinated

## **Membership Form:**

Please return the bottom of this form and \$5.00 to the PTA mailbox or return during Open House. A membership table will be in the gym.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: (needed in order to put on email list) \_\_\_\_\_

Names & grades of children at CFA: \_\_\_\_\_

Please put my name on the volunteer list  Yes

Please note what events/activities interest you: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: CFA PTA. Thank you for your support!