



## FROM YOUR PTA EXECUTIVE BOARD



Dear Felida Families,

As we reach the end of a great school year at Felida Elementary, we would like to thank everyone who has helped make it another successful year. You donated your time to events such as Back to School Night, Fun Run, Trunk or Treat, Dining Days and Spring Fling. You provided treats for events, gifts for our Giving Tree and lunches and gift cards for staff appreciation. You purchased Payback Books, Spirit Wear, plants and books. You donated your time to keep our organization running by writing newsletters, promoting membership, running the website and posting to Facebook, coordinating volunteers, spearheading a new outdoor area improvement committee and creating a yearbook to commemorate the year. You did all these things and so much more. The PTA executive board would like to thank all the chairpersons of these events and activities as well as everyone who supported these efforts by volunteering, donating, and attending. It takes all of us to make our school the best it can be.

As we reflect on the year, here is a sample of the PTA's 2021/2022 accomplishments:

- 1570 Payback Books sold raised \$16,000
- 13 PTA Newsletters
- 500+ Trunk or Treat Attendees
- 18,000 pieces of candy and 27 decorated Trunks
- \$22,000 raised from the Fun Run to start a fund for outdoor improvement on campus
- Revamped PTA website includes a page that is updated with all current events.
- \$8000 granted in teacher support
- 10 Staff Appreciation events including a "warm up" station that is maintained all year.
- 207 Spirit Wear items sold for \$899 Profit
- \$1,200 raised through 9 Dining Days events
- 158 Facebook posts and double the followers this past year.
- 290+ Plant Sale transactions earning \$6,000
- Book Fairs served 540 families earning \$7000 to cover Scholastic News for next year.
- 1000 people celebrated at Felida's Spring Fling Carnival

We want to wish all of you a healthy, safe and happy summer!

Your Felida Elementary PTA Executive Board,

Corinne Schmidt, President  
Helen Ludvigson, Vice President  
Paul Scarpelli, Treasurer  
Sheila Swiderek, Secretary

## 2022 GOLDEN ACORN & OUTSTANDING EDUCATOR AWARDS

Our sincerest congratulations to Karen King, winner of the 2022 Golden Acorn Award for excellence as a school volunteer, and to School Counselor Joanna Murphy, winner of the 2022 Outstanding Educator Award. Thank you both, ladies, for all you do for our kids and our school. You are both tremendously appreciated!





As the 5<sup>th</sup> graders graduate from Felida Elementary, we must also say farewell to PTA volunteers whose children are moving on to other schools. To all our 'graduating' volunteers, thank you for the countless hours given to our school and to our community.



We'd like to give a special thanks to former PTA President (and current VP) Helen Ludvigson who is one of those parents. Helen became PTA president when her son was in first grade, and she has served on the PTA board ever since. A big thank you to Helen for her active leadership as a judicious steward of Felida PTA. We appreciate you!

## SPRING CARNIVAL SUCCESS AND THANKS

Spring Carnival was a HUGE success and couldn't have happened without the help of the community! There were **over 1000 attendees** and lots of joy. Thank you for donating to make the event a hit! Additionally, we thank all of the families who supported our spring book fair that took place during the carnival. Your purchases helped us to earn enough money to cover Scholastic News for our students for the coming school year.

We would like to give an extra round of applause to those who sponsored a game or concession...Barre3 Felida, Billygans, Slumberkins, StarCycle, Kirk Irby, Salmon Creek Vision, Tia & The Perera Family and Grandma Honey (Charlene DesRosier).



## YEAR-END CALENDAR

- 6/15 2-hour early release
- 6/16 Last day of school, 2-hr early release
- 6/20 Schools and District Offices Closed



The end of the year finish line is in sight. We wish you all a wonderful summer. See you in the fall!

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