

Merton PTO
2015-16

28

sponsored events

\$5417

books for classroom libraries,
technology for classrooms, in
school field trips, special
assemblies

3

student
grants
in the works



\$17,000

raised toward gym and
playground equipment

528

parents + kids
at mom/son,
dad/daughter,
and family
bowling
activities

98

volunteers

priceless

supporting merton staff through
appreciation activities during the year

Merton Community School District



Name: Merton Schools PTO

School Year: 2015-16

Mission

The Mission of the Merton PTO is to enhance the experience and development of our students and staff by engaging families in building a strong school community.

PTO Educational Events

	T1	T2	T3
Principals' Chat	✓		
Smart Choices Week	✓		
6th Grade Youth Nights	✓	✓	✓
Staff Grants	✓	✓	✓
Staff Appreciation	✓	✓	✓
Staff Health & Wellness Initiative	✓	✓	✓
Staff Dinners at Conferences	✓	✓	
Book Fairs	✓		✓
Principals' Funds	✓	✓	✓
Tower Garden			✓
Playground Equipment			✓
Student Grants		✓	✓
Celebration Day			✓

PTO Social Events

	T1	T2	T3
Back to School Night Food Trucks	✓		
Fall Festival + Chili Cook Off	✓		
Mom/Son Robotics Lego Build		✓	
Daddy/Daughter Sweetheart Dance		✓	
Family Bingo Night			✓
Family Bowling			✓

PTO Fundraising

	T1	T2	T3
Mustang Water Bottles	✓	✓	
Culver's Nights	✓	✓	✓
Fall Fundraiser Donations + Chip Shoppe	✓		
Box Tops for Education	✓	✓	✓
Labels for Education	✓	✓	✓
Country Springs Water Park Passes	✓	✓	✓
Amazon Smile		✓	✓
Spring Fling Rummage Sale			✓

Future Planning

We had lots of suggestions including a father/son baseball game and mother/daughter pottery, or donuts at drop off with our kids. We're looking for adults willing to be the contact person for an event - grab a friend and make it happen!

Attending daytime meetings is not required.

Merton Schools PTO is a 501(c)3 charity.
Your donations to the PTO are tax deductible.

Comments

THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who gave an hour or many hours of their time to plan, implement, participate in, or support Merton PTO activities this year.

BOOSTERTHON

Watch for our exciting new Boosterthon Fun Run this fall **to replace** our typical product selling fundraisers. Our goal is to raise **\$20,000** from this event.

SURVEY

We'd appreciate your responses to a quick survey about the social, educational, and fundraising events you did (or didn't) participate in this year. Please watch for an email invitation to assist us in planning next year's calendar.

COMMUNICATION

We revised our mission last summer, launched a new website with an updated logo, and sent home paper newsletters several times throughout the year to strengthen our communication. If you haven't seen us on facebook, take a peek at the great experiences our kids have when they're at school. You can feel great about supporting programs that positively impact the students, staff, and families in the district, and add value to your child's educational experience. Helping PTO directly impacts children and staff at Merton.

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