

Here are the highlights from this week's PTO meeting.

1. **Bonnie Berry, BOE vice-president**, was the guest speaker who came to talk about the new Superintendent search. Ads will begin in December (state and nationwide). The BOE expects to have a final list of candidates in February, and interviews are expected to occur at the end of March. The PTO will provide dinner for the candidates at that time.
2. **Dunkin Donuts** (after seeing Melissa LeClair in her Peru Pride shirt!) has approached the PTO and wants to be a community partner to assist with the 3-6 Playground upgrade. DD has also pledged to sell \$1.00 filled travel mugs during the grand opening of the new Peru location. They will give every dollar back to the PTO for the playground! Just one more reason to love Dunkin Donuts, no?
3. **School-wide presidential election** plans are in place. K-2 will vote in the library on Oct. 31 (because this election isn't scary enough already??) and grades 3-6 will vote on the Crackerbox stage on Nov. 8th.
4. **Kids' Night Out** is scheduled for Nov. 18th, 6-8pm. Each of the last 2 events have hosted over 300 kids! This event requires many adult volunteers. If you are able to donate some time, please email the PTO at [perupto@gmail.com](mailto:perupto@gmail.com). Volunteers are asked to arrive at 5:30.
5. **Teacher Appreciation Breakfast** - On Dec.6th (Parent conference day) the PTO will provide a "grab and go" breakfast in the lobby by the 3-6 gym for all staff members.
6. **McTeacher Night** - record-breaking profit of \$592.00!!  
Thanks to all who donated their time!
7. **Spaghetti Dinner** on Nov. 4th, 5-7pm in the K-2 cafeteria. Take out dinners will be available as well. THANK YOU to Kathy Cantwell and Greg Badger for painting the Adirondack chairs in Art class! A flyer with more details will be available soon.

That's all folks! Feel free to contact me or Angell with any questions or comments

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