# **To The Pointe**

#### North Pointe Rocket PTA Newsletter

**February 8, 2023** www.rocketpta.com

Facebook: PTA of North Pointe Elementary



### <u>Yearbook</u> -

Get your yearbook orders in now!

They can only be purchased online.

Last year we SOLD OUT with no extras.

 $\underline{https://www.balfour.com/texas/houston/north-pointe-}$ 

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Do you have STEM Night Photos?

Class Party Pictures? Field Trip Photos?

YEARBOOK NEEDS YOUR PICTURES!

Submissions due by March 1st.

Share them in ImageShare and they could be in the school yearbook!

Website: <u>studio.balfour.com/lmageShare</u>

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You can also download the apps in the app store of your phone and upload from there too.

### **School Fair**

# <u>This Saturday, February 11, 2023</u> 12 - 3 PM

FOOD TRUCKS
SILENT AUCTION
BASKET RAFFLES, TEACHER RAFFLES
MOONWALK, OBSTICLE COURSE, LASER TAG
DJ, GAMES, PROGRAMS, & MORE

**CHECK OUT PAGE 3 & 4 FOR MORE INFO!** 

#### **Upcoming Dates**

- Saturday, February 11
   @ 12:00-3:00 pm
   NPE PTA School Fair
- Feb. 13-17th Book Fair
- Feb. 16th
  Grandparents Day
- Feb. 16th
   Library Event After School
- February 20th
  NO SCHOOL
- February 22nd Fit Night
- February 23rd @ 5:45 PM
   PTA Membership Meeting
- February 24th
  Go Texan Day
- March 10th Early Release
- March 13-17th Spring Break

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#### Rocket PTA Website!

North Pointe PTA has a website!

www.rocketpta.com

Bookmark it and visit it regularly,
as it is still growing!

## **Events!**

#### **GRANDPARENT'S DAY**

North Pointe elementary will be hosting Grandparent's and Special Friend's Day on Thursday, February 16TH. This will be our first Grandparent's / Special Friend's Day since the pandemic.

Pre-K, Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grader's Special Friend's are invited from 8:30 am - 10:00 am 3rd, 4th and 5th grader's Special Friend's are invited from 10:30 am-12:00 pm.

Grandparent's and Special Friend's will be able to partake in refreshments (breakfast / brunch items), visit classroom(s), tour school and take pictures.

Alexandra Balmer, hospitality chair, will be in charge of the event, so please reach out if you would like to assist with volunteering or donating items.

A signup genius will be sent out in the upcoming days.

#### -Staff Appreciation

Staff Appreciation had a sweet
January event of cupcakes and cocoa.
A HUGE thank you to Clear Lake
Baptist Church and Cupcake Cachet
for sponsoring this event!!

# STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER AND

#### **BOOK FAIR SHOPPING**

Want to shop the book fair, but can't make it during the school day? No worries!

Wear your pajamas and bring a stuffed friend with you and your family to shop at the book fair from 5pm-7pm on Thursday, February 16th!

We will decorate tags for your stuffed friends and read a story to make them sleepy. Then, you go home and your stuffed friend will get to spend the night at the library. We will take pictures of your stuffed friends having fun!

Follow their adventures on Facebook at PTA of North Pointe Elementary.

Your toy will be delivered to your classroom on Friday morning.

#### Fit Night

Coach Susan Rizzo will be hosting Family Fit Night February 22 from 5:30 - 7:00 PM.

There will be 30 representatives from our community that have a love for health and wellness attending.

This will be the first Fit night since the pandemic! We are so excited for the quick activities that families will be able to interact with in order to learn more about our bodies and how to lead healthy lifestyles. Beverages and healthy snacks will be provided from the Hospitality chair.

# **Rockets Rock School Fair!**

#### **COME HUNGRY!**

Food trucks will be donating a portion of their sales!

Nom Mi Street, Rolling Republic BBQ,

Jax Burgers, and KONA ICE!

Live performances and DJ!

Games, prizes, moonwalk, and other fun activities!

Silent Auction:

Astros tickets, Houston Zoo membership, local goods & services, gift cards, and much more!

We Need Help Day of the Fair! Please donate just a little bit of your time to help run a booth, this help is criticial in making our fair a successful event!

Links to sign up are on page 4.

Tickets are on sale now, before & after school, at a discounted rate.

Tickets will also be available day of the fair for full price.

#### Fair Baskets

Thank you so much to our Rocket Families for donating to our Rockets Rock School Fair raffle baskets. Make sure to check out all the amazing baskets on display in the hallway starting next week! The tickets you purchase for our fair can be used to win one of these baskets.

Please make sure to write your first and last name, plus either your phone number or your homeroom teacher's name on each ticket, and separate each ticket, before you place them into the ticket buckets.

Basket themes this year include:
\$100 Bill; AirPods;
Fujifilm Instax Mini plus accessories;
Squishmallows; Starbucks;
Mad Scientist; Gardener;
Harry Potter; Sleepover;
American Girl; and many more!!

NPE would like to thank the following donors who have contributed to the school fair and/or silent auction.

All Star Revolution
Bay Area Equestrian Center
Bay Area Youth Singers
Bushi Ban Clear Lake
Buttermilk Sky Pie Shop
Card My Yard Clearlake
Cat Fonseca Tea-Tastic Cakestations

Chick Fil A
Dave and Busters
Dewberry Farm
Hammock Law Firm

Health Fusion Drip Spa Houston Zoo

James Avery Artisan Jewelry

Jason's Deli

Jimmy Changas Kendra Scott

Kona Ice of Galveston Bay

Main Street Theater

Moody Mansion

Mr. & Mrs. Kramer

Mrs. Baggett

Mrs. Kattner

Mrs. Murray

Ms. Rain

NPE

Pappas Restaurants

Purple Box Theater

Rudy's

Sam's Club

Schlitterbahn Waterparks & Resort

Texas Roadhouse

The Astros Foundation

Total Wine & More

University of Houston - Clear Lake

Art School

Whataburger

## **Getting Involved, Opportunties To Help**

#### **Nurse Donations**

Our school nurse is in need of boys pants for the clinic. If you have any that you can donate then please send them in to Nurse Clara. All sizes are needed.

#### Helping Hands

The Helping Hands committee relieves teachers and staff of the important non-teaching tasks like photocopying, binding, die cuts, and laminating - giving them more time for instruction. We need and appreciate your help!

Questions can be sent to volunteers@rocketpta.com. "I like doing helping hands because it's one of the easiest ways to help out at school. I can do an hour or two depending on my schedule. After staying at home with my kids because of Covid for a year, I realized how much work and prep the teachers need to do to make the kids learning experience fun and creative. So, my way of helping is to do helping hands. I do some printing, laminating and any other tasks that teachers ask for. Everyone is very friendly and always appreciative." -Jamila Rashid

Click Here for Helping Hands

#### We NEED Volunteers for Fair Day!!!

This event needs just a little bit of your time during the fair!

If everyone helps a little we can make a great event for our kids and community!

It's an easy way to volunteer a little bit of your time!

This event is only possible with your help!

Parent / Adult Sign Up

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CAFA8 2EA1FCC70-rockets

Student Sign Up (Intermediate/ High School Kids)

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CAFA82EA 1FCC70-student

#### **BOOK FAIR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The NPE Library needs YOUR help for our Spring Book Fair! If you're available to help students shop, run the cash registers, or restock shelves - please sign up here!



#### Library Helpers –

Mrs. Sandner, NPE's Librarian, needs help throughout the school year with checking books in and out, reshelving books, locating research materials, and aiding with any special library projects - such as makerspace activities. If you would like to be on the library helpers list, please submit the form linked by the QR code and our library chair will reach out soon!

Questions can be sent to library@rocketpta.com.

Click Here for Library Form



Library Helpers Form



Helping Hands Form