

## **A MESSAGE FROM THE PTA**

**Thank you to those families who attended Restaurant night at Kooper's North!** Thank you to Melissa Gofstein who organized it and Terry Beck who helped make it possible! We raised \$74 and Mr. Beck donated two \$50 gift cards that we will use during Teacher Appreciation Week!

**At our last meeting we elected Jessica Normington as our new treasurer for the remainder of this year!** Thank you Jessica for volunteering! We also agreed to approve a motion to buy a version of Quickbooks for her to do the job.

**Hot Spots also came to our last meeting and talked about how they want to help out support the school and our PTA!** They are a non-profit with a built-in curriculum. This month the theme is "Camp Hot Spots."

### **Things about HotSpots that you may not know:**

- They have a budget and offered to donate decorations to use in the cafeteria that were requested to help the new cafeteria manger make the cafeteria a little more festive. Thank you Hot Spots!
- **There is a drop-in option for \$42 a day if needed. Before care is at 7:00 am and after care goes to 6:30 pm. See attached flyer or you can contact Kendall at [pdhsfortgarrison@hsecp.org](mailto:pdhsfortgarrison@hsecp.org)**
- They also are offering a camp this summer. It is located in White Marsh and there will be busses from closer pick up spots. The camp sits on a 5-acres of land. There are two packages they offer for these camps. One is an adventure park and one is for the arts. There is ropes course, ziplining and archery ect. Check out [Camhotspots.com](http://Camhotspots.com) for more information.

### **Upcoming:**

- **Our next meeting is Tuesday, February 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.**
- **The "Almost Spring Ball" will be held on March 6<sup>th</sup>!** This event will be for Fort Garrison students only and their "special someone" to attend. This dance will be in the gym this year only. Do to fire code regulations, we will be limited to about 300 people so this will be a ticketed event. More information will be coming out about this soon!
- **The PTA will be soon selling Hershey Park discounted tickets that can be used anytime during the summer season!** We do use this offer as a fundraiser! If you are planning a trip to Hershey this summer, it's a great way to save money and support the school at the same time!
- **We are also working on getting a program called Heroes for Boys later in the spring!** This will be a running club similar to Girls on the Run that was offered in the

fall. Jessica Normington and Mrs. Gill be be coaches again. More information will be coming out as spring approaches.

**Reminders:**

- **Volunteer Opportunity: Lunchtime Volunteers !**  
**Thank you to our parents who have been coming in to help with lunch!** What a fun way to visit your child during the school day!  
**The sign up genius for this is posted at**  
**<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409054ea5aa29a3fe3-fort>** 11:40a.m. -1:30 p.m. You can come for all or part of this time as long as you have completed volunteer training.
- **Please continue to collect and submit Box Tops and download and use the new Box Top App!**
- **The school directory is available to members online at:**  
**[fortgarrisonpta.membershiptoolkit.com](http://fortgarrisonpta.membershiptoolkit.com)** The directory is an easy way to get a fairly complete class list and phone numbers. There are some families who have opted out. If you need to access the directory and are not a member, please contact us at [fortgarrisonpta@gmail.com](mailto:fortgarrisonpta@gmail.com) and we will help you.

**We also send emails announcing certain events and reminders! If you have not been receiving emails from the PTA about school events and would like to, email us at [fortgarrisonpta@gmail.com](mailto:fortgarrisonpta@gmail.com) and ask us to add you!**

Thank you!

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## HOT SPOTS® of FORT GARRISON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

### Tuition Rates: 2019-2020 School Year

Option	Monthly Tuition	Deposit Required
Before & After	\$380	\$176
PT AM (5 days)	\$225	\$104
PT PM (5 days)	\$267	\$123
PT B&A (4 days)	\$358	\$165
PT B&A (3 days)	\$285	\$127
PT B&A (2 days)	\$227	\$98
PT AM (4 days)	\$174	\$80
PT AM (3 days)	\$148	\$68
PT AM (2 days)	\$119	\$55
PT PM (4 days)	\$239	\$110
PT PM (3 days)	\$216	\$100
PT PM (2 days)	\$153	\$71
Drop-in (per day)		\$42

- A \$75 Non-Refundable Registration Fee and two week security deposit is required at the time of enrollment.
- Children enrolled in part-time am programs may add the compliment schedule to the school day for an additional \$15.00 per day or pm programs may add the compliment schedule for an additional \$8.00 per day.
- On early dismissal school days, part-time children will be charged an additional tuition of \$8.00 per day.
- If a child is scheduled to attend on a school day closing and the child does not attend a \$15.00 charge will be assessed to the account.
- For an additional fee, parents may opt to enroll children for drop in care at a local participating Celebree Learning Center for times when care is not available at the HSECP site. Care will be available on a first come, first serve basis. Transportation between the HSECP location and the local Celebree location IS NOT provided. Parents wishing to take advantage of this program must complete enrollment at the Celebree Learning Center location. Fees will be equivalent to the local Celebree Learning Center's half day drop in rate.
- The tuition payment methods available are: (1) Tuition will be electronically processed through an auto withdrawal either to my preferred credit card or banking account; (2) Tuition will be electronically processed by self through an online payment withdrawal either to my preferred credit card or banking account. Options for tuition assistance are available and child care subsidies are accepted.
- Payment transactions by credit card will be assessed a surcharge that is not greater than HSECP's cost of acceptance. We reserve the right to process any electronic payment as a credit transaction.
- Under our Family Discount Program, a discount of 10% will be received on the lowest tuitions when enrolling two or more fulltime siblings.