



Monthly Slice of PiE

April 2023

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Monthly Meetings

- Last meeting of the year - **MONDAY, May 8, 2023** at 7 p.m. in the PAR or via Zoom
 - <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83844488158?pwd=a2lVSIV3R245YjUwY3A2WEJiMnIxQT09>
- Meeting ID: 838 4448 8158
 - Passcode: 443081

Teacher Appreciation Week

- PiE is asking for parents' help in celebrating our amazing teachers & staff. Typically, we would do "You Take the Cake" which featured homemade goods from parents. This year, we've decided to change up that celebration and will be providing \$10 gift cards to various stores.
 - We are asking if you are willing to, to sign-up using this link www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084eafa92aa3f85-teacher#/ to provide a gift card. You can either purchase the gift card yourself and send in via backpack to DTS PiE or send \$10 in and the Teacher's Appreciation Committee will purchase the gift card for you - please be sure to include your name & the store you signed up for with your money.
- Another way we'd like to celebrate our teachers & staff is having raffle baskets available for them to win based on our "Around the World" theme. If you or a group of parents would like to provide a basket, please complete the sign-up here.
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084eafa92aa3f85-teacher1#/>
 - **We would like all gift cards & baskets to be received by May 1st.** Information on how to drop off baskets will be sent to those who sign up. There is absolutely no obligation to participate. If you have any questions, please contact the Teacher's Appreciation Week chairperson, Debbie Lubitz, at dlubitz319@gmail.com.

Plant Sale

- May 12th is our annual plant sale (Go green! Send in a reusable bag with your child to help get the plants home!)

Second Annual Color Run

- It's time for our *Second Annual Color Run* being held on Saturday, May 20th (rain date 5/21)! Join us in coloring our community this Spring at our 5k Run / Walk event being held outdoors at DTS. This is a free event hosted by PiE. If you would like to be part of our Color Run committee, please email us as we are looking for assistance!
- To register or volunteer follow the link
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084EAF92AA3F85-dtspies>

Paint Night Sign Ups

- PiE is bringing back the Paint Party events from last Spring at the school. We have two dates set based on grade levels. If you are able to volunteer for the event, please email dtspie@gmail.com.
- Grades 5 to 8 - May 23rd 6:30 - 8pm
<https://paintpartyfarm.com/events/600-800pm-delaware-township-school-grades-5-8-paint-night/>
- Grades PK to 4th - May 31st 6 - 7:30 Feel free to stay with your young one, we would appreciate your support!
<https://paintpartyfarm.com/events/600-800pm-delaware-township-school-grades-pk-4-paint-night/>

Slate of PiE Board Nominations

- Thank you to the Nomination Committee for their hard work.
- The Slate of Board Nominations will be presented and voted on at the May 8th meeting. The slate is as follows:
 - President - Julie Luster-Roell
 - VP Middle School Programming - Danielle Hartdorn
 - VP Elementary School Programming - Debra Lubitz
 - VP Fundraising - Dawn MacDonald
 - Treasurer - Cindy Russo
 - Corresponding Secretary - Jenna Haxton
 - Recording Secretary - Olena Brophy

Penny Wars

- We will have another Penny War declared the week of May 23rd. Break open the piggy banks, clean out the car seats, and search in the cushions. Your spare change will help someone greatly and the winning classrooms will get an ice cream party. More details to come!

Parents Night Out

- Celebrate the end of the school year with a Pie Parents Night Out on Wednesday, June 7th at 7 p.m. at the Sergeantsville Inn. PiE will provide light snacks and a cash bar will be open for individual drinks. Come get to know other members of PiE and those in your community! Please RSVP to dtspie@gmail.com by May 31st so we have a sense of numbers for food.

Recap of Recent Activities

- Book Bingo - PiE hosted its second book bingo on Friday, March 31st at the school. It was a fun-filled night of bingo with the middle school Student Council selling snacks. Leftover donated books were given to the Hunterdon County Library for its annual sale. Look for Book Bingo nights next year.
- Earth Day Fair - PiE joined the School's Earth Day Fair on April 20th. Special thanks to Liz Hermoso, Jes Stahl, Sarah Waverka, Dawn MacDonald, Deb Lubitz, and Erin Buchanan for helping on PiE's behalf.

Volunteer

- Want to volunteer some of your time for PiE events? [Fill out the Google Form](#) & be notified of any upcoming PiE events in need of volunteers.
- There are also some PiE committees in need of a chairperson. For more information or questions contact Debbie Lubitz at dlubitz319@gmail.com.

More detailed information on ALL of our events can be found on our **NEW** website at www.dtspie.com, email us at dtspie@gmail.com and Like us on Facebook