

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

We	Nov	5	Skate World
Sa	Nov	8	Parent U at ROMS
Nov	9 –	15	Renee's Pizza Week
Mo	Nov	10	PTA Meeting 7 p.m.
Tu	Nov	11	Bagel Sale
Fr	Nov	14	America Recycles Day

#### NEXT PTA MEETING NOVEMBER 10TH

Make it a habit to attend our school's PTA meetings in 2014/2015! They are a great way to meet other parents, interact with staff and find out information about the school. Meetings are held in the media center and *last only one hour (7-8 pm)*. Free child care is provided in the gym. The meetings are attended by our School Board Liaison, Gary Briggs, so it is a good opportunity to find out what is happening in the district and to ask questions about Royal Oak Schools.

#### PARENT U

Our Royal Oak Council PTA Parenting Fair will feature keynote speaker, Dr. Bernie Les, who will present "Disciplined Parenting and



Confident Children." Lunch and childcare are provided for all participants.

Our speakers & vendors will provide valuable resources for parents, families, and caregivers. Mark your calendars for **Saturday**, **November 8**, **2014**; for more information, go to <u>www.parenturo.com</u>.

# SKATE WORLD NIGHT

Join us on at Skate World of Troy on Wednesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, from 6:15-8:15 pm. 2825 E. Maple, Troy (248) 689-4100



Cost: \$5.00 per skater (pay at door)

Skate rental not included

Proceeds will be part of a series of events to raise money for new playground equipment. Questions? Call Dennis or Carolyn, 248-399-5949 or email: dennis.kraniak@foxtv.com.

### **BAGEL SALE**

Our Fourth Graders will have bagel sales to raise money for their trip to Lansing, along with making a



donation to Gleaners, the Student Senate, and our school field trip fund. Bagels are \$1 each. Next Bagel Sale is on Tuesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>.

#### RENEE'S PIZZA RESTAURANT WEEK

During the week of November 9 - 15, 10% of your total purchase will be donated to our PTA.

Bring the flyer located in the eFolder when you dine

at Renee's Gourmet Pizzeria, 1937 w. Maple Road, Troy. Renee's is located in Cambridge Crossing at Maple Rd. & Maplelawn 248/280-7800. www.reneesgourmetpiz zeria.com



## TURKEY TROT TEAM

Please join us to walk, jog, run or some combination of both. We meet at the McDonald's on 13 & Rochester, Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. From there, we take Rochester to



14 Mile to Campbell and back up 13 Mile - it's a perfect 5k.

Our goal is to inspire each other to exercise as these days get cooler. The final event is the Turkey Trot in Detroit on Thanksgiving before the parade. Whether or not you do the Turkey Trot, the training together is great.

All are welcome! Contact Monique Burns at <u>thedproperties@gmail.com</u> if you have any questions.

#### OAKLAND MALL "WILL YOUR SCHOOL RULE?" CONTEST

Oak Ridge was selected for the Oakland Mall "Will Your School Rule?" contest. We could win up to \$5000 for the school. All you have to do is shop at Oakland Mall October 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015.

•Take your original receipts to the Information Center on the lower level to redeem for points for Oak Ridge

• Schools are awarded one point for every eligible dollar spent at all Oakland stores and restaurants

• Schools with the most points win cash for their school at the end of the contest

Get more info here !

#### LUNCH RECYCLERS NEEDED

The Green Team Committee is looking for volunteers for various events throughout the year. Additionally, we are in need of volunteers for <u>lunchroom</u> <u>recyclers from 11:30 to 1:00 Monday through</u>

**<u>Friday.</u>** Any volunteer who has any time to donate (including substitutions) is welcome and appreciated. Interested volunteers can contact Joanna Chapman at joannadressler@gmail.com or Johanna Kononen at jkononen@gmail.com.

#### AMERICA RECYCLES DAY CONTEST

America Recycles Day is November 15<sup>th</sup> and Oak Ridge will be celebrating on **Friday, November 14<sup>th</sup>** 



All students and staff should wear **green** to school and pack no-waste lunches if possible!

Also, The Green Team will be holding a contest for the most creative recycled craft. Crafts should use any items that would normally be thrown away or recycled and can include tape and/or glue. Prizes will be awarded for grades K/1, 2/3 and 4/5. Be sure to include your name and teacher on your craft. Crafts can be dropped off in a box by where plastic bags are collected to be recycled. Winners will be announced in the PTA newsletter released on 11/21.

#### **CRAFTERS NEEDED**



Crafters are needed for our annual Holiday Shop on December 11&12 from 3:45-6 pm. Tables will be \$15 each. Items sold should be \$15 or less.

Contracts & more details will be provided if interested. Please contact Angela Almas <u>Angelat104@aol.com</u> or 248-219-2938

#### HAPPENINGS AT ROMS AND ROHS

Royal Oak High School Annual Arts and Crafts Marketplace November 22<sup>nd</sup> 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. <u>http://www.rohscraft.com/</u>

Parent Café December 4<sup>th</sup> at the Royal Oak Middle School 6 p.m. <u>http://www.roms-pta.com/calendar.html</u>

#### **NOONWALKERS**

As of October 29<sup>th</sup>, Total Miles Walked: 815.25 Top 3 classes for mileage: 1st place: Ms.Mann's class – 100.75 miles 2nd place: Ms. Stafford 's class –95.5 miles 3rd place: Ms. Kazdan's class - 90.75 miles

Congratulations to those who completed 5 and 10 mile cards this week (listed in alphabetical order)

Thanks to Mrs. Kazdan and Mrs. Fletcher and for walking this Week.

Ms. Letkiewicz's	Class
Priya B. (5)	

Mrs. Kosnik's Class Keagan H. (10)

Mr. Stafford's Class

Katrina M. (10)

Raquel K. (10)

Tamia C. (10)

<u>Ms. Mann's Class</u> Alexandria D. (5) Preston H. (10) Sarah F. (5)

<u>Mrs. Rybicki's Class</u> Isabella S. (5)

Mrs. Coats's Class Triston H. (5)

<u>Ms. Fischer's Class</u> Gavin E. (10) Sarah Y. (5) Mrs. Fletcher's class Fredrick S. (5)

Mrs. Kazdan's Class Kaitlyn B. (10)

Mrs. Edginton's class: Ethan S. (10)



Please check the lost and found bins in the hallway outside of the lunchroom for any items your child may be missing. Pictures of the items will be posted every Tuesday on the Oak Ridge PTA Facebook page.



#### START A GIRL SCOUT TROOP TODAY!

Looking for Volunteers and Girls for this fun adventure. Contact Amelia Duran at <u>aduran@gssem.org</u> for more



information. See the flyer in this week's eFolder.

#### **RELAY FOR LIFE**

The Royal Oak Relay for Life isn't until Saturday,



June 13, 2015, but we are getting our team geared up to start fundraising! Please contact Kristin Scripter at kscripter73@gmail.com to be a part of the Oak Ridge Team. Check out our team's page at

Click here to view the TEAM page for Oak Ridge Elementary

