

PTA Newsletter

DECEMBER 2009

The Second PTA meeting of the year was held on Monday November 2, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. at WHS.

Jan Brooks from the North East Community Center discussed the afterschool program and the wonderful activities that they have to offer. There are still open spaces, for more information please contact the North East Community Center at (518) 789- 4259

School Nurse Mrs. Unger presented some good information with regards to H1N1 and the Seasonal Flu:

Always remember to practice good hand hygiene, cover your mouth and nose, and stay home if you are sick.

For more information visit



www.flu.gov

Vice President News

WES

Grandparent's Luncheon was a great success. A big THANK YOU goes out to the parent volunteers - Tricia D'Alessandro, Patti Hayes, Herb Johnson, Dawn Marie Klingner, Mig MacDonald, Helen Warren, Carrie Whitehead and Renee Whitehead. and Patti Hayes for making the festive name tags.

The beautiful flowers from Country Gardeners were an extra special touch - thanks Stone!



If you are interested in helping with future events please feel free to contact Kristen Lazarus at 518-789-9405.

Reminder: Send in your Box Tops and Campbell Soup Labels with your child.

EBIS

Thank you to Sue Lopane for the Holiday Shop shopping; and to Herb Johnson and Trini Stevens for the set up and manning of the Holiday Shop.

The Special Person Luncheon that was for Thanksgiving was well attended with approx. 105 people who visited with their students and enjoyed some light fare along with a small craft project in the classroom.

Winter Social held on Dec. 4th put on by the 4-6 grades on was fun by all.

Thank you to all that baked a cake for the cake walk.

Fundraiser has arrived; Thank you to Ella Stevens for tackling this monumental project, and that you students and parents for all of your hard work selling.



The classrooms are in need of tissues. If you could, please send your child in with a box of tissues, it would be greatly appreciated.

Get connected.....

Sign up and receive information from the Key Communicator. A great way to receive *up to the minute* school district information via email.

Contact Tracy Trotter at ttrotter@webutuckschools.org

The next PTA meeting is Monday, January 11th, 6 PM at WES.

**Agenda Topic: "Safety in our Schools"
Discussion on keeping our children safe.**

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HOW DO YOU JOIN???

It's easy to become a member:

1. Complete the Membership Form
2. Return Form and Dues to any PTA Officer or send in with your child
3. You're a member, Welcome.

Did you know that the PTA funded the Rain Forest Wild Life Assembly for K-3; and

The PTA is supporting the /Rachel's Challenge/ program for our 7th - 12th grades with a \$1000 donation for the school and community presentations that will be held on March 18, 2010. Rachel Scott was the first victim in the Columbine High School shootings and *Rachel's Challenge* encourages and inspires students to act with compassion and kindness - changing the world, one act of kindness at a time. For more information - www.rachelschallenge.org.

2009-2010 Officers

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 WES VP Kristen Lazarus
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 and
Parent volunteer YOU... Join today

Webutuck PTA Membership 2009-2010

Membership DUES \$5.00 (please make checks payable to Webutuck PTA)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Student name(s) and grade(s) _____

_____ I am available during the school day, if given notice

_____ I am willing to donate/bake for events

_____ I am willing to help with fundraising and/or planning that can be done from my home

Your Suggestions: _____

Membership paid _____ date _____

Card# _____ date _____

**Send this in to school with your child or give to any PTA Officer