



Newsletter Highlights

- Spirit Wear
- Spring Fair
- Spirit Nights at Ledo Pizza

Upcoming Events

- Sparks Spirit Night at Ledo's Pizza**
Mon. & Tues., March 26 & 27
- Grandparents/Special Friends Day**
Thurs., March 29 – Fri. March 30
- Half-Day: School closes at 12:15**
Thrus., April 5
- Spring Break- No school**
Fri., April 6 – Sun., April 15
- School Resumes**
Mon., April 16

Spirit Wear

Spirit wear will be available to purchase/order at Grandparents Day and at the Spring Fair. We are still taking orders for all items except the fleeces and the flannel pajama pants. These items will not be available again until next fall. We have added a couple of new short sleeve t-shirts to our inventory in anticipation of the warmer weather. The mesh lacrosse shorts will also be available. Please note that the Spring Fair will be the last opportunity to order spiritwear before the end of the school year. Thank You,
The Spirit Wear Committee

Grandparents Day

Grandparents/Special Friends' Day is quickly approaching (March 29th & 30th). Invitations have been sent to the addresses on your request form. If there are others that wish to attend, they may register the day they come, or you may send an email with their name and address.

The committee is still looking for more volunteers to help with registration and parking. If you can spare an hour either morning, it would be greatly appreciated. Also, we are looking for families to send in pictures of their child(ren) with grandparent(s) /special friend(s) that we can use as a display. This is a great way to include the special people in our lives even if they are unable to attend. Please send in photocopies, or originals, black & white, or color pictures. Please be aware that the pictures may not be returned. For information and volunteers regarding this wonderful event, you can contact: Paula Kovinsky
choc.chipcookie@comcast.net
410-357-0249
Best regards,
Grandparent Day Committee

PTA Positions Open

There are several Sparks PTA Executive Offices available for the 2007-2008 school year and we need your help in identifying the right candidates. Nomination forms have been sent home with all students listing the open positions and detailing the responsibilities of the executive board officers. If you are interested in helping out next or know someone that would be a good fit for an open position, please send in a nomination form ASAP. The Nominating Committee has been formed and will be working diligently over the next several weeks to identify the best candidates for these leadership positions. The open positions include:
PTA President
1st Vice President – Family Events
2nd Vice President – Volunteers
Recording Secretary

Land Preservation

Baltimore County Land Preservation Benefit – March 31st
Join 250 of your neighbors at the Manor Tavern on March 31st, 2007 for the 1st annual Land Preservation Benefit. This fun-filled evening is for a great cause: preserving the countryside and rural neighborhoods of northern Baltimore County from the threat of over-development. Proceeds benefit the Manor Conservancy, Gunpowder Conservancy, Long Green Conservancies and Land Preservation Trust. Changes in the law guaranteed through 2007 create incentives for land owners to sell/donate their land as preserved easements, while still maintaining sole ownership of the property. For tickets to this event, please call 410-357-0512 or purchase online at ncp@northcountypreservation.org. There is a limit of 250 guests. You can make a difference in the future of Baltimore County!

Library Gift Fund

Spark's Library Gift Fund Committee would like to thank the families of the children listed below for making a contribution to the fund. A number of books have been purchased for the benefit of Sparks Elementary Library honoring:

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If you have any questions, contact Jackie Logan: loganjj1@comcast.net.

Snack Bar Chairperson Needed!



If you would like to see a snack bar open during rec. sports games here at Sparks, we have a position for you. The plans have been drawn and the electricity explored; now we need a chairperson to follow up with construction. The budget for this project will go away if we don't find someone soon. If interested, please call:

Robbie Stout: 410-472-0867

Thanks for your cooperation and support!



Sparks Spirit Nights At Ledo Pizza



Mon., March 26 & Tues., March 27
5:00 pm – 9:00 pm ~ Dine-In or Carry-Out
The PTA will receive 20% of all orders!

Please Join Us!

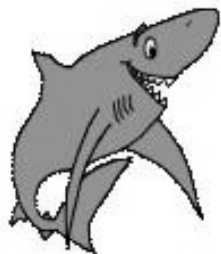
Volunteers Needed!

Four shifts available:

Mon. or Tues., 5-7pm or 7-9pm

Please contact Robbie Stout to volunteer.

410-472-0867



Sparks Spring Fair Saturday, April 21st 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Rain or shine

*****LOTS OF NEW GAMES, CRAFTS, APPEARANCES & FOOD!!!*****

Many volunteers are needed to make this event a success! Middle and High School students can volunteer for their community service hours! If you would like to donate to the Silent Auction please call Laurie Hudgins; (410) 771-4789 home or (410) 598-4264 cell. Thanks for your generosity!

Name(s): _____

Contact Number(s): _____

Email: _____

Donation for Silent Auction: _____

Select time(s) you are available:

Food: 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. _____ 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. _____ 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. _____

Games: 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. _____ 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. _____ 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. _____

Crafts: 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. _____ 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. _____ 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. _____

Prizes: 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. _____ 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. _____ 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. _____