#### Farmington River Elementary School

# **PTA News**



#### WELCOME BACK!

Students were greeted with thoughtful and encouraging chalk drawings and messages on the school walkway from the PTA. The staff was welcomed back with personalized "survival kits" of hand sanitizer, water enhancer and a chocolate bar, thoughtfully prepared by Megan Smigel, as well as coffee, creamer, chocolates, popcorn and inspirational notes in the staff lounge. The PTA also provided all students learning at school and remotely, with a mask, lanyard, name tag and a small laundering bag. Although this year will not be a typical year, we are all excited to be back!

#### WAYS TO HELP

◆ **Become a Member:** A \$5 fee supports us and the National PTA and no time commitment is required. Contact us at pta@frrsd.org

◆ **Collect Box Tops:** If your package has a traditional Box Tops clip, cut it off and send it to the school, making sure it has a valid expiration date. If your package has a new SCAN label, there's no need to clip: just use the NEW Box Tops app to scan your store receipt within 14 days of purchase.

◆ Purchase through Amazon Smile: Visit <u>smile.amazon.com</u> and log into your Amazon account. Select Farmington River Elementary School as your charitable organization and Amazon will then donate .5% of the price of your eligible purchases to us!

◆ **Register Your Price Chopper Card:** Earn points to help our school get supplies, musical instruments and equipment. Visit <u>www.pricechopper.com</u> and use school code 14062.

★ Register Your Stop & Shop Card: Log onto the A+ School Rewards site at <u>www.stopandshop.com/school-</u> <u>rewards</u> to submit your card number. Our code is o5619.

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# UPCOMING EVENTS

Parent Teacher Conferences Staff Dinner ½ day on October 23

**PTA Meeting via Zoom** Thursday, November 5 at 6 pm

> **Book Fair Begins** November 6

## PTA Meeting via Zoom

Thursday, December 3 at 6 pm

"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest."

– Benjamin Franklin

