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- Donated funds for Author's visit
- Published the student phonebook
- Held fundraising events raising over \$10,000 to support our annual budget
- Created new PFG website
- Funded curriculum enrichment programs such as the Museum of Science's Cryogenics: States of Matter program, Creative Connections Projects, and New England Reptile program, Turtle Program for Kindergarten
- Sponsored presentations for parents on topics such Knowing Your Child's Learning Style and A Family Organization Plan
- Sponsored Community Nights at the Ioka, Action Kids Athletics and the Manchester Monarchs
- Promoted and raised over \$1200 in Box Tops to purchase two pottery wheels for the art program
- Worked with faculty and students to have annual art raffle
- Provided the Teacher Appreciation Luncheons in August and June

2007-2008

Parent Faculty Group Officers

President:.....Crystal Buswell

Vice President:Mandi Elmore

Secretary:.....Scott Dennehy

Treasurer:.....Heather Clark

Parent-At-Large:.....Lisa Bradsher

Coordinators:

Volunteer:Holley Lenihan & Jennifer Najjar

Publicity:.....Pamela Carr

Fundraising:Kim Bleakley & Paula Cilia

Box Top Coordinator:.....Carol LaPlante

Visit our website: <http://swaseypfg.pbwiki.com/>

Parent Faculty
Group



Swasey Central School
2008-2009

Working Together To Make a Difference

The Parent Faculty Group meets the third
Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm.

For more information visit our website:

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LOOKING AHEAD TO 2008-2009

Who Is The Parent Faculty Group?

We are parents, guardians and teachers of the students of Swasey Central School. Membership is \$5.00 per family and open to everyone who is interested in being involved. Your membership will include a yellow memo pad for easy communication with the school, a pencil and investment into the activities sponsored by the Parent Faculty Group.

Our mission is to enhance the welfare and education of children at Swasey Central School. We promote active parent involvement in volunteer programs and fundraisers, as well as school and PFG sponsored activities. We assist administration in obtaining necessary educational and recreational equipment and materials.

The PFG recruits and organizes volunteers who collectively work thousands of hours to benefit Swasey School and its students. Volunteers help with classroom support; special projects, fieldtrips and media support to name a few.

The PFG is looking forward to another great school year. We are looking forward to increasing participation, trying new ideas for community participation, new fundraisers, while enhancing the education of our children.

We will again help to sponsor a visit to the library from a children's author, and the Artist in Residence program will continue, this year with a musician supporting the music program. We are also planning to fulfill the need of outside storage for playground equipment.

Our volunteer program, which has earned the Blue Ribbon Award for many years, will remain one of our main focuses.

We will hold our annual fall fundraiser in addition each child will create a work of art that can be printed on greeting cards, notepads and other items.

The PFG will again be sponsoring Parent Presentations/Programs on various curriculum and student development topics.

We have much to decide on and activities to plan, so please join us with your ideas, time and/or suggestions for supporting our children's educational and cultural learning opportunities.

Working together, we can make a difference.



2008—2009 Proposed Calendar

August
Swasey Staff Welcome Back Luncheon

September
PFG Welcome Back Meeting
Fall Fundraiser begins
Volunteer Orientations
Phonebook published

October
Family Game Night
Parent Presentation - (TBA)

November
Distribution of fundraiser

December
Brentwood Community Night

January/February
Parent Presentation - (TBA)
Annual Budget Meeting
Brentwood Community Night

March/April
Parent Presentation -(TBA)
Children's Author visit

May/June
Teacher Appreciation Luncheon

Monthly meeting third Tuesday of each month