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LITTLE CEDARS ELEMENTARY PTA

February 2019

PTA Unit 7.6.32

## Upcoming Events

### February

15-18 No School  
Mid-Winter Break

### March

1 Dad/Daughter Dance  
8 Talent Show  
13 Science Fair  
27 Half Day  
28-29 No School Conferences

### April

Autism Awareness Month  
1-5 Spring Break

### Membership Meetings

Apr 11 May 29  
7pm in the Library  
Free childcare provided

## Volunteer of the Month

The February Volunteer of the Month award goes to Raul Reyesibarra! Raul has a first grader and second grader at Little Cedars. He can be found around school most mornings volunteering in his son's classrooms, selling ice cream during lunch recess, and helping in other classrooms when they need volunteers. He loves volunteering and feels it's important to be involved and be a role model for all the children. Thank you Raul for giving so much of your time to our Little Cedars school!

### WatchDOGS Dad/Daughter Dance

The annual WatchDOGS Father Daughter dance is Friday (March 1, 6:30 to 8:30) in the LCE gym. Come join us for a **Throwback to the 1950's**. Enjoy dancing, snacks, music, and a picture to remember the night. Suggested Donation: \$5-\$10  
Invite your Dad, Grandpa, Uncle, Caregiver or any other special person.

## PTA Board 2018-19

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## PTA Board POSITIONS OPEN FOR 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

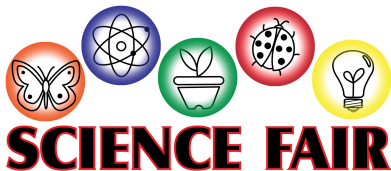
ALL PTA board positions are open for next year! This is a great way to make a difference in our Little Cedars Community! If you are interested in joining the board next year or learning more about the position, please contact anyone from the current board. We will be voting on a new board at our April General Membership Meeting (Tuesday, April 21st). As a reminder, in order to have a PTA, we MUST have a President, VP, and Treasurer. Without these positions filled, we will CAN NOT have a PTA at Little Cedars next year.

## Cultural Night

**Will be rescheduled!**  
**Look for an update on our webpage**



Please come enjoy an evening of celebrating different cultures through displays, music, food and dance. Bring your family and friends! We look forward to seeing you there.

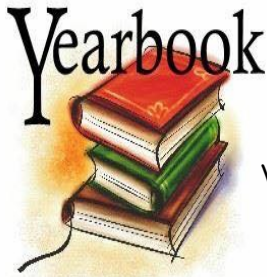


The LCE PTA is pleased to invite you to participate in the annual Science Fair on **March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 6:30 pm**

Students will have a choice to enter their projects in either a competitive or non-competitive category.

Register your project by **February 27, 2019**

More information and registration on our webpage:  
[http://littlecedarspta.org/Page/Events%20\\_%20Programs/Science\\_Fair](http://littlecedarspta.org/Page/Events%20_%20Programs/Science_Fair)



Yearbooks will be available for purchase until **March 22nd**. For more information, please visit the PTA website:  
<http://littlecedarspta.org/Page/Yearbook/Main>

We need your help to make our yearbook great! As you take pictures of: class parties, outside sports or clubs your kids are involved in (action shots only), and Grizzly Cubs. Please share them with the Yearbook Committee for possible inclusion in the yearbook. All photos need to be submitted by **February 15, 2019**.  
 Simply email pictures to: [littlecedarsyearbook@gmail.com](mailto:littlecedarsyearbook@gmail.com)

**Do your kids love getting the yearbook each year?**

To keep this fun tradition, we need someone who loves to take photos, design page layouts and see happy kids, to take over at the end of this school year. If you are interested, please contact Emily Walker ([president@littlecedarspta.org](mailto:president@littlecedarspta.org)) or the current Yearbook Chair Jenn Barker at [littlecedarsyearbook@gmail.com](mailto:littlecedarsyearbook@gmail.com)



**March 8, 2019  
6:30 pm**

The Talent Show is on!  
 Visit our webpage for rehearsal schedules and sign up e-forms  
[http://littlecedarspta.org/Page/Events%20\\_%20Programs/Talent\\_Show](http://littlecedarspta.org/Page/Events%20_%20Programs/Talent_Show)

Important Dates:

Preview Days March 4 & 5 (2:50-4pm)  
 Rehearsals March 6 & 7 (2:50-4pm)  
 School Assembly Presentation March 7 & 8

Contact Lauren Waltzing and Tia Luckey at [events@littlecedarspta.org](mailto:events@littlecedarspta.org) with any questions

Look for registration information to come home with your student

**Fundraising Update**

This April will be our big spring fundraiser, a Fun Run! Mark your calendars for the big run on April 18. We will be collecting pledges **April 8-18, 2019**.

Please clip and save your Box Tops for Education & Tyson Project A+ coupons! Send them to school with your child and we will redeem them for cash to be used for educational items, programs, and events sponsored by the LCE PTA.

**Get the Latest Information!**

- Check out our Website **[www.littlecedarspta.org](http://www.littlecedarspta.org)**
- Like our "Little Cedars PTA" page on **Facebook** Once you follow us, click on "Following" and set it to 'See First' and never miss an update
- Follow us on **Twitter & Instagram!** @littlecedarspta
- Subscribe to the **Wolverine Weekly** (email newsletter) Subscribe on our website or send an email to [communications@littlecedarspta.org](mailto:communications@littlecedarspta.org)
- **Opt in for text messages** - Text "follow LittleCedarsPTA" to 40404. It's that easy and you can opt out at any time.

**Volunteers Needed for Spring Committees!**

We have more amazing events planned for 2019! Would you like to be involved with these events?

**Spring Silent Auction:** May 17, 2019 The silent auction is coming up and we would like it to be better than ever. The committee needs help organizing this event and getting donations for gift baskets and/or services. Contact [fundraising@littlecedarspta.org](mailto:fundraising@littlecedarspta.org) if interested

**Spring Carnival:** May 17, 2019 The Spring Carnival is always a fun event! We will need several committee members to make this event successful. If you are interested in helping or have any ideas for this year's carnival, please contact [events@littlecedarspta.org](mailto:events@littlecedarspta.org).

Note: All events are subject to cancellation if we do not have enough volunteers.