



Dear Parents,

Welcome to the 2010-2011 school year at Winnie-the-Pooh Preschool! Our school is a wonderful place to become involved in our children's education while becoming friends with one another and the community through our fun and essential committee work. We are very excited about our upcoming fundraising endeavors.

Every parent is obligated to raise \$50 per child through fundraising. In order to help parents meet this obligation, we will be offering a number of catalog fundraisers throughout the year. Below is a detailed list of some of these fundraisers:

- **Attraction Guide (Aug./Sept.)** An Entertainment Book just for Loudoun County. Containing coupons to many favorite restaurants and entertainment centers, you'll easily save money with the Attraction Guide.
- **Fun Pasta (Oct.)** A healthy choice of naturally colored pastas in as many shapes as you can imagine. From sports to ballet to holidays to college teams, you can't help but find the perfect entrée for that special celebration or a little Christmas extra for someone.
- **Yankee Candle (Nov.)** America's best loved candle with many great smelling scents. Your house will smell wonderful.
- **Lets Go Green (Jan.)** Products which are environmentally friendly, competitively priced, and selected specifically for use in every room of the house. They sell reusable shopping totes, water bottles, cleaning supplies, kids products as well s many other wonderful products.
- **KidzArt (Feb.)** Create unique gifts using your child's artwork – perfect for Mother's & Father's Day! From ornaments to tote bags to T-shirts, you are sure to find something that will make a perfect gift. Think of how proud your child will be when they see their artwork on one of these products!
- **Little Caesars Pizza (Mar.)** Little Caesars Pizza has been proudly serving delicious products for over 50 years and use only the finest ingredients. They have many different pizzas to choose from.

If you are not able to participate in the monthly fundraisers listed above, than you can write a check for your \$50 obligation. Note that this payment should be sent along with the fundraising obligation coupon in the WTPP coupon book to WTPP's PO Box address.

We also offer a number of additional ways that WTPP parents and their friends and families can help raise funds for our school. While these fundraisers do not count towards parents' fundraising obligations, you'll find these activities are easy and fun ways to raise additional (and sometimes free!) money. Please look for emails and web postings for more details about these programs.

- **Grocery Club Cards for Education (all year)** By registering your Safeway and/or Harris Teeter grocery club cards in these stores' education fundraising programs, you can help earn extra money for the school while doing your regular grocery shopping. You can either have the fundraising committee register your cards by filling out the attached form or you can register them yourself online.
- **Amazon.com (all year)** Shop at Amazon.com and raise money for WTPP. Simply access Amazon.com through the special link on the WTPP fundraising web page and raise between 4% and 10% of your purchases for the school.

- **Tyson's Project A+ (all school year)** For each Project A+ label that you clip from specially-marked boxes of Tyson's products, you will be raising \$0.24 for WTPP. Collected labels can be placed in the collection box located in the WTPP office.

- **Winnie's Nights (all school year)** Winnie's Nights are a way to enjoy a night out at some of the area businesses while earning some extra money for our school. Local restaurants and stores have agreed to give us a percentage of sales generated by our supporters who visit their establishment on a specified night. Make sure to invite your friends and family so that we can make the most of these donations! More info on these nights will be placed in the student mail folders and posted on the web. The Winnie's Nights scheduled to date are:
 - Chuck E. Cheese (Dulles Town Center): Thurs., September 23th, 3-9pm
 - Uno Chicago Grill (Dulles Town Center): TBD
 - 5 Below (Sterling): TBD
 - Moe's Grill (Potomac Station Plaza): TBD
 - Potter's Wheel (South Riding): TBD
 - Chuck E. Cheese (Dulles Town Center): TBD
 - Glory Days Grill (Any location): All School Year

- **WTPP T-Shirt/Sweatshirts/Bags for Sale (membership mtgs & all school year)** Show your school spirit by purchasing a WTPP T-shirt, sweatshirt, or tote bag. The children love to wear their shirts during special events and the bags are handy for toting those extra items that you always seem to need when traveling with kids! Sales are coordinated by the Membership Committee.

We would love to hear any and all potential fundraising projects that we could participate in, so feel free to contact either of us by phone or email. Cecil Laxa can be reached at 571.245.9644 or cdlaxa@yahoo.com and Peggy Wright can be reached at 703.724.4369 or pwright88@verizon.net.

Thank you in advance for your hard work and support of our wonderful school!

Sincerely,
 Cecil and Peggy
 Co-Chairs, Fundraising Committee