

PTO News & Events

Week of April 29, 2024

In the weekly newsletter, you'll find information about upcoming events sponsored by the PTO and fundraisers for events. You can also find information and signups on our website: <https://popepto.org>

Want to know more or have questions about how to volunteer? Please email our Pope PTO VP of Communications, Janet Banes, at info@PopePTO.org

Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week: May 6-10

Our Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week is quickly approaching on May 6-10, 2024. We're excited to be "In Our Teacher & Staff Appreciation Era" and can't wait to celebrate how awesome they are!

We are in need of donations of items for our School Supply Bar, Raffle, and drinks for Friday's lunch to help make this a wonderful week for our Pope team. If you are able, please visit the SignUp Genius link listed below to see how you can contribute.

SignUp Genius for Donated Items:

- Donations of school supplies, raffle items, and drinks are needed. Sponsorships are also available.
- All items should be dropped off at Pope's front office by no later than 3 PM on their designated date.
- Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4EA9AE28AAFD0-49316144-teacher#/>

Additionally, we have a calendar of activities to help our students participate in celebrating our teachers and staff members. Please see the calendar at the end of our newsletter.

Thank you so much for your continued support of Pope's teachers and staff members!

Pope Teacher & Staff Favorites

Want to know what our Pope Teachers and Staff Members really want?? Check out their "Favorites" sheet on the PTO website. Each teacher and staff member has submitted a page with all the details you need to know to brighten their day!

Upcoming Dates

04/30	Pope Spirit Night: D'Lites Houston
05/02	Pope Spirit Night: Marco's Pizza
05/06-05-10	Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week
05/07	2 nd Grade Program
05/08	Pope Spirit Night: Crust Pizza
05/10	Muffins with Mom SRC Demo: 5 th Grade CSI
05/14	Pope VIPS Appreciation
05/17	SRC Demo: 3 rd Grade Amphibians
05/21	Portfolio Night
05/23	SRC Demo: 4 th Grade Reptiles
05/24	PRIDE Store SRC Demo: 2 nd Grade Snakes

Spirit Nights!

We have lots of Spirit Nights still planned for the Spring. Spirit Nights are a great way to support the PTO and our school, and we love seeing our Pope Panthers at each event!

We have the following Spirit Nights coming up:

- D'Lites Houston: April 30
- Marco's Pizza: May 2
- Crust Pizza: May 8

Keep an eye out for flyers with more information!

Muffins with Mom

Our 2nd annual Muffins with Mom breakfast is coming up on Friday, May 10 from 7:30 – 8:15 AM in the Pope Cafeteria.

Registration is required for this event, and wristbands will be required for entry. Registration will be open on the PTO website from April 22 – May 3.

This event is free to attend and only open to Pope students and their moms (no siblings). Thank you to our event sponsor Claire Warren, of the Lester | Warren Team!

Lost and Found

Our Lost & Found Crew works hard to reunite your student with their missing belongings. Please label each item your student brings to school to assist our Lost and Found Crew in this task. Check out the Google Drive link for pictures of the items currently without an owner!

Lost & Found Google Drive link: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/13DC5sZxXBzT9HYw-RVAfBtA6JXyNVmlr?usp=drive_link

See your item in the Lost & Found pictures? Contact our Lost and Found Chair, Kat Neal, at katayount@gmail.com

Volunteering in CFISD & at Pope

When you volunteer at any CFISD campus or Pope, you will want to make sure to sign-in at the Front Desk as a volunteer. This will print "volunteer" on your name tag and automatically log your volunteer hours for you. When you sign in as a "visitor," no volunteer hours are recorded.

- To sign in as a "volunteer," you must have a volunteer account in the CFISD RAPTOR system.
 - If you volunteered last year and had a volunteer name tag: You should already have an account in place. You can check your account by clicking this link to sign in to the Volunteer Portal: [CFISD Raptor Volunteer Portal](#)
 - If you are new to volunteering at Pope: You will need to create an account by following the instructions in the document below called "VIPS Registration, RAPTOR, and Reporting Your Time."
 - If you have any problems logging in or creating an account, please contact CFISD Community Engagement at the phone number listed in the attachment. *Do not call the front desk at Pope - they do not handle this issue.*

Checking your PTO Account & Order Information

Haven't updated your contact information or child's teacher? Not sure if you ordered a yearbook? Visit the PTO webpage and click on the menu button labeled "My Account & PTO Orders," which after you sign in, will bring you to all the information listed for your PTO account, including your student(s) current grade and anything you have ordered through the PTO website. Please make sure your student(s) grade and teacher are updated so that items ordered through the PTO website can be delivered promptly and accurately.



**POPE ELEMENTARY
SPIRIT NIGHT**

**D'LITES HOUSTON
SOFT SERVE ICE CREAM**

26321 NORTHWEST FWY SUITE 400,
CYPRESS, TX 77429
281-304-2313

**TUESDAY, APRIL 30
3:00 - 8:00 PM**

MENTION POPE AT CHECKOUT!



**POPE ELEMENTARY SPIRIT NIGHT
AT MARCO'S PIZZA**

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024

**Your lunch or dinner plans with Marco's will help raise money
for Pope! Marco's gives back 20% of all sales.**

Open for delivery and carryout.

PARTICIPATING LOCATIONS:

**8350 FRY ROAD
832-895-5050
(BRIDGELAND DELIVERY)**

**11403 BARKER CYPRESS RD, STE 600
832-653-3113
(BLACKHORSE DELIVERY)**



Store orders: Call store and mention Pope

**Online orders: Make sure to type "Pope" in the
fundraising box before
checkout**

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& STAFF
appreciation **ERA**



MAY 6 - 10, 2024

**We are so excited to celebrate
Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week at Pope!**

All Teacher & Staff Favorites can be found on
the Pope PTO website at: [HTTPS://POPEPTO.ORG](https://POPEPTO.ORG)

monday

**- MAY 6 -
ARE YOU READY FOR IT?!**

BRING YOUR TEACHER THEIR
FAVORITE SNACK OR TREAT TODAY!

tuesday

**- MAY 7 -
MAKE THE WHOLE SCHOOL SHIMMER!**

SPREAD KINDNESS AND GIVE COMPLIMENTS TO
TEACHERS AND STAFF TODAY!

wednesday

**- MAY 8 -
IT'S ME, HI!**

WRITE A KIND NOTE OR MAKE A DRAWING FOR YOUR
TEACHER USING THE HANDOUT SENT HOME!

thursday

**- MAY 9 -
NEVER GO OUT OF STYLE!**

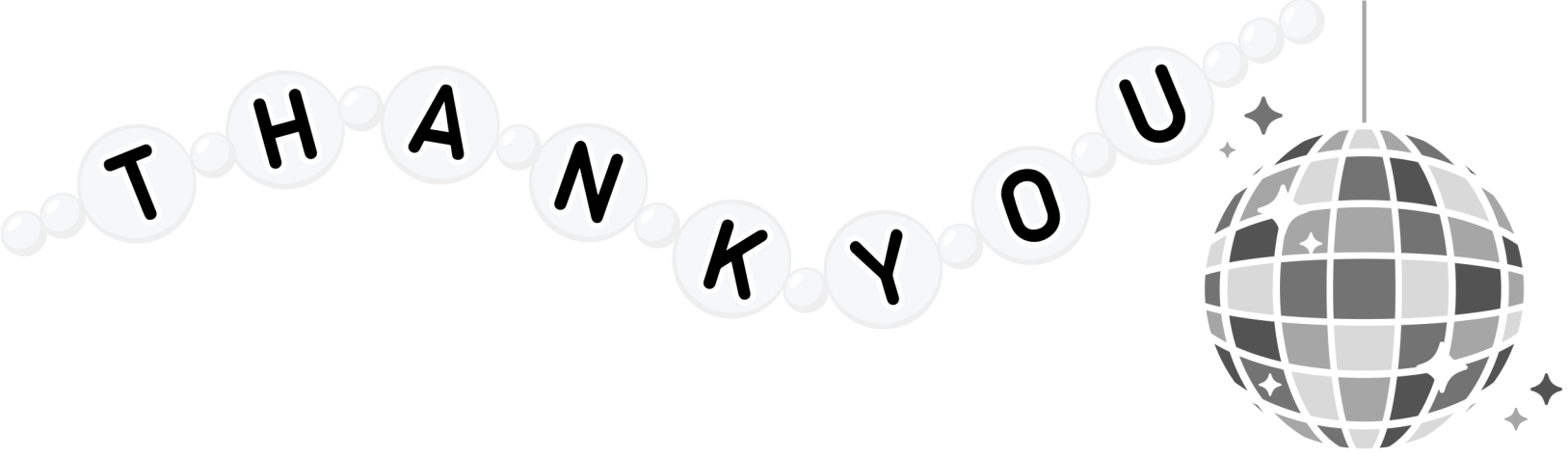
WEAR YOUR TEACHER'S FAVORITE COLOR OR
ANYTHING THAT SPARKLES TODAY!

friday

**- MAY 10 -
LOVE STORY!**

SHOW YOUR TEACHER SOME LOVE WITH A GIFT CARD,
A BOOK, OR A SPECIAL SOMETHING OFF THEIR
FAVORITES LIST

All ideas are just suggestions. Feel free to show appreciation in different ways!



TEACHER & STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK THANK YOU NOTE OR DRAWING

USE THIS PAGE TO WRITE A KIND NOTE
OR MAKE A DRAWING FOR YOUR TEACHER.

REMEMBER TO BRING IT TO SCHOOL WITH YOU
ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

IF YOU WOULD LIKE ADDITIONAL PAGES FOR OTHER TEACHERS OR
STAFF MEMBERS, STUDENTS MAY PICK UP EXTRAS FROM THE
FRONT OFFICE OR A PARENT CAN DOWNLOAD AND PRINT EXTRAS

FROM: [HTTPS://POPEPTO.ORG](https://POPEPTO.ORG)