

# Longfellow PTO

Longfellow Middle School - Summer 2014

Get Involved/Stay Connected/Develop Great Kids

## Why get involved?

Are you concerned about the emotional, educational, and overall well being of your middle school student? Are you sometimes seeking more information about what is happening in our school? Come join us at the monthly PTO meetings to share ideas, ask questions and meet other Longfellow parents and staff.

## Mark your calendar! Join us for the 2014-15 PTO meetings:

September 22, October 27, November 24, January 26, February 23, March 23, April 27, May 18  
6:30 pm in the Longfellow LMC

## Welcome Back!!

The Longfellow PTO would like to welcome all new and returning families to the 2014-15 school year. We hope you had a relaxing summer and are ready for another exciting school year. We invite you to join our team this year as we explore new ways to aid our children through their challenging school years. Our meetings are open to everyone. If you have a child at Longfellow, you are a member of the PTO. There are no membership dues or fees. Everyone is welcome to join us at any of our upcoming meetings that begin in September. All meetings are held in the LMC at Longfellow.

We met a lot of the incoming families at 6th grade orientation in the spring and we started collecting your email addresses for the PTO email list. Our email address is: [lacrosselongfellowpto@gmail.com](mailto:lacrosselongfellowpto@gmail.com). If you missed the sign-up, you can email the above PTO address or contact Michelle Edge directly at [edge5@centurytel.net](mailto:edge5@centurytel.net) and we will add you to the list. This is another way to stay in touch with Longfellow PTO.

We look forward to meeting you at an upcoming meeting. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact one of the PTO officers listed below.

Enjoy these last days of summer and we will see you in the fall!

Michelle Edge, President  
Kari Ellison, Treasurer  
Reyne Larson, Secretary  
Tracy Kayser, District Wide Parent Representative  
Jeff Murphy, District Wide Parent Representative

## **First Day of School**

The first day of school is September 2, 2014.

## **Keep Collecting...**

**REMINDER** - Keep on collecting those Kwik Trip milk caps, Box Tops for Education and Campbell's Soup labels. Turn them in to the collection bin in the rotunda (Longfellow entry way) outside of the LMC.

## **Thank You Volunteers!!**

The Longfellow PTO would like to extend our sincere thank you to the parents, staff and friends who were supportive throughout the 2013-14 school year! Thanks to you we raised \$9,117.51 in the fall through the magazine sale and \$710.00 from collecting milk caps and Box Tops. Because of your generous volunteer and financial support, the PTO was able to fund the following items during the 2013-14 school year:

- Band storage lockers
- Banner for marching band
- Reading chairs
- Testing snacks
- Books
- Document camera
- Physical Education floor hockey equipment
- Rewards program donation for positive behavior
- Music classroom repair cost for an African drum
- "Runnin' for a Reason" all school 5K run/walk donation

Thanks again for your generous support of Longfellow PTO!