

PTO News

PTO Website

Checkout our PTO website (www.hijhpto.wordpress.com) for the 2017-18 PTO calendar, PTO meeting schedule, past meeting minutes, newsletters, and more.

February PTO Meeting

The next PTO meeting will be Friday, February 16 at 9:30 AM at the school. All parents are invited to join us.

PTO Board Members and Committee Chairs Needed

It is time to be thinking forward to the 2018-19 PTO year. If you are interested in becoming a member of the PTO please contact the PTO Board. Check our website for contact information - www.hijhpto.wordpress.com.

Panther Rewards

Thank you Panther families for linking your Kroger cards and Amazon accounts to our school. In doing so, you help to raise a lot of money for the PTO to allocate throughout the school.

Kroger - We currently have 153 families who have linked their Kroger account to our school. Let's make it 200! Linking your card does not cost you anything or take away fuel points. We earn \$1300-\$1400 every three months, which is fantastic! Imagine if all Panther families linked their cards to HIJH?! If you would consider doing so, you simply go to www.kroger.com/communityrewards and create an account or sign in. Find Hamilton Southeastern Intermediate Junior H.S. PTO and link your card to our account.

AmazonSmile - To link your Amazon account, go to www.amazonsmile.com and choose our school (under Hsjh Pto Inc). You will need to go to www.amazonsmile.com on your web browser every time to shop. Thank you!

Box Tops & Tyson Rewards - Keep clipping Box Tops and Tyson Rewards. Our next collection will be on February 21. Each student that brings in 15+ rewards gets a treat at lunch. Put all rewards in a baggie labeled with your student's name, grade and teacher. Contact Lisa Gruber with questions at gruber5@comcast.net.

8th Grade Dance

The 8th grade dance will be on Friday, May 11. If you are interested in helping with the dance, please contact Tabitha Jennings at tabi2203@gmail.com.

Panther Fest

Save the date of **Friday, March 23** for our third annual **Panther Fest**: A night of games, sports, challenging activities, music, food, and fun for HIJH 5th and 6th grade students. From 5:30-8:30 pm our school will be transformed into a carnival, street fair, sports arena, and fun house all rolled into one. Mark your calendars now and save the date. Registration information and volunteer requests will be coming out soon. Contact Tim Baldwin (baldwin.timothy@gmail.com) with any questions.

Culver's Dine to Donate

Our next dine to donate is Monday, February 26 from 5-8 PM at Culver's on Olio Road.

Pacer's Night

Check this out: Our school has partnered with the Indiana Pacers to participate in an exciting FUNdraiser opportunity! Packets went home with your student this week to sell tickets to select Pacers games, win some really neat Pacers prizes, and help raise money for our school! It doesn't matter if you're a student or teacher, everyone can participate and have FUN at a Pacers game!

We will have our very own school night at a Pacers game with a check presentation at center court at halftime! Everyone will be together cheering on our hometown Pacers on Monday, March 5th when they take on the Milwaukee Bucks. On this night, you'll be able to pick up all of your prizes at the game. You could earn prizes such as:

- 2 FREE Tickets to our School Night
- Personalized Pacers T-Shirt with your Name on the back
- Autographed Basketball signed by the entire Pacers team
- All-Star Treatment at a Pacers game including pre-game dinner, lower level tickets, and post-game VIP tour of the Pacers locker room!

And if you can't make it to our school night game, we have 3 alternate game options. They are March 9th, March 25th and April 10!

You have the option to purchase your tickets online. You can even share the offer with family and friends via social media! It will be easier than ever to sell lots of tickets and earn those prizes! Simply go to www.pacersgroups.com/bucks to purchase your tickets!

TEACHERS: If you get 5 or more students to turn in an order form with at least 1 ticket sold, you'll be entered into a drawing to win \$500 from the Pacers to put towards classroom supplies!

A portion of every ticket sold will help raise money for our school. The **DEADLINE TO RETURN ORDER FORMS IS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31st**. You can order online until Wednesday, February 7th. Go Pacers!