

LAUREL MOUNTAIN ELEMENTARY PTA

Family
PRIDE NIGHT

and Auction Fundraiser

Friday, April 8, 2011

5:00-8:30pm

at Laurel Mountain

SHOWCASING OUR SCHOOL PRIDE
for Our Students, Parents and Community

The LME PTA hosts two major fundraisers per year: the Fall carnival and the Spring auction. Our auction this Spring will be a family friendly event - **LME Family Pride Night**. The event will take place at Laurel Mountain on Friday, April 8th from 5:00-8:30pm. We will showcase accomplishments by every child while we raise money through a silent auction, in-kind donations, and Teacher Treasure raffles.

The majority of the funds raised at the Spring fundraiser will go towards a LME grant.

This grant will provide every grade with learning materials, and technology as well as meet the resource needs of P.E., Music and Art so that we may continue to support Laurel Mountain's tradition of excellence (*a complete resource list is available at: www.lmepta.org/index.php/fundraising*).

At Pride Night, LME will be turned into an interactive museum for families to walk through together to experience demonstrations and exhibits including:

Chess Club Challenges • Science Fair Projects • Works of Art
Performance by the LME Choir • Enrichment Showcases
Reflections Displays • IIM Showcase • Preserve Tours
Geography Bee Quiz • And much, much more!

In addition, we will be serving dinner. We have arranged for P. Terry's, a local award-winning restaurant, to provide an affordable dinner (*including a vegetarian option*), so you can truly make this a family night out. At the end of the evening we will have a fun "PRIDE Palooza" dance party for the kids while the adults enjoy socializing and bidding on great items at the silent auction.

There is no cost to attend the event. Dinner is optional.

We hope that you will make every effort to bring the entire family to LME on April 8th and experience LME's "PRIDE" at its finest.

For questions or more information about the LME Pride Night, please contact one of the event co-chairs:

Mindy Booknis - 300-0588 / mindy1@us.ibm.com

Kathy Aylor - 258-0386 / kataylor@austin.rr.com

Go to the PTA Online Store via: www.lmepta.org

and click on the "PTA Online Store" tab at the top or side menu to make your Pride Night purchases.

Fill Our Halls with Paw PRIDE!



Make an in-kind donation to the LME PTA by purchasing a Paw Print for **\$10 each** and get your family name on a paw in the hall.

100% of your paw print purchase, a tax-deductible donation, will go straight to the LME grant that will provide every grade with learning materials, and technology.

(1) Paw will be hung for every \$10 you donate!



For every **(5) Paws** you buy you will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win the use of one of the reserved parking spots for 1-year!



PRIDE NIGHT DINNER TICKETS

Pre-purchase your dinner tickets online today!

The PTA has arranged for dinner service at Pride Night to help make this a complete family night out.

To ensure proper quantities of food are available for the evening, we are asking that families pre-purchase their dinner tickets at the PTA web store and indicate their meal preferences. We are also offering two dinner seating time choices for the event. This will help ensure adequate seating and a more enjoyable dining experience for everyone. *Please indicate your preferences when purchasing your tickets.* Dinner tickets will be sent home in Monday Folders on Monday, April 4th.

Dinner provided by:



2010 Awards

“BEST BURGER” Rare Magazine’s Rarest of Them All
“BEST VEGGIE BURGER” Austin Chronicle Restaurant Poll Award

DINNER TICKET OPTIONS:

\$8 SINGLE BURGER MEAL

or

\$10 DOUBLE PATTY BURGER MEAL

Both meals include: Beef or Veggie Burger, fries, condiments, drink and dessert.

SEATING TIMES: 5:30pm or 6:15pm

**Dinner ends promptly at 7:00pm*

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and click on the “PTA Online Store” tab at the top or side menu to make all of your Pride Night purchases.

TEACHER TREASURE RAFFLES

Don't miss out on the Raffle Ticket Pre-Order Bonus!

The very popular Teacher Treasure Raffles are back! From a Main Event party, magic show, or kickball and sundaes party to being Principal for a Day, you won't want to miss the opportunity for your child to win a spot in one of these special parties or experiences being donated by our LME staff. A complete list is provided below.

TEACHER TREASURE RAFFLE TICKETS: \$5 EACH

***Pre-Purchase Bonus: 2 FREE TICKETS**
for every 10 tickets you purchase!

Go to the PTA Online Store via: www.lmepta.org to pre-purchase your tickets today!

The drawing will be held at Pride Night during the Pride Palooza. If you cannot attend Pride Night your child may still participate in the raffle by dropping their tickets earlier. Each grade level is eligible to win a popsicle recess party as part of our Teacher Treasures grade level competition so be sure to indicate how many tickets should be applied to your child's grade when purchasing online.

Raffle tickets will be sent home in Monday Folders on Monday, April 4th.

Kindergarten - **Magic Show and Pizza Party** (2 winners per class)

1st Grade - **Pizza and Game Party** (2 winners per class)

2nd Grade - **Bowling and Snacks Party at Highland Lanes** (2 winners per class)

3rd Grade - **Games, Crafts and Snacks Party** (2 winners per class)

4th Grade - **Main Event Glow in the Dark Golf and Pizza Party** (1 winner per class)

5th Grade - **Kickball Game and Sundae Party** (3 winners per class)

All Grade Levels - **Trip to a Movie with Mrs. Levitan** (1 winner)

All Grade Levels - **Art Lesson with Ms. Schorn** (1 winner)

All Grade Levels - **Lunch in the Library with Ms. Trudy Marshall** (2 winners)

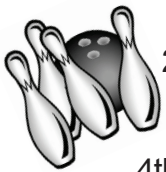
All Grade Levels - **Assistant Principal for the Day** (1 winner)

All Grade Levels - **Principal for the Day** (1 winner)

2nd-5th Grade - **Recorder Lessons with Ms. Joanie Marshall** (5 winners)

2nd-5th Grade - **Rock Band and Popcorn Party Mrs. Trejo** (2 winners)

TAG 1st-5th Grade - **Banana Split Extravaganza** (2 TAG student winners per grade)



WEAR YOUR PRIDE ON PRIDE NIGHT!

Get your "official" Pride Night T-shirt for the big event

This year we are offering a student Pride Night t-shirt featuring the 25th Anniversary School Wide Photo (a great keepsake!)

T-SHIRT PRICE: \$15 PER SHIRT

White t-shirt available in youth sizes through adult medium only.

The t-shirt is available for purchase on the PTA online store. Purchase deadline: **March 22nd.**

A picture of the shirt is available at the PTA Online store.

PRIDE NIGHT AUCTION - Something for Everyone!

The PRIDE Night silent auction will be a great opportunity to browse, bid on and go home with some fabulous bargains thanks to the generous donations made by local businesses. Auction items will include gift certificates for restaurants, spas, summer camps, jewelry, art, home decor and so much more! And the best part is you'll be helping LME meet its fundraising goal while you shop! The auction committee could also use your help preparing for the event:

- Do you or your business have an item you would like to donate for the auction?
 - Do you have a special skill to share to donate as an auction item?
- Are you a customer at a local business that you can contact to request a donation?

If so, please contact Christine Jovanovic at 512-992-1515 / christine.jovanovic@gmail.com OR simply drop off your donation* in the designated drop box in the Parent Room #210 along with the complete donation form below.

Additional sponsorship forms are available at: www.lmepta.org (click on PRIDE Night) or can be picked up in the Parent Room.

**(Please affix a completed item identification slip available in the Parent room to your items to receive proper recognition.)*

SPONSORSHIP AND DONATION FORM

Auction Donation Levels:

FRIEND OF THE PRIDE \$25-\$399:

- Recognition of business name in the Pride Night program distributed to 550+ families

CHAMPION OF THE PRIDE \$400-\$649:

Friend benefits PLUS:

- Logo recognition with phone number in the Pride Night program distributed to 550+ families

KING OF THE PRIDE \$650+:

Champion benefits PLUS:

- Logo recognition and web link on the Laurel Mountain PTA website (www.lmepta.org)

Please let us know how you can help by completing the information below and returning this form to the LME PTA (drop box in Parent Room or mailing address below). All donations are tax deductible in their entirety (Tax ID # 74-2377902).

For inclusion in the auction program, this form must be received by **March 18th**

Business Name (exactly as you would like it recognized): _____

Address: _____ City/Zip: _____

Business Phone (exactly as you would like it recognized): _____ Website: _____

Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____

We would like to make a monetary donation in the amount of \$ _____ to help underwrite the cost of the event.

Please make your check payable to "Laurel Mountain PTA" Check enclosed Check will be mailed separately Check requires pick-up

We would like to make a donation of goods and/or services for the auction event.

Please provide a complete description of donated items for listing in the auction catalog:

Item: _____

Retail Value: \$ _____

Item enclosed Item requires pick-up Item to be delivered LME create gift certificate with Expiration date of: _____

**Note: Please calculate expiration dates for gift certificates based on event date of April 8, 2011.*

We suggest including photos, brochures or displays to help publicize your donation. Publicity Items included Publicity Items need to be returned

Logo (if applicable) will be emailed to awebstertx@gmail.com Hard copy of logo is being provided with donation for scanning

Mailing Address: Laurel Mountain Elementary / Attn: Auction Committee / 10111 DK Ranch Rd. / Austin, TX 78759