

To all Teachers and Staff

We need your help and support this year as Grover School PTO rebuilds their financial standings. PTO has always been very supportive of all staff and the needs of our school/students and wants to continue providing for each. However, this year PTO is in a financial bind and the monies that have been provided in the past are not available this year.

PTO currently has less than \$800 in their account before our new fundraiser. We need your help and understanding as we begin looking at funding field trips and teacher reimbursements. Teacher reimbursements typically run PTO around \$4000 annually. When planning field trips, PTO will only be able to help if funds are raised to cover them and other PTO expenses. We have scheduled our first fundraiser, AutoBell, starting September 7th through September 21st. Teacher reimbursements will come through your participation in Fall Festival this year. Teachers and staff will be asked to man and run their own games. The money raised from the games will be put in a pot and divided equally, maximum \$100, among the certified staff who attended/worked Fall Festival. PTO will be purchasing prizes for the games.

You can help by supporting our fundraiser, finding a parent that can be your PTO representative and come to meetings, and by understanding that this is a rebuilding year financially. If you already have a game in mind for the Fall Festival, please let me know what it is (show us your creativity). Thank you again for all of your help, participation, and understanding.

Carol Ann Saldo
PTO Vice President