

Friends of PCS 2015-2016 Year End Review

Friends of Princeton Charter School is the parent-teacher organization for our great school. As we embark on a new school year, we wanted to provide you with a brief summary of what were able to accomplish last year. Foremost, due to your generous support, we raised over \$180,000. We are grateful to the more than 150 parents who volunteered their time as well as those who contributed to, and attended the 20th Anniversary Celebration Gala. Without your support we could not have accomplished any of the following:

AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER
K-4 and 5-8 Orientation hospitality	Fall Party Boards Raised \$3,000 (125 children +parents participated in fall party board activities)	Back to School Night Hospitality
Staples School Supply Gift Cards – Free and Reduced Lunch Families		Parent/Teacher Conferences Faculty Dinner
Back to School Teacher Luncheon	School Picture Day –Raised \$1,400	Halloween Parade Hospitality
Technology Purchases totaling \$45,000	Fall Picnic – Chairs Wai Far Bazar & Vivian Zhang. Raised \$4,000	
	Art Portfolios	
	Textbook Exchange	

NOVEMBER	DECEMBER/JANUARY	FEBRUARY
Scholastic Fall Book Fair – Chair Gitanjali Bakshi Raised \$5,300 (Scholastic Dollars)	Winter Concert 5/8 Hospitality	Parent Teacher Conferences Faculty Dinner
		6-8 th Grade Dance
		Valentine Day Cookies
		Fun Fridays
		Bagel Breakfast
		Student/Faculty Basketball Game

MARCH	APRIL	MAY
Faculty Appreciation Luncheon – Chair Jessica Craig	SSAT Talk with Amanda Rose	Spring Picnic – Raised \$3,200 Over 300 Attendees
New Parent Dinner	Local Artist Art Exhibit – Amanda Hartstein	8 th Grade Washington DC Trip Subsidized \$5,000

20th Anniversary Celebration Gala

Co-Chairs Heather Babich & Holly Welles
Raised \$151,000
Over 200 Attendees. More than 400 students and parents signed up to participate in over 30 party boards



Field Day – Chair Randy Hubert \$2,700



Kindergarten Ice Cream Social

K-4 Spring Concert Hospitality

Student Art Show – Chair Dipti Jain

Spring Scholastic Book Fair – Chair Gitanjali Bakshi. Raised: \$4,400 (Scholastic Dollars)

JUNE	OTHER FUNDRAISERS	SCHOOL PROGRAMS total <u>\$25,000</u>
2015/2016 Capital & Endowment Contribution Pledge - \$35,000	ONE Princeton - \$30	Art Club
Student Awards	Target - \$300	Golf Club
Board of Trustee Awards	Amazon Smile – \$230	Literary Fondue
Moving Up Ceremony	Box Tops - \$210 - Coordinator Sarah Schmemman	Mathcounts
	McCaffreys - \$1,200 - Coordinator Alison Horsbough	Orchestra/Preparatory Orchestra/Jazz
	Parent donations - \$1,900	
	Employer matching -\$1,625	Science Bowl
Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast		Service Club
8 th Grade Graduation decorations and refreshments		Yearbook
		Chess Club
		Game Club
		Chemistry Club
		Robotics Club

We look forward to next year and hope you will considering volunteering your time.
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