



ELLIOTT RANCH PTO

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PTO President's Message

October/November 2018

Hello ER Families,

We've had a wonderful first term, filled with great events for our students and families! On behalf of our PTO, I want to extend to you a HUGE thank you to all of you! Thank you for all of your support; whether it's volunteering your time, monetary or physical donations, as well as attendance at our PTO events. As we move into the various holidays, we hope that you'll continue to support us with upcoming events, such as **Movie Days**, **ER Eats Out**, and **Breakfast with Santa**.

Last month, we had a great turn out for ER Eats Out at Chipotle Delta Shores that raised over **\$500** for the ER PTO! We hope to see you at the next ER Eats Out at Mountain Mike's Pizza on November 15th. Also, we had a very successful Zbest book sale where we raised nearly **\$4,000!**

I'm excited to announce that we've voted to bring the **Equity & Diversity Council** under the PTO umbrella. This is great news! We have a wonderful team of parents and staff that have worked hard to bring various aspects of diversity to our campus. This is through the Multicultural Festival, multicultural posters, assemblies, and announcements of the cultural holidays. We hope to be a source of information for our students and families. Look for upcoming events such as, Podcasts, Facebook Live Q&A, and resource links to help parents navigate through topics such as "My child has been diagnosed with Autism. Now what?" or "I'm told we need a IEP—what does that mean?".

Last, be sure to mark your calendars for our **3rd Annual Multicultural Festival** on Friday, March 29th. Bring the whole family to celebrate all of the different cultures represented here at Elliott Ranch!

Happy November, Rockets!

Shayla Newman
Elliott Ranch PTO President

APEX Fun Run Success!

The Elliott Ranch PTO and APEX team would like to thank our community for a successful run! Together, our school raised over **\$17,000!**

Each teacher receives 10% of what their class raised to spend in their classroom. Our highest earning teachers were: Mrs. Brashier (\$1,904), Mrs. Roberts (\$1,881), and Mr. Catris

Harvest Dance Fun at ER!

What better way to kick off fall than to celebrate with your friends at ER! We had an outstanding time; full of delicious food, fantastic costumes, and fun trunk or treating! Thank you to our event chairs, volunteers and donations!

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Upcoming Events

- 11/15—ER Eats Out:
Mountain Mike's Pizza
- 11/13-11/16 - Movie Days
- 12/5 - ER Eats Out:
Chuck E Cheese
- 12/14 - Breakfast with Santa

Want to help at the events above?

**Contact the PTO at
PR@elliotttranchpto.com**

Equity & Diversity Council

Cultural Dates for October and November:

- * Filipino American History Month
- * LGBT History Month
- * Indigenous Peoples Month
- * Dia de Los Muertos
- * Diwali (Festival of Lights)

If you are interested in helping, please email

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