UPCOMING EVENTS

May 3-7
Staff Appreciation Week

May 7
Panda Express Spirit Night
Online Ordering Only - Link here

May 11
PTO Meeting 6 pm

May 13
Book Swap

May 17-19
Field Day

May 25
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
Kona Ice 3:15-4:15

May 28
EPI School Supplies Ordering Deadline

Staff Appreciation Week
Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week will be held May 3-7! The PTO has planned something for each day of the week and we encourage you to show appreciation in whatever way you can! Here are some ideas, as well as the link to the Staff Favorites list.

- Fill out form and give to your favorite teacher/staff member
- Wear your teacher's favorite color
- Bring your teacher a flower (real, fake, drawn, or crafted)
- Write and bring your teacher a thank you note
- Give air high-fives to all the staff you see in the hallway
- Make and bring your specials teachers cards

School Supplies Ordering
EPI School Supply kits are available now for purchase! These kits include everything needed except headphones (for all grades except Kindie). Pricing on the kits is lower than store prices, AND you don't have to go to multiple stores to find what you need! Kits are delivered to each child's classroom before school starts. Orders must be in by MAY 28! Click here to order with school ID ROC111.

New PTO Board
We held our board elections in April and are excited to welcome our new PTO Board! These ladies will serve a two year term, beginning next school year.

President: Allison Uselton
Vice President: OPEN
Secretary: Ashley Murrell
Treasurer: OPEN
Fundraising Coordinator: OPEN
Communications Liaisons: Payton Poalillo and Kylie Guthrie

We are still on the lookout for individuals interested in filling the remaining three positions. Please contact rockridgepto@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Did you know?
Rock Ridge PTO is on Facebook and Instagram! Like our page on Facebook and click the Follow button OR follow us on Instagram @rockridgepto. This way we will join your newsfeed, you will get great reminders, funny memes and school related information. We love to post reminders of things we as parents may have forgotten like days off, due dates and school events.
We have several ways you can support the school and the PTO, without spending anything extra! Check out these fundraisers, and ask a board member if you have any questions.

**King Soopers Community Rewards**
The King Soopers program is so easy! All you have to do is register your card online at www.kingsoopers.com. Every time you shop, you support the PTO.

**Box Tops**
The Box Tops program has gone digital! Download the app and be sure to scan your grocery receipts! Each box top earns 10 cents!

**American Furniture Warehouse**
If you shop at AFW, simply mention Rock Ridge PTO at checkout, and we will earn 2% back from your purchase!

**Westerra Credit Union**
By opening an account at Westerra and mentioning Rock Ridge PTO, we earn $52.80-- per account!

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**Fundraisers**
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**Spirit Wear**
Visit our website to see what spirit wear we have available. All purchases must be made through MySchoolBucks ONLY - CASH/CHECK WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

**Spirit Rock**
Don't forget to sign up for our Spirit Rock! If you'd like to celebrate your child's birthday, show appreciation for your favorite staff member, or leave encouraging messages for everyone at school, be sure to grab a date! Visit our website for more information!

**Cash Corner**
We approved $4455.00 in grants at our last meeting!
- PE - Climbing wall for gym $4200.00
- 5th grade - Microphones for iMovie and recording $60.00
- 5th grade - soil and seeds for plant dissection $100.00
- 5th grade - candy for reaching SMART goals $50.00
- Mr. Rasavage - drawing tablet for writing on digital screen $45

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**Next PTO Meeting**
Please join us for our next PTO meeting on Tuesday, May 11 at 6 pm via Zoom. We have a lot to discuss, including next year's Rock Ridge Run! Please click here to RSVP. The Zoom link will be sent to those who have RSVP'd.

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**Check out our website for more information on all things PTO! Feel free to contact us if you're looking for a way to help!**