# The Cardinal Communicator

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## **President's Message**

Hi Carrolltowne community!

This crazy year is coming to a close, and our PTA has really persevered through all the challenges. Take a look at all we accomplished:

- Dance Fit
- Yearbook
- 2 spirit weeks
- Pajama drive for Casey Cares
- Gift drive for Golden Crest Assisted Living
- Winnie the Pooh Kids
- Welcome signs for the return to 4-day weeks
- Holiday lights decorating contest
- Pumpkin decorating contest
- Birthday Books/Literacy Committee collaboration to distribute books to each child, along with a stuffed cardinal and a craft project
- Monthly tokens of appreciation for the staff
- Gifts for the counselor, IAs, teachers, administration, bus drivers, front office, and custodians on their recognition days/weeks
- Spirit wear sale
- Take-home STEM kits
- STEM virtual assembly
- Rocky Redbird virtual pop-ins to classes
- Various spirit nights in coordination with local restaurants
- Fifth-grade promotion contributions
- Bike rack
- Contributions to the cabinets in the art room
- Purchasing new printers and projectors to replace failing ones
- Mask sale
- Extended teacher grants

I want to take this moment to thank all of you who've volunteered or contributed in any way to support our community! I also want to extend an invitation and a call for help:

• Webmaster: Carrie Morton is staying on, but Ed Coyle is moving on to ORMS. We would like at least one other person to help field all issues around our website.

- Fun Run: Krista Porter is staying on, but Carolyn Coyle is moving on to ORMS. If you have an interest in organizing the Fun Run with Krista, please let us know!
- Cultural Arts/Diversity: Jessica Hughes is moving on to ORMS, so we need another person to step in to organize enrichment programs, cultural assemblies, and hands-on studies.

A special thank you to Carolyn Coyle, Ed Coyle, Christine Wassmann, and Jessica Hughes for their many years of serving this organization. We will miss you all next year!

I also want to welcome to the PTA's board of directors Kristie McCorkill, who will be co-chairing the Spirit Committee with Kelly McGonigal, and Mindy Stiffler, who will be taking over as chair of the Birthday Books Committee. We are so fortunate to have you join us!

Please don't hesitate to reach out to me if you would like to help us next year. And have a safe and enjoyable summer!

Niki Guinan

## JOIN OUR PTA!

If you haven't joined the PTA yet, what are you waiting for?!?! Anyone can join the PTA, not just parents! Just \$9 individual or \$14 double membership, and no time commitment necessary!

Visit http://carrolltownepta.com/, and click on the blue button at the top of the page.

## SAVE THE DATE!

May 28 - Spring Buppert's Farm Fundraiser Ends May 31 - No School - Memorial Day June 3 - PTA Meeting @ 7pm June 14 - Last Day of Pre-K

June 15 - Last Day of School for Students,

Early Dismissal @ 1pm

June 16 - Last Day of School for Teachers

Enjoy the summer and see everyone again in September!

To view our real-time, up-to-the minute Google Calendar, visit carrolltownepta.com/calendar



## **Next PTA Meeting**

#### The next PTA Meeting will be June 3, 2021.

Please see the PTA Facebook or webpage for Zoom meeting logon information.



FIND US ON FACEBOOK! Search for: Carrolltowne Elementary PTA Community

## 2020-2021 PTA Officers

**President:Niki Guinan** president@carrolltownepta.com

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## **Community Service**

Prizes for Casey Cares Pajama Drive were given to teachers on 5/13/21 to distribute in class. One coupon per participating student was given. Thank you for making it a success!



Congratulates the cast of



Ben Daniels Peighton Daniels Carson Ebare Emma Erbe Flynn Guinan Wyeth Guinan Julia Hagy Alexa Heistand Ramona Jacobsen Masha Korinnyi Miya Lunini Declan McGonigal Caroline Murphy Vannie Nugent Leo Pandullo Reese Porter Riley Porter Maddie Puryear Olivia Puryear Madison Quader Connor Reinartz Annabelle Robbins Laila Russo Will Seitz Hunter Smith Ava Snyder Maya Snyder Estela Sperb Charles Williams



# Class of 2021



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