



BIRCHWOOD ELEMENTARY

Weekly Bulletin November 10, 2016

From the PTO presidents:

For weeks now, our children were anticipating the visit of Kate Messner and she did not disappoint! I'm sure her visit was the topic of conversation at dinner tables last night and today, many kids are carrying around little notebooks to capture their ideas for their first book. Special thanks to Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Laura Mirkovic and Soyoung Mok for coordinating this wonderful event.

Have a fantastic long weekend!

Jan Brown and Erin Cassady-Dorion

From Deanna Bouton, Craig PTO co-president

I wanted to thank the parents and kids at Birchwood, Craig and Glencliff Elementary Schools for participating in Socktober. I didn't get the final count at Glencliff, but Birchwood and Craig donated ~480 pairs of socks. They were delivered to Things of Our Very Own in Schenectady. The staff at the crisis center was moved by the generosity of our students and Niskayuna families.



FUNDRAISING NIGHT

Help support
BIRCHWOOD PTO
November 16, 2016
4:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

at the Panera Bread bakery-cafe at
**412 Balltown Rd
Schenectady, NY 12309**

Bring this flyer when you dine with us and we'll donate a portion of the proceeds from your purchase. Please hand in a hard copy or show an electronic version of this flyer upon placing your order. Purchases of gift cards are not counted towards the event. It's a great way to combine great taste and great fun - for a great cause.

Learn more about Fundraising Nights at Panera Bread at:
www.PaneraBread.com/fundraiser

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Be a part of the STEM action!

Starting tomorrow, the Museum of Innovation and Science Schenectady is hosting the [MiSci Science Festival of the Capital Region](#). Workshops for educators, science expo, robotics, bubble trouble, drone discovery, GIS mapping, and so much more. Check out the flyers for more info! RSVP on [Facebook](#) to tell your friends and family!

Fall 2016 Skating Programs

Presented by Schenectady County and Schenectady Youth Hockey Association - [See the flyer here](#)

Mark your calendar!

- November 16 - [Concerned for the Hungry Food Drive](#) ends
- November 16 - Half Day (10:45am dismissal)
- November 16 - Panera Night Out
- November 18 - Popcorn Friday and School Banking
- December 2 - Popcorn Friday and School Banking