

Mantua PTA Alert News

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1. Don't miss the sixth grade musical, "HONK! Jr.", this Friday, June 1st, at 7 pm in the gym. It's sure to be a hit! The musical is based on the story of the ugly duckling. See you there!

2. **FIELD DAY** – Please consider volunteering in the following classes: Andersen (PM), Gasser (two AM), Graap (two AM), Leonard (one PM), McEntee (PM), and Rutherford (PM). Some classes only have one volunteer per session so if you are available, we could still use more help. This is a day the children enjoy! The schedule is a little different this year - TUESDAY, June 5 (6/5/07), 5th and 6th grade. WEDNESDAY, June 6 (6/6/07), 3rd & 4th grade. THURSDAY, June 7 (6/7/07), K, 1st and 2nd grade. Volunteer times are as follows: Morning 9:15 - 11:30, Afternoon 1:00 - 3:00. Volunteers need to be there 15 minutes before each session. If you already responded to an e-mail, you are on the schedule. Otherwise, please contact Donna McGrath at dsm721@cox.net with any questions or send the name of your child's teacher and when you can volunteer.

3. **KIDS CARE CLUB** – Thank you to everyone who participated in the band-aid drive. All donations will be brought to Fairfax Hospital this month. We appreciate all that Mantua Elementary families have done to help us support our community over the past two years. Your efforts helped to improve the lives of many.

4. **KIDS CARE CLUB COORDINATOR** – Please consider being in charge of this wonderful community service group for the 2007-2008 school year. It is a great way to introduce your children to the importance of helping and being part of their community. If you have any questions, please contact Donna McGrath at dsm721@cox.net or Patti Taheri at mptaheri@cox.net.

5. **PTA Volunteer Opportunities:** The PTA is looking for people to fill open positions for the upcoming year. Please consider coordinating one of the following programs: **Sally Foster Fundraising** – person would coordinate with Sally Foster representative and secure packets for distribution at Open House in August, collect orders and input data, schedule delivery of orders; **FLEX Coordinator** – person coordinates instructors with county and handles student registrations; **ALERT News Distribution** – person copies ALERT News Tuesday mornings for families wishing to receive a hard copy. Anyone interested in learning more about these positions should contact Mary Jo Kavjian at kavjianPTA@aol.com.

6. **REFLECTIONS ART PROGRAM-** For those students who participated in this year's program and would like to collect their work, they may do so by picking it up in the school office. A box will be located near the PTA drop-off box. They will be available for pick up until Friday, June 8th. Please look in an upcoming Tuesday folder for next year's theme, "I can make a difference by..." IF you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth McPhilomy at dutchboy3911@msn.com.

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