Mantua PTA Alert News for January 6, 2009

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1. The next PTA Meeting is this Wednesday, January 7th at 7 p.m. in the Library.

2. Friday, January 9th is Wacky Sweater Day Friends should show their school spirit by wearing their wackiest sweaters!

3. PTA Auction Donations: Deadline Extended to Friday, January 9th!

We have extended the donation deadline until Friday, January 9th, 2009! Please support your children's school by donating an item by the new deadline. Do you have any holiday gifts that you don't want or need? Donate them to the auction!

Donating is very easy, just go to: http://www.mantuapta.org/auction/makedonation.html.

The Mantua Online Auction event is coming soon! We are receiving some great auction items, so get ready to bid starting February 1st, 2009.

Thank you for supporting our great school and your children's education!

4. Camp Expo January 29th

The Olde Creek Elementary PTA will host 'Camp Expo 2009' on January 29, 2009 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. to provide families in the Woodson pyramid and Robinson Secondary/High School communities with information and exposure to quality, safe and enriching summer camp and program opportunities for their children.

5. Drama Club Wizard of Oz DVDs Available!

The PTA will also be selling DVDs of The Wizard of Oz starting Dec. 12th for \$10. We will not be selling CDs or VHS versions at this point. Please send your checks to the front office if you want a copy and make the check out to the Mantua PTA.

6. GT Center Referral Form – due Feb 6th (Grades 2-6) Fairfax County Public Schools provides a continuum of gifted services for students. While some levels of these services are provided to all students, other students must be considered eligible through a school/district committee. If you wish to refer your child for consideration for these additional services, the deadline is February 6th for submitting the form to the Mantua office. More information and a link to the referral form is located at http://www.fcps.edu/DIS/gt. If you wish to have a paper copy of the referral, please contact the school office. Please submit any questions to Eva Bousbouras (Vaitsa.Bousbouras@fcps.edu), GT Resource Teacher at Mantua.

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