

Harrison Township

Harrison Township Elementary
Grades K-3
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Grades 4-6
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The best way to get information from the PTA is to sign up for our PEX email list. Go to our website at www.HarrisonPTA.org and look for the big red box .

PANTHER Designer Bag Bingo

Please join us on **Friday November 13** for a fun night of Designer Bag Bingo, Basket Auction, and 50/50 Prizes! Doors open at 6 pm and Bingo will start at 7 pm. Seating for this event is limited. The cost in advance is \$32 per person; if tickets remain, the cost at the door is \$37 per person. Please feel free to bring your own drinks and snacks. **You must be 18 years of age to attend this event.** Head to our website at www.HarrisonPTA.org and click on the Panthers tab to get your tickets before they're gone.

Spirit Wear

Do you love Harrison Township Schools? Show how much you love your schools by proudly displaying some Spirit Wear! Spirit Wear is on sale NOW. We are offering a variety of t-shirts this year, including Minecraft and 'Bling' styles. Please submit your order by Friday, October 23—and don't forget to make a copy of your order before submitting it. To view the styles, please visit our website at www.HarrisonPTA.org and look for Spirit Wear under the Programs tab. If you have any questions, please contact Anna Brown at annapark93@gmail.com

Our next School Color Day is November 20.

Important Dates

School Spirit Day (Hat Day)	Oct. 16
Early Dismissal (conferences)	20-23
Halloween Skating Party	23
Board of Education Meeting	26
School Store (PVS)	27
School Spirit Day—Neon Colors	27
Halloween Parade PVS @ 9 am	30
Halloween Parade HTS @ 1:45 pm	30
PTA Meeting @ HTS 7 pm	Nov 2
School Store (HTS)	3
Book Fair HTS	3-13
School Closed	4-6

Box Tops

Please remember to clip those Box Tops! We have set a goal this year of 10,000 Box Tops which converts to \$10,000 for your children and our schools. We are asking each family to set a personal goal of submitting 100 Box Tops. This is a quick and easy way to get involved and help the PTA. Box Tops can be sent to school with your child at any time. If possible, we request you send them into school in bags of 50, with your teacher's name and grade on the outside. Thank you!

TD Bank Affinity Program

Are looking for a new bank? Already a member at TD Bank? You can help the PTA earn money at no cost or work on your part by simply signing up for the TD Bank Affinity Program! To join, all you need to do is print the form from our [web-site](#), complete it, and bring it with you to the bank the next time you do your banking. If you have signed up for this program in the past, you do not need to re-enroll.



Krispy Kreme Donuts

Satisfy that sweet tooth while helping the PVS Panther Class of 2016 raise money. Donuts are on sale now through October 18. Pick up will be on October 30 after 3pm at PVS (please do not arrive prior to 3 pm). Look for the Panthers tab on our website at www.HarrisonPTA.org to order now!

Father Daughter Dance

The Second Annual Father Daughter Dance is scheduled for **Saturday, November 14, 2015 from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm at the PVS Cafetorium**. We welcome all Pre-Kindergarten through 6th grade girls to grab that special gentleman in their life and dance the night away. Tickets will be on sale from October 12 through October 27 and can be purchased online via the [PTA website](#). Lifetouch Studios will also be on-hand to capture your special moment and picture packages will be available for purchase.

This is a hugely popular event and only a limited number of tickets will be available. Please don't delay—be sure to purchase your tickets right away! Any questions regarding this event, please contact FatherandDaughter@HarrisonPTA.org

Volunteers Needed!

Looking for ways to help? Look no further! Various PTA volunteer opportunities are continuously added to our website as the needs arise. These needs can range from school store, Book Fair, baked goods, and many, many other areas. Please check our website on a regular basis to see what opportunities are available that might fit into your schedule. Go to our website at www.HarrisonPTA.org. Click on the 'Volunteer' drop down tab, and then click on 'How to Volunteer.' From this page, click on the Volunteer Spot icon which will show you all of our current needs. Thank you to everyone who takes time out of their busy schedules to help make these wonderful experiences for our children!

Halloween Skating Party!

Get your tickets now for the PTA Family Fun Night Halloween Skating Party! The party will take place on **Thursday October 22** from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm at the Deptford Skating and Fun Zone. The cost is \$10 per roller skater; parents and non-skating siblings are free to enter but will not have access to either the indoor fun zone or the inflatable adventure alley. Ticket includes unlimited skating, skate rentals, and indoor fun zone. Snacks and beverages will be available at the snack bar for purchase. **Everyone is welcome—Family and Friends (includes non HTS and PVS students)**. There will be a costume parade and prizes awarded— best girl & best boy, scariest, and funniest. Please note all costumes must be in good taste and in accordance with our District's STARS program and dress code. Any questions about this event, please contact HalloweenParty@HarrisonPTA.org **Online registration is open; IF tickets remain they will be sold at the event.** This was a hugely popular event last year—don't risk missing out. Get your tickets on our [website](#) while you still can!

Save the Date!

Breakfast with Santa

Date: Saturday, December 5th

Where: PVS Cafetorium

There will be two seating times. **Registration and payment for this event will be online beginning November 7.**

Bring the family and have breakfast with Santa. It's great fun for everyone! The breakfast includes assorted danish and muffins, yogurt and fruit, pancakes and breakfast sausage, as well as coffee, tea and juice. There will be activities and face painting for everyone in attendance. Don't forget your camera for your FREE picture with Santa.



New this year... in lieu of school day shopping the Holiday Shop will be ONE DAY ONLY— Saturday December 5, 2015. Rest assured that there will be plenty of volunteers on hand to help young shoppers choose and purchase surprise items for the special people in their lives. Please check the PTA website for additional details regarding shopping times. Any questions, please email HTSHolidayShop@HarrisonPTA.org.