

CAVE SPRING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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President's Message

What a great year 2012 is going to be! No Snow? What is going on with this winter season? CSES PTA is moving forward with plans for an exciting family night on March 30, 2012. It's called CSES FAMILY NIGHT- Spaghetti Dinner/Bingo/Silent Auction. Mark your calendars now...this was a family favorite last year and this year we have many exciting prizes to offer and most of all a FUN FAMILY NIGHT OUT!

CSES PTA will be offering KICS (Kids in Cultural Studies) on Tuesdays/Wednesdays from February 28th - April 4th. These activities are right after school and the classes offered inspire creativity for our children...some classes may even be something new for your child to try. So be sure to register for these classes when you receive your registration booklet in February.

The Request for a night off from cooking has been answered! BELLACINO'S NIGHT will be on TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2012 from 5:30-7:30pm. All proceeds benefit the Art department.

We are always looking for parents who are interested in helping CSES PTA make great things happen for our students at Cave Spring Elementary. If you are interested in volunteering in a PTA position, please contact me at nj.martin@cox.net or contact the school office. Come join us, we are sure you will have fun!

Your PTA President,
Jackie Martin



From the Principal's Desk...

4th year CSES receives
the
Governor's Award
for Educational Excellence



Cave Spring Elementary received the Governor's Award for Educational Excellence for the 4th straight year! This award is based on our SOL scores from Spring 2011. Since the award's inception, Cave Spring Elementary has received this prestigious award. We are so very proud of our students and teachers for continually achieving beyond expectations! Thank you to all the incredible effort from our students and staff.

Jodi Poff, Principal



KICS Spring Session



KICS (Kids Involved in Cultural Studies) will be on Tuesdays and Wednesdays starting Feb. 28 & 29 through April 3 & 4. Parents please mark your calendars and keep an eye out for the brochure coming home in your children's backpacks on Monday Feb. 6th. If you have any questions please call or email Ioana Farthing at 589-6383 or ioanaandsam@cox.net

Mark Your Calendars!



CSES FAMILY FUN NIGHT

Spaghetti Dinner, Bingo & Silent Auction

Friday, March 30th

Sponsored by the CSES PTA

This fun family event will be at Cave Spring Elementary School and will include a good time for everyone!

Looking to help? We are happy to have it. You can help in several different ways:

- Sponsorships available for your personal business or place of employment.
- Do you have a talent that could be an appealing item to bid on...such as plumbing, painting, cooking, etc.?
- Looking for an “artsy” parent to help with individual classroom auction projects
- Do you have a vacation home, time share, season tickets you would be willing to donate?
- Hands on help the night of the event

Please contact:

Beth Ballou at 772-4748
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or

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Thank you and we look forward to seeing you all at this fun family event!!!

Watch for information coming home about ticket sales, classroom theme baskets, 5th grade Bake Sale and “send your child a message” opportunities.



Cave Spring Elementary PTA invites you to
Bellacino's Pizza Night
Tuesday, January 31st
5:30-8:30pm

Get ready for Super Bowl XLVI and wear your favorite sports team jersey and enjoy some pizza with friends and family!

Proceeds from this Bellacino's Night benefits the Art Program at CSES.

**Incentive Rewards Program:
Help support your school!**



Don't forget to clip and save your Box Tops. Collection sheets are being sent home with your child monthly and you can download more at www.csespta.com

**We received a check for collection
through October for \$1,054.50**

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**Thank you for your support!!!
In November we raised \$436.85**

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These programs can really make a difference in our children's education at Cave Spring Elementary School. For more information please contact Julie Carey at 982-8072 or juliecarey@cox.net.