Rocket Blast of the week of April 27

We've got great news to report from the Carnival, Rockets! We made a little more than \$4000 at the Silent Auction and more than \$3200 in ticket sales. It was a great night and we couldn't have done it without your generous donations and time! This is PTA's biggest fundraiser and we use that money for teacher grants, AR testing, library funds, and more. So, THANKS!

Here's what's coming up this week:

Book Fair all week! Thanks to those who are helping. It's not too late to signup for a volunteer slot at http://www.signupgenius.com/go/508044baeac28a13-book

Monday, April 27 5:45 Choir Performs 6:00-7:30 p.m. Open House

Thursday, April 30 7 p.m.- South Area Orchestra @ Shawnee Mission South

Next Week is Staff Appreciation Week! If you're thankful for the impact a teacher, administrator or staff person at Rosehill has had on your child's life, make sure to show them how much they mean to you by volunteering to help out during Staff Appreciation Week--either in person or by donating! Visit the PTA's website here for links to various ways to help. http://www.rosehillrocketpta.com/#!contact-us/c13w

Rosehill's Fifth Grade Girl Scout troop is working on their Bronze Award by collecting coloring books and boxes of crayons this week. Everything collected will be donated to Children's Mercy Hospital.

Rocket Blast of the week of April 20

THANK YOU for all your help making the Candyland Carnival such a success!

As the year winds down, we want to finish strong. We have lots of opportunities for you to help volunteer at school--and some fun events just for parents, as well.

Here's how the next few weeks are shaping up:

April 21: No school--Staff Development

April 27-May 1: Book Fair Week April 27: Open House starts a 6pm

May 4-8: Rosehill Staff Appreciation Week

May 7: Early Dismissal (12:30pm)

May 8: Moms & Muffins (7am)

Book Fair Fun!

Rosehill Library sponsors a yearly Scholastic Book Fair. All the funds raised from the Scholastic Book Fair go back to the library where Mrs. Harrington can buy more books, magazines and awesomeness for Rosehill readers.

The PTA supports the Book Fair by providing volunteers. It is a really fun way to interact with the kids and help out at the same time. Sign up for a slot to sell books to the kiddos here: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/508044BAEAC28A13-book/10261278

Staff Appreciation Week

Each year the PTA sponsors a Staff Appreciation Week where we show the fantastic staff at Rosehill how much we appreciate all they do for our children. We've got lots of great ways to help--and some super suggestions for getting your kids involved, too. Check out the attached flyer, and click on the links to volunteer.

MONDAY: Breakfast: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0C44AEA62FA0FA7-monday

WEDNESDAY: Lunch: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0C44AEA62FA0FA7-wednesday

THURSDAY: Sweet Treats: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/

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THURSDAY: Carnation Sale: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/

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FRIDAY: QT Drink Run: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0C44AEA62FA0FA7-friday

Field Day Volunteers Needed

Mrs. Kain and her sixth graders put on an awesome Field Day including 45 (!) games and activities for kids K through 5 and she can use your help scoring student ribbons at the event. Contact her at 993-4866 with questions or to sign up for a time to help. Also look for flyers in backpacks with more information.

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May 11...8:30-11:00...Grade K
May 11...12:00-3:00...Grade 1
May 12...8:30-11:00...Grade 2
May 12...12:00-3:00...Grade 3
May 13...8:30-11:00...Grade 4
May 13...12:00-3:00...Grade 5
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Have a great week, Rockets!

Rocket Blast of the week of April 13

It's one of those super awesome, amazingly busy PTA weeks this week! In addition to testing (continuing) and a Skate City skate party (Wednesday, 4-6), it's CARNIVAL WEEK!

Here's your list of things to do:

- 1. Make sure to get tickets ordered.
- 2. Grab some cupcakes, nut-free candy, or cans of pop to donate to the for game events.
- 3. Bring the donations to the PTA meeting on Tuesday (7pm in the Library--should be a good meeting including officer elections).

- 4. Tell your mom or sweetie to pickup something from Target that could be added to a basket for the Silent Auction.
- 5. Brag to your friends about all the awesome stuff we have for sale at the Silent Auction--we take checks or credit cards. Facebook bragging is a super-great idea!
- 6. Head to the Sign-up Genius and pick a time slot to volunteer at the Carnival. (http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4baeac2ca2f58-rosehills1)
- 7. Bring some cash to pay for Kona Ice, the food truck, extra tickets, and more.8. Have SO MUCH FUN with your kids at the Candyland Carnival on Friday, 5:30-8:00!

Special Carnival Rocket Blast Mid-Week of April 8

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*** Candyland Carnival ***

***** Friday, April 17 ******
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PTA's biggest fundraiser of the year is our annual carnival, and it's coming up on Friday, April 17. Not only is the Carnival a great fundraiser, it's also a wonderful chance to celebrate and nurture the Rosehill Community.

We use these funds for amazing things at Rosehill: we pay for part of Accelerated Reader tests, pay the usage fee for movies to be shown at school (so we don't violate those FBI warnings!), provide teacher grants for each teacher and specials areas, and so much more.

The Carnival is run by volunteers--like YOU! Don't wait for us to pester you to volunteer, just jump in! Here are ways you can help:

Sign up to volunteer at the Carnival: http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4baeac2ca2f58-rosehills1

Provide candy and pop for our games:

Cupcakes (We need LOTS for the Cupcake Walk)

Cans of pop (For the Ring Toss)

Candy (individually wrapped, nut-free, non-chocolate for the Fishing Pond Game — Smarties, Starburst, Skittles, etc)

Please send candy donations to school marked: Rosehill PTA by Wed., April 15th.

And please, PLEASE share the attached flyer on your personal Facebook page. It's a list of all the awesome things we'll have up for grabs at the Silent Auction. We want this to go viral, folks!

Respond if you have any questions. And THANKS!