



# St. Lucie West K-8 School PTO September 2016-2017

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The 2016-2017 school year has begun. PTO had our first meeting of the year on August 24<sup>th</sup> in the media center. Many new parents and teachers came together to discuss plans for the upcoming month as well as for the year.

### FUNDRAISERS

The PTO voted to continue to have the Fall Yankee Candle Fundraiser. Students will receive their order packets the week of September 19<sup>th</sup>. They will be due back to school on October 10<sup>th</sup>. PTO will also be selling school logo embroidered hooded sweatshirts starting September 6<sup>th</sup>. Order forms were sent home with students first week of September and are due back to office no later than September 19<sup>th</sup>. Cost per sweatshirt will be \$25 and are available in youth and adult sizes and 3 different colors.



### BOX TOPS

Teachers will be collecting box tops throughout the school year. Please send in your box tops for the first 9 weeks 'classroom drawing by October 14<sup>th</sup>. PTO will be sending out reminders with students. The class with the most box tops collected for elementary and middle school will receive a popcorn party and a \$25 Wal-Mart gift card to use in the classroom. Our new box tops Coordinator is Jennifer Bryant.

### UPCOMING PLANS

PTO future plans for the year will include a Fall Family Movie Night at the end of October and the Annual Holiday Shoppe in December. Details for these events will be finalized during meetings in September and October. Continue to read information as it is sent out.

### VOLUNTEERS

PTO is always looking for parents who have just a little time to dedicate to the school. If you are a county approved school volunteer and would like to help out on any of our upcoming activities please contact us through email [SLWK8PTO@gmail.com](mailto:SLWK8PTO@gmail.com) or call Carol Jones, our volunteer coordinator at (847)-804-1703.