

# PTA News

## PTA general membership meeting on April 15

The final general membership meeting of 2008-2009 will be held on Wednesday, April 15, at 7pm. All CES PTA members as of the March meeting can vote for next year's officers. Nominees for president, vice president, treasurer, and secretary will be posted this week, and nominations will be taken from the floor at the meeting.

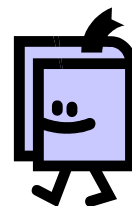
In addition, CES staff will give a presentation about document cameras. Come learn about these nifty pieces of technology and how they help our kids learn in new and exciting ways.

Please join us for the insightful and important meeting!

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Wednesday, April 15, at 7pm  
Elections for 2009-2010 PTA officers  
and presentation on "Why Crofton Elementary classrooms need document cameras"**

## Author assemblies and book orders

CES is proud to welcome two authors in April for special assemblies. On April 7, Mary Downing Hahn will meet with students in grades 3-5 to talk about her award-winning books. On April 15, Janet Morgan Stoeke will talk to students in grades K-2 about how drawings help inspire her picture books.



## Ledo Pizza Night on April 6

Ledo Pizza Night is Monday, April 6. Enjoy delicious Italian and American food, and benefit the school at the same time. No coupons necessary, and you can eat in or carry out.

Ledo Pizza at Eddie's Place (near the post office) on Monday, April 6, from 4pm to closing.

## CES Science Fair on April 21



Experience the wonders of science at the Crofton Elementary Science Fair! The CES PTA is pleased to sponsor the 2009 Science Fair for students in Grades K-5. Through their projects, students discover that science is found in every niche of the universe.

The entire school community is invited to the Science Fair on Tuesday, April 21, from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Marvel at the varied projects and support the students' efforts!

## Movie Night on April 24 brings "happy endings" to the whole family

Last year was such a blast, we're doing it again. Enjoy a family film at school, with a twist – it's outside! Bring your blankets or folding chairs, and enjoy the Walt Disney film "Bedtime Stories" on a huge inflated screen. The date is Friday, April 24, at 7pm. (This event is rain or shine: in case of inclement weather, Movie Night will be shown inside in the cafeteria instead.) Fifth graders will sell concessions. Watch backpacks for the flyer, or visit [www.ces-pta.com](http://www.ces-pta.com) for more information.

Many thanks to Al Friedman with Long & Foster Real Estate for sponsoring this special family night.

*About "Bedtime Stories": When funnyman Adam Sandler babysits his niece and nephew, he dreams up elaborate bedtime stories of heroics and chivalry. But the children add their own ideas... and magic happens! Their nighttime fantasies become the uncle's daytime realities, leading him on real-life adventures in search of his own happy ending. From Walt Disney Studios. Rated PG for some mild rude humor and mild language.*

## Keep our playgrounds clean of dog litter

Please do not walk dogs on school property. A volunteer parent during recess recently saw children on the playground tossing around bags filled with dog poop. Ew!