



Maury PTA Year at a Glance 2016-2017

Charitable Contributions & Outreach

- Blessings in a Backpack – Provided Holiday Turkeys, Winter Break and Summer Break Gift Cards, 50+ Weekend Food Packs to At-Need Maury Families
- Book Fairs – Purchased Books for At-Need Maury Students
- Community Outreach – Organized Activities and Events to Benefit Alive, Carpenter’s Shelter and Sunrise Assisted Living; Purchased Community Service-Related Books for Students
- Cora Kelly PTA Partnership - \$2000 (per year for 5 years)
- Donations Made to Scholarship Fund of Alexandria and TC Williams’ All-Night Grad Party
- Gifts of Learning – Purchased Books for the Winter Break & Math Games for Summer Break for All Students
- Mentoring Program – Provided Funds and Supplies for 10 Teacher Mentors and 12 Students
- Provided Composition Books, Hats, Gloves for At-Need Maury Students
- Yearbooks Gifted to At-Need Students

Classroom Support & Enrichment

- Encore Support:
 - Art – 3D Printer and Supplies, Basket Weaving Supplies, Butterfly Kits
 - Band & Orchestra – New Clarinets and Supplies, Reeds, Books, Mouthpieces and Strings
 - Gym/PE – Two Border Patrols, Roller Blade Equipment Including Helmets, Wrist Guards, Gloves, and Laces, and Balls for Playground Use
 - Library – Purchased 47 New Books for Collection
 - Music – Flipform Risers, Music Stands, Portable PA System
- Enrichment:
 - Author Visit – Michael Patrick O’Neill
 - Curriculum Support – Literacy Night, Magical Math Tour, Science Night and Science Express Day with Maryland Science Center, Games for Social Studies Night
- Field Trip Support:
 - 1st grade – Trip to “SkippyJon Jones Snow White” at George Mason University
 - 2nd grade – Scholarships for 8 Students to Lisner Auditorium, Scholarships for 12 Students to Riverbend Park, Admission to Butterfly Exhibit at Museum of Natural History
 - 3rd grade – Green Meadows and Potomac River Tour
 - 4th grade – Jamestown Trip, National River Tour
 - 5th grade – Trip to “Lightning Thief” at George Mason University
- Grade-Wide In-School Support:
 - Kindergarten In-School Theater Production of “Moving Stories”
 - Butterfly Larvae Kits for Every 2nd Grade Student
 - 3rd Grade Greek Olympics Support and Supplies
 - Books for Entire 4th Grade

- ThinkFun Math Games for 3rd and 5th Grades
- Agendas for All Students in 3rd-5th Grades
- Ear buds for Chromebooks for All 4th & 5th Graders
- PBIS – Provided Monthly Volunteers for Prize Carts, Purchased Prizes, Helped Plan and Sponsor Quarterly Assemblies and Celebrations, including Parkour and Jump Rope Events
- Spring Fling – Volunteer Support, Moon Bounces, and Supplies
- Teacher Allocation - \$150 Available to Each Teacher for Classroom Supplies
- Technology Support – Ellison Die-Cut Machine

Communications

- Conference Call Dial-In Made Available for PTA Meetings
- Maury Yearbook 2016-2017
- Student Directory 2016-2017
- “Tuesdays with Maury” Weekly E-Newsletter

Fundraising

- Blessings in a Backpack - \$2800
- Community Partner & Parent Donations - \$14,900
- Dine Outs & Retail - \$ 2800
- Fall Festival - \$810
- Fall Gala - \$43,000
- Grocery Points - \$1400
- Holiday Fundraiser at Barnes and Noble - \$700
- Jamestown Talent Show Fundraiser - \$2300
- Splendid Pictures Commission - \$1980
- Spring2Action - \$10,200
- Yearbook Ads - \$8200

Programs & Enrichment

- After School Programs - Fall and Spring Sessions (Including 50 Scholarships)
- Health & Wellness
 - Marine Corps Marathon Fun Run – Provided scholarships for registration and free buses
 - Running Club – Provided Free Four week After School Club Open to All Students
 - Maury Track Team – Provided Spirit Wear T-Shirts for Runners at TC Williams Invitational
 - Spring Fun Run – Organized Event and Coordinated Volunteers
- Odyssey of the Mind – Covered Registration Fees for 5 Maury Teams to Attend Regional/State Competitions
- Outdoor Classroom/Garden – Planted and harvested lettuce served to children, provided staff breakfast during Real School Gardens professional development day, purchased dry erase sets and clipboards for outdoor learning, planted flowers for memorial bench dedication, installed industrial hose for garden, hosted Big Dig Event, hung 45 Safe Hang Hooks, procured Soccer Goal Anchor Bags
- Reflections – Hosted City-Wide Reflections Contest Art Night with Pizza and Materials
- SCA – Supported Student Government in Hosting School-Wide Valentine’s Day Event and “Donuts for Dogs” Thank You Event for Watch D.O.G.S.
- The Lion King Musical – 3 Performances
- Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students) – 34 Fathers Volunteered in the Classrooms

Special Events & Other Projects

- Back to School Picnic - DJ & Games
- Black Out Security Shades - Installed Throughout School on Every Interior Door
- Book Fairs – Provided Volunteers for Fall and Spring Book Fairs
- Child Care / 4H Programs Provided at PTA Meetings

- Class Socials for All Grades
- Fall Festival - Moon Bounce, DJ, Crafts & Games
- Family Fun Night at Charles Houston Recreation Center
- Fifth Grade Dance, Year-End Picnic and T-Shirts
- Fourth Grade Talent Show
- Hiring Committee for New Maury Principal
- K-Prep Coffee & Hospitality
- Maury Pool Party at Highland Park
- Maury Volunteer Outdoor Movie Night
- Maury Volunteer Social at Fireflies
- Membership Drive - 230 PTA Members
- Military Family Liaison – Veterans’ Day Celebrations, Maury Military Map, Military Kids’ Breakfast
- Picture Day Coordination & Volunteers
- Playground Celebration at Lena’s & Ribbon Cutting Event
- PTA Council of Alexandria / Legislative Liaison Representative
- Redistricting Review Committee Representatives
- Retirement Celebrations
- Room Parent Fund– \$75 per classroom
- SchoolKidz School Supply Kit Program
- School Tours for Prospective Families
- Speakers at PTA Meetings
 - ACPS Construction Project Manager Paul May
 - Maury Math Team on “How to Teach New Math”
 - ACPS TAG Coordinator Donna Brearley
 - ACPS School Board Chairman Ramee Gentry
 - ACPS Special Education Parent Resource Center Coordinator Courtney P. Davis & Maury Special Education Teachers
 - ACPS Cultural Competency Coordinator Cheryl Robinson
 - Mrs. Catherine lenzi (TAG) and Ms. Stacy Hayden (GIA)
 - ACPS Coordinator of Instructional Technology Emily Dillard
 - GW Principal Jesse Mazur and Jefferson Houston Academic Principal Sara Sims
 - ACPS Chief Accountability Officer Clinton Page
- Special Education Liaison - Monthly Roundtables
- Teacher Appreciation - Monthly Lunches, Holiday Gifts, Recognition Week
- Uniform Swap