



2018 Race For Education Wrap Up

Greencastle– Antrim Primary– Elementary PTO



WE DID IT!!!!!!!

CURRENT TOTAL \$100,292.51

The G-A PTO set out this year with a goal of \$85,000 to raise during our 2018 Race for Education. If we reached this goal our principals, Mrs. Singer, Mr. Carley, Mrs. McKissick, & Mr. Stover promised to dress up on our Race Day & participate in a secret competition/ Mystery race. The costume choices are voted on by the students and this year our principals were voted on to dress up as **THE INCREDIBLES** !!!!! What a fantastic Race day we all had!!!!

The Success of race is due to the generosity of people like you, and we THANK YOU so very much! The Race for Education funds field trips, assemblies, classroom grants, PTO sponsored events

On Nov. 2nd, students were treated to an awards assembly & slideshow highlighting Race Day. Gift Cards were presented per grade level to the raffle winners for address submission (1 entry per 10 labels submitted—up to 3 entries for a full sheet) & raffle winners for those who submitted postage donations. In Addition, all students who submitted 29 labels were recognized & several won a chance to play PLINKO! All classes won a Dance Party for averaging submission of at least 5 labels per student. **AND THE WINNERS ARE.....**

Gift certificates to local businesses (Stamp Donation): Az'zaira Norrell-Dillard, Landyn Mentzer, Jocelyn Noll, Corrine Dean, Lucas Shank, Alissa Hull! **Raffle Winners (label submission):** Wyatt Blair, Parker Reed, Annalee O'brien, Addison Roberts, Lilah Overcash, Shayley Sharer! **PLINKO WINNERS!** Payton Seville, Levi Gible, Lily Kendall, Ella Worley, Garrett Freeman, Meadow Pittman, Aiden Crouse, Jasper Raphael, Olivia Lieberman, Owen Wetzel!

Our Teachers are winners too!!!!!!

Each teacher competed in a Mystery Race on Race Day & each grades winner was awarded a trophy to display in their room!

These Teachers sent our their own mailers for their classroom and was awarded with funds to directly benefit their class.

Mrs. Allen Mrs. Berwick Mrs.Short Mrs. Kline Mrs. Hykes

2018 Race For Education Stats

- Over 22, 000 mailers were sent out to friends & family
- 960 students sent in at least 5 address labels & got to write their name on the *Wall of Fame*
- 850 students submitted at least 10 addresses or more & received a *Stuffed Animal Day Card (GAPS) or PJ/Hat Day (GAES)*
- This fall 728 students will get the opportunity to *Eat lunch with their teacher* because they brought in 15 or more labels.
- On Oct. 19th Over 560 students were awarded the chance to be apart of the high school *football game halftime celebration/recognition* because they submitted 20 labels or more.
- 450 students filled out the entire label sheet & their names were submitted into a drawing for the chance to play *Plinko* during our awards assembly on Nov. 2. All students who earned this prize received a free ice cream coupon.
- 340 students helped out the Race for Education by donating postage to our postage drive. They Submitted enough to mail 6,000 of our mailers for *Free!*
- On Oct 12th over **1400 students** were part of our 2018 Race Day!
- This year we have received over \$100,000 for our school because of YOU!

THANK YOU!!!!!!!!!!

Do You Want to Thank your Child's Sponsors???

We think it's a great idea to find out who sponsored your child— maybe you want to thank them for their generosity or perhaps you need to adjust the list of people you send to next year! The PTO can help with this request. If you fill out the sponsor request form that will be sent home and return it to the school **NO LATER** than Nov. 16th the Race Committee will return a list of your child sponsors. After this years Race is closed out all paperwork is sent to storage so this is your chance!

The PTO & The Race Committee want to extend a HUGE thank you to all our volunteers throughout this Race for Education process. We had many parents give countless hours through the weeks to help in this huge endeavor. They copied, prepared mailers to be sent out. They make packets, sorted prizes, recorded, sorted, filed the returned mailers with donations. They helped with the prize distribution process, T-shirt sizing, sorting & distributing. Help during Race Day & the Football halftime celebration. A fundraiser this large would not be possible without a team of volunteers giving their time. We want to convey our appreciation to the following individuals for being a part of the success: Danielle Snodderly, Sunni Placko, Erin Pryke, Stefanie Fair, April Wenger, Nicki Hall, Kelly Stiner, Christina Dull, Shelly Long, Melodie Stutzman, Becky Wolff, Terri Latta, Silvia Alfaro-Cain, Deb Long, Holly McNamee, Jessica Arters, Kate Booze, Samantha Kessler, Carrie Tripp, Christina Martinez, Brad Buckheit, Mendy Bishop, Beth Carnell, Lexi Fretz, Emma White, Heather Alvey, Crystal Zawalinski, Laura Michalsky, Sara Witmer, Tonya Cuicci, Rebecca Pound, Melissa Cordell, Mary Rowand, Cherie Weaver, Tara Reed, David Placko, Amberly Blair, Brian Long, Linda Johnson!

THANK YOU!!!!!!!

- The Race Committee

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