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## Newsletter

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Happy October, Everyone! It would appear Fall is finally upon us. October is always a fun month for the PTO. Our Family Halloween Carnival is scheduled for Friday, October 25, 2019 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Admission is \$3.00 a person and \$10.00 for a family of 4. We will have games and crafts for the kids to do. There will be treats and drinks for purchase. We will also have our pie throwing booth! Come and throw a whipped cream pie at one of our surprise volunteers!!! Please keep in mind, preschool through 4th grade must be accompanied by an adult.

The PTO is having our traditional October Box Tops War! Each grade has a box in their classroom to collect the box tops. Send in as many box tops as possible between now and October 25th and help your child's class win. The grade with the most box tops will win a pizza party paid for by the PTO!

The PTO will be hosting a new event this year. We will be having a Book Swap on Friday, November 22, 2019. Over the next couple of weeks the PTO will be collecting new and gently used books. Students will receive a ticket for each book donated. The kids bring those tickets to the Swap and can get a book for each ticket they have. Donate 5 books, and you can get 5 other books. This event is free! We will also have a table where kids can make bookmarks. A flyer will be emailed very soon with all the information. We would like to thank Ms. Emily Scharer, our 5th grade teacher, for this wonderful idea!!



Finally, the PTO recently became aware of a recycling program run by Crayola. We will be collecting used markers and dry erase markers for the purpose of having them recycled. Each classroom has a box to collect the markers. Once we receive enough, Crayola pays to have the package sent to them and they will be reused! We do not make any money participating in the program. It simply teaches the students about recycling and allows them to be a part of the solution. Feel free to send in any markers that no longer work.

Thank you to all our volunteers for all you do! It's because of your time and generosity that we are able to do so much for our students and school. Feel free to contact us anytime! You can email us at [bespto@bburyes.org](mailto:bespto@bburyes.org) or text/call Renee' at (908) 763-4270.