

Roxborough PTIC: One School, Two Buildings, Same Goal!

We would like to introduce our very own and unique version of a Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)...we are the Roxborough Parent Teacher Involvement Committee (PTIC), the National Parent Group of the Year for 2015! We pride ourselves on being People To Inspire Children. Living in such a small community we don't have all the local hot spots for gathering and sharing news such as a chamber of commerce, city council or even a local newspaper. So it is up to the PTIC, and local parents spreading the word to get other parents and residents involved. We make sure they are informed and united in making a difference for our schools.

Our school: Roxborough Primary & Intermediate is no exception to the financial crisis facing schools across the country. Over the past four years, a series of budget cuts to education on a national, state, and local level has had a negative impact on education quality nationwide. Fortunately in Roxborough, because of our organization's fundraising success, not only has our school maintained several resources and programs, we have EXPANDED them! We also assist in the funding of curriculum, teacher training, staff grants and supplies. In addition, our fundraising dollars have provided Smart Boards in every classroom K-6, iPads, Chromebooks, recess equipment, leveled reading books, and an outdoor classroom. The efforts of the PTIC have also been able to save important educational assistant positions from being cut. A reflection of our organization funding curriculum, programs and consumables allows the school to spend 98% of their budget on staff. While other schools in our district are cutting music, art, technology, and PE, we have been able to keep all of these programs, as well as add engineering and Spanish to our specials rotation for K-6 students.

Our organization cares deeply about the school and Roxborough community, and if you take a look around you will see it shows. Just ask our 900+ students and their families who experience the efforts and results of our organization on a daily basis. We are an organization that diligently drives to help close the gap in funding, continually makes our children's school a better place, and their education a top priority. We need your help to continue to rise above, and lessen the financial burden to educate our next generation. With 90+ parents directly involved with the Roxborough PTIC, we have shown that our children's education is a priority.

We ask that you please help us maintain the standard we have set for ourselves; by donating to our community auction fundraiser. Our goal as an organization is to raise \$125,000 for the next school year. The Community Auction has in the past raised \$66,000 toward the overall goal, and we hope to make a bigger impact this year. With your help, we know we can make this happen!

Proud to Be PTIC,

Sarah Craner, Jennifer Barron, Alan McAlexander, April Smith
PTIC Auction Committee Chairs



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