

Dear Hauser Families,

Welcome to the 2022-23 school year at Hauser Jr High! As a PTO, we strive to establish a partnership between parents, guardians, educators, and children to enhance our students' success. Children learn more and have better lives when everyone in the school community collaborates. This year, we find ourselves in a unique position. We get to return to "normal," in person activities. The COVID years created a great deal of change leaving us in a position to create fun, new activities to benefit all our students.

In the past, we have had the Scholastic Book Fair, Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week, Ice Cream Truck Social, Family Dinner, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Party, Spring Food Drive and Awards Ceremony Treats. This isn't enough! We feel our students deserve more. We need your ideas to establish exciting new traditions. Please come to the PTO meetings to share your thoughts. Our first meeting is Thursday, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:00 pm. You can also email your ideas to the PTO at [HauserPTO@gmail.com](mailto:HauserPTO@gmail.com).

We will also need volunteers to organize and make these ideas a reality. Please see our volunteer survey and sign up for those activities you may be interested in helping with.



<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090A4CA4AC29A5FE3-hauser1>

Lastly, we need your help in funding the PTO, without which, none of these activities can take place. We have already added several new fundraisers this year focusing on the FUN! Please consider participating in these activities and/or making a direct donation to the 100% fund. I've included our fundraising calendar of events. Please make note of the events that work for you.

We will have more details about all activities and events throughout the year. Make sure you sign up to receive PTO emails at [HauserPTO.org](http://HauserPTO.org) and follow our Hauser PTO Facebook page so you don't miss out.

We want to make this the best year ever and we need you to help achieve this goal. Can we count on you to help make that happen?

Best Regards,

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## Fundraising Calendar of Events



<https://hauserspiritwear22.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

9/11 Spirit Wear Sale ends

9/27 & 28 Chefs Night Off Dinner at Lavergne's in Berwyn

10/7 Boon Supply Fundraiser starts

10/18 Chefs Night Off Dinner at Chipotle in Berwyn

10/20 Adult Social Bingo at the Village Pub in North Riverside

10/28 Boon Supply Fundraiser ends

11/1 Anfora Wine Merchants Wine Club ordering starts

11/8 Bake Sale at the Riverside Village Hall

11/8 Chefs Night Off Dinner at Lou Malnati's – Broadview, Oak Brook, or Oak Park

12/4 Wine Club ordering ends

12/10 Robotics Competition Concessions

12/13 Chefs Night Off Dinner – Restaurant TBD

12/16 First Wine Club pick up at Sip & Sweets Café

1/24 Chefs Night Off Dinner – Restaurant TBD

2/9 Family Pasta Dinner and Scholastic Book Fair

2/21 Chefs Night Off Dinner – Restaurant TBD

3/14 Chefs Night Off Dinner – Restaurant TBD

3/20 Plant Sale starts

4/12 Plant Sale ends

4/18 Chefs Night Off Dinner – Restaurant TBD

April Adults' Night Out – details TBD

5/23 Chefs Night Off Dinner – Restaurant TBD

**And don't forget, at any time you can contribute to the [Hauser 100% Fund](#). All contributions are tax-deductible and will directly support the Hauser 2022-23 PTO sponsored activities. With a contribution of \$100 or more, your family will receive a Proud Hauser family yard sign!**

