



Cornelius Elementary PTO

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Cougar Families, you truly made the **2024 Cookie Walk** a sweet success! Your generosity and love for our teachers and staff were overwhelming. A big thank you to everyone who participated, and an extra special shoutout to Sophia Boxwald for leading the way and making this event unforgettable. The Cornelius Elementary PTO Executive Board is so grateful for your continued support!

Get ready to dance, sing, flip, or perform! **The 11th Annual Cornelius Celebrates the Arts** is just around the corner. This exciting event will feature an Art Expo, showcasing a unique piece of artwork from each student, our popular Book Fair (stop by and shop!), and a Talent Show (where you can enjoy performances by our talented Cougars!).

Talent show sign-ups will be on a first-come, first-served basis, so be sure to stay tuned for more details soon!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! The Cornelius PTO is calling on you to make this an unforgettable year for our students. We are in **urgent need** of committee chairs for some of our favorite annual events; the Daughter and Son Events (a single committee will coordinate both events), and the End-of-Year 5th Grade Party. These events are vital to our school community but they will not happen without parent volunteers to lead the way. **Without your support these traditions will not take place.** Have questions? Reach out to us: Admin@CorneliusPTO.org

The Cornelius Elementary PTO believes in the power of books to open minds! We are excited to sponsor a **Little Free Library** for Cornelius Elementary students. This spring, feel free to take a book or leave one for others to enjoy!

The Cornelius Elementary PTO Board is excited to announce that we will be **funding our second phase of half-day substitute coverage** for the upcoming mid-year data meetings. During these sessions, teachers and MCLs review and analyze data to set goals for instruction, assess student progress, and improve learning outcomes for all students at CES. The scheduled dates for these meetings are February 10th, 11th, and 12th. We're happy to support our teachers in this important work!

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