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RECORD KALAHARI KROWD

Lodi's Night at the Kalahari was Thursday, February 9, with a record number of over 500 people participating! We hope you all enjoyed this night of splish-splashing fun.

NOMINATE FOR ABCD AWARD

Do you know a deserving adult who deserves recognition for the extra effort they give in our schools? Stop in any school office to nominate someone for the 2017 Above and Beyond the Call of Duty (ABCD) Award. The nominee can be a volunteer, staff member or friend of our schools. Deadline for nominations is **Friday, March 3**. This award will be presented in conjunction with the PEACE awards on April 10.

PTO HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

The PTO will be awarding a scholarship to one outstanding high school student who exemplifies good stewardship through exceptional community service. Applications for this scholarship are currently being taken in the high school office and are due by March 31. The scholarship will be awarded on Senior Night in May. Please contact the high school guidance office for more information.

Mark your calendars for these UPCOMING EVENTS:

School Board Forums March 1 — The PTO, in conjunction with the Optimists' Club and LEA, is hosting two forums to meet the candidates for the school board election in April. The forums will be held on Wednesday, March 1, at noon at the high school and at 7pm at the District Office. Free childcare will be available for the evening forum. Please attend this important event to learn about the candidates and make an informed decision this year.

PEACE Awards April 10 - The Peace, Enthusiasm, Attitude, Caring and Effort (PEACE) Awards will be presented with the ABCD Award in a special program on April 10. This award is given to two deserving students in each classroom of grades 3-5 who demonstrate the qualities the award represents. Please come out and recognize the winners in April.



JOIN US MARCH 6 & APRIL 3

PTO meetings are held on the first Monday of the month at 7 p.m. in the elementary school Library Media Center. Among many things, we will be looking towards new PTO officer elections in May, so please join us if you are interested in working with us. We look forward to hearing from you!

Children are welcome to read or do homework with us during the meeting.

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