

News From Thoreau PTO

Calendar

PTO General Meetings: Are you interested in volunteering or becoming an active participant in the PTO? Come to our meeting, **Tuesday January 8th** Thoreau Library 6:30-8 pm- Tomorrow! Topics include: Advanced Learners and creating community at Thoreau.

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer for January Healthy Snack: This Wednesday, Jan 9, is our healthy snack this month. We will be preparing rainbow carrots from Elderberry Hill Farm, a vendor at the Monroe St. Farmers Market. Parent volunteers will meet at Westminster Presbyterian Church after 9:00 am to pack the carrots. [CLICK HERE](#) if you are interested in volunteering. If you have any questions please contact Larry Dooley (danger_dooley@hotmail.com or 608-576-2221).

2018/2019 Yearbooks: Designing and assembling the yearbook requires contributions from Thoreau students, staff and families. The most beneficial way to contribute is to provide photos for use in the yearbook. If you have photos of Thoreau students and staff from school or any school sponsored events or activities, please share them with Alexa Wautier. You can share photos by text (608-320-6929), email (anpaliwal@hotmail.com) or some sort of file sharing service like drop box or google drive. If you happen to have an iPhone and can track Alexa down, you can even AirDrop photos to her at any time. Thanks!

Fundraiser

Grocery Card Sale: Thank you for your grocery card orders in for the holiday season. There are still grocery cards left so please consider placing an order in the new year. Each grocery card order from The Willy

St. Coop or Woodman's helps the Thoreau PTO. Paper order forms are available in the school office or you can print out order forms in [Arabic](#), [English](#) or [Spanish](#).

District News

Once again AAA of Wisconsin, the Madison Police Department and many other public safety and education departments in Wisconsin are declaring January 14-18, 2019 as "SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD RECOGNITION WEEK." This would be a wonderful opportunity for students, parents and teachers to recognize the fine work of the adult and student crossing guards that serve your school. The adult crossing guards that serve your school are:

Crossing:	Guard:	M-F AM	Mon.
PM. T-F PM			
3800 BLK NAKOMA RD 2:40 3:00-4:00	MANION, ROBERT	7:45-8:45	1:40-
SEMINOLE / NAKOMA RD 2:40 2:40-3:55	DOWLING, KAREN	7:05-8:35	1:40-
MONROE ST/GLENWAY 2:40 3:00-4:00	RINGQUIST, JR., BOB	7:35-8:35	2:00-
MONR/ODANA/NAKOMA 2:30 3:20-4:00	ANDERSON, TATIANA	8:00-8:35	1:55-

Let's Get Connected!

Still not connected to the Thoreau PTO at PTOOffice? Go to [PTOOffice](#) to begin. Need help? Find registration instructions [here](#).

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