



Carl R. Streams Elementary School

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

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To whom it may concern:

Streams Elementary School in Upper St. Clair is preparing for our annual fundraising event, called **STRAVAGANZA**. It is scheduled to be held on **Friday, May 13th, 2022**. This carnival-style evening, which is organized by the Streams Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), and hosts approximately 1,500 people who enjoy food, games, and prizes. The biggest attraction of the evening is the Silent Auction Raffle. Prizes are displayed in the school during the week of Stravaganza for the students, teachers, and parents to begin purchasing tickets for this raffle. The prizes continue to be displayed during the evening of the event where the parents, students, and guests make their final entries.

We are counting on businesses like you to help support us and please donate!! **Each contributing donor is clearly advertised on the prizes and greatly appreciated by the Streams' community!** This is a great way to advertise your business and show support to the local and surrounding communities.

The proceeds raised at this event are used each school year to support the many educational programs offered by our PTO for the children at Streams Elementary. Examples of the programming provided are assemblies for the children, hosting guest speakers, paying for field trips, offering special nights for each grade level, and much, much more.

In previous years, the proceeds from our Stravaganza fundraisers have been used to purchase new technology for the classrooms, such as Acti-view cameras and iPads, as well as new Playground Equipment, Artist in Residency Programs and over \$6000 for flexible seating options to improve learning. In addition, the proceeds will go to support the many wonderful programs offered by our PTO for the children at Streams Elementary such as: Grade-level special nights, Family Bingo Night, and Snuggle Up and Read.

Last year, the Adult and Children's Raffle profited over \$8,000 at this event! *A school-wide E-Alert message will be sent out to all the families in the community sharing the list of local businesses that were so generous.*

Can we count on your help to make this year just as successful? We are a non-profit organization; therefore, your charitable donation is tax-deductible. **Our tax identification number is 47-3391994.** Arrangements can be made to pick up your donation or you can send it to the following below. **We are requesting to have all donations by Wednesday, May 4, 2022. You may send them to:**

Streams Elementary School (ATTN: Stravaganza)
1560 Ashlawn Drive
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Please feel free to call me if you have any questions or if you would like to participate with a contribution for this worthwhile cause. Thank you, for your consideration.

Sincerely,
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