# Hammond Middle School PTA Newsletter - 11/1/2024

#### Hello HMS Community -

It may have been 80 degrees outside this week, but we know the cooler weather is coming and with it the holiday season! Check out some great fundraising opportunities available over the next couple of months to get a jumpstart on holiday planning.

#### **Upcoming Events/Fundraisers**

**RESTAURANT NIGHTS -** We've got dinner all figured out!

Join us at an upcoming fundraising night and don't forget to mention Hammond Middle School!

Restaurant	Date/Time
Raising Cane's Chicken Fingers	Tuesday, November 5 <sup>th</sup>
9071 Snowden River Pkwy, Columbia, MD 21046	4:00pm – 9:00pm
Panera Bread	Monday, November 11 <sup>th</sup>
8190 Westside Blvd Fulton, MD 20759	

#### **CHARLESTON HOLIDAY WRAP**

HMS PTA is offering a chance for you to get some great wrapping paper, holiday gifts, kitchen gadgets, and more all while supporting your community. Charleston Wrap donates a generous portion of sales back to the PTA and there are prizes for the top sellers. We also have sales packets available if anyone would prefer paper catalogs, just email Brian Goodwin at <a href="mailto:president@hmspta.org">president@hmspta.org</a>. For more details about this fundraiser and how to order online please check out this flyer: <a href="mailto:OnlineLetter">OnlineLetter</a> (1).pdf

#### **CHESAPEAKE SHAKESPEARE COMPANY RAFFLE**

HMS PTA is holding a raffle for two (2) pairs of tickets to see the Chesapeake Shakespeare Company's 2024 production of A Christmas Carol, opening November 30th. Each ticket is \$15 and can be purchased at: <a href="https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/hammond-middle-school-pta-holiday-raffle-chesapeake-shakespeare-company-tickets">https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/hammond-middle-school-pta-holiday-raffle-chesapeake-shakespeare-company-tickets</a>.

100% of your raffle ticket purchase goes towards our PTA! The drawing will be held November 19th. (Last chance to get a raffle ticket: **Monday, November 18th by 12:00am midnight**). Two winning raffle tickets will be selected. A winning raffle ticket gets 1 pair of tickets to A Christmas Carol. Winner calls the box office to select the date (November 30 - December 23).

## **PTA Meetings**

#### **NEXT PTA GENERAL MEETING:**

Wednesday, November 13 <sup>th</sup>	6:30pm-7:30pm	Virtual Google Meet
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## **Appreciation Spotlight**

We hope the students all have a blast at the fall festival today! This event wouldn't have been possible without all the volunteer support and donations so a big THANK YOU to everyone who contributed. We really appreciate the involvement!

### **How to Reach Us**

Have a question or great idea! Please contact us, we'd love to hear from you.

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