

SHOREWOOD SIGNAL

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President's Message

Today is April 1st and, no joke, "today" is like spring having the sun shining all day—just like yesterday was like winter, watching yet another surprise snowfall.

Tuesday, March 18th was an exciting evening for the last PTSA General Meeting for this school year. Thank you to all who attended.

Thank you to this year's nominating committee, **Diane Kamacho, Doris McConnell** and **Becky Golden**, who announced the slate of 2008-2009 PTSA Executive Officers at this meeting. They are as follows:

Co-President(s): *Judy Crawford and Kristi Cohen*

Treasurer: *Kathy Carrow*

Secretary: *Linda Delgado*

VP Public Affairs: *Patty Holmquist*

VP Student Affairs: *Rene Streeter-Dybdahl*

VP Communications/Correspondence: *Becky Golden*

Another exciting portion of this evening was the announcement of the Golden Acorn, Outstanding Educator and Outstanding Advocate Awards. Thank you **Kim Schmidt** and your committee, **Patty Holmquist** and **Sherri Ryan**, for the decorations, flowers, food and all the work it took to put this evening together.

Bill Dunbar announced our first award for **Outstanding Advocate**. This award was given to the **John and Karen Clark family**. They have given outstanding service to our community and our youth for many years.

Next was the announcement of **Golden Acorn Awards**. With thanks and appreciation, we honored **Judy Crawford** and **Kathy Kriner** who have each contributed years of volunteer service to our schools and community.

Our last award was for **Outstanding Educator**. This award was presented to a teacher who received 15 nominations and who has shown dedicated service to our school and its students. This award was given to **Tammy Ceesay**. *Thank you!!*

Enjoy Spring!

Patty Schoch and Lori Woodfield
Shorewood PTSA Co-Presidents

Calendar of Events



Apr. 1-4	No School—Spring Break
Apr. 15	PTSA Meeting—7:00 PM, SW Library
Apr. 15-18	WASL Testing
Apr. 23	Junior Night, 7-8:30 PM, SW Library
Apr. 24	History Fair, 6:00-8:00 PM, SW SAC

2007-2008 PTSA Meeting Schedule

Meetings are held in the Shorewood Library and start at 7:00 PM. All are welcome to come!



April 15

May 20

Shorewood PTSA Executive Committee 2007-2008

Co-Presidents:

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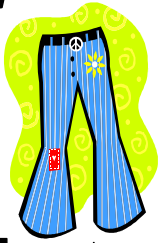
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Newsletter Article Deadline: Newsletter articles for the Shorewood PTSA "Signal" newsletter can be submitted to Janet Backman at SignalNewsletter@shorewoodptsa.org. The deadline for the May 2008 newsletter is April 15, 2008.

Stayin' Alive



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Senior Spree 2008

June 14, 2008 is Graduation Day for our seniors! This is a special day they will remember for their entire lives. To make this day even more special, there is an all night event planned for the graduates. They will be fed and entertained in a safe, drug free environment from 9:00 PM to 5:30 AM!

Tickets will be on sale in the SAC during lunch on April 10, 11, 24 and 25. This could make a wonderful Birthday or Graduation gift for your senior. The cost will be \$150 per student. We realize this is another cost in the already costly senior year, but for hours of fun, food and knowing your graduate is safe on graduation night, it's worth it! There will be payment plans available for those who would prefer spreading out the cost. If you would like to volunteer any of your qualities in preparing or participating in a night of fun, please call any of the spree co-chairs. This is a fun and special time for all of us!

Marty Hartman (206) 383-6262

Vicki Gruger (206) 355-7026

**We are currently looking for a Chair for Spree 2009. If you are interested or want more information, please contact us.

Golden Acorn, Outstanding Educator, and Outstanding Advocate Awards

Each year the Shorewood PTSA presents a Golden Acorn Award to a person who has given exemplary volunteer service to the Shorewood community. We also present an Outstanding Educator Award to recognize an individual who has provided educational opportunities for children beyond the normal scope of their job. These individuals receive an award and a contribution is made in their name to the Washington State PTA Scholarship Foundation. This years award recipients are:

Golden Acorn Award: *Judy Crawford and Kathy Kriner*

Outstanding Educator Award: *Tammy Ceesay*

This year we also presented an **Outstanding Advocate Award** to the *John and Karen Clark family*.

Congratulations to all our award recipients, and thank you for all you do for our school and community. We appreciate you!

EQC (Enrichment for Quality Classrooms) News

If you missed the Booster auction, there is still space available for the "**Ladies Only Flip Flop Lemon Drop Party.**" This event is a great way to enjoy a night out with the girls and support Shorewood's EQC and Boosters!

The party will be held **Friday, May 16th, 2008** at the beautiful Innis Arden home of Kimber Bang. Lemon Drops, wine, and fine hors'd'oeuvres will be served. Flip flops will be available for decorating and door prizes will be awarded. Cost is \$50.00. Don't miss out—call Diane McIntyre at 206-542-9638 to reserve your spot!

Thank You!

Thank you **Patty Holmquist, Sherri Ryan and Savannah Schmidt** for all your help with the Golden Acorn Awards, and to **Diana Dillard and the Culinary Arts department** for providing wonderful treats for the event.

Kim Schmidt