

PTA News:

Lego Night!

Come and join us February 15th at 6:00 pm in the RAE cafeteria. It will be a Ninjago theme and the kids can build their own Dojo. We supply the LEGO, you supply the ideas! Building starts at 6pm and then presentation of the creations starts at 6:45pm. Please note this is a family night so your child must be accompanied by an adult for the entire time. We look forward to seeing some amazing creations!

Last chance for the yearbook!

It's a Valentine Special! This will be your last chance to order a yearbook! If you haven't done so, follow the link below to obtain an order form. Deadline is **Feb. 16th**! <http://www.raepta.org/forms/yearbook-valentine-special.pdf>

Milk 4 Many Program

Did you know that everyday our RAE students throw away numerous unopened milk, juice, crackers, etc. in our lunchroom? The Milk 4 Many Program allows students to donate their unopened food items. Donations are collected daily for a nonprofit organization. Of course, we want our kids to eat their lunch and drink their milk! But if they don't, they now have the option to donate to someone in need. Brought to you by the RAE Green Team! raegreenteam@gmail.com

Interested in becoming a member of the RAE PTA Board?

Just fill out the interest form from the RAE PTA website (<http://www.raepta.org/forms/NominationandCommitteeInterestForm.pdf>) into the box in the workroom no later than **March 2, 2012**. Forms will be also available at the front desk. The 2011/2012 Nominating Committee is Kari Sezonov, Chair, Kristin Harper, Andrea Berry, Catherine Ladd, Ashley Vann and alternates Tammy Fruge and Diane Sanchez. If you have any questions, please call Kari Sezonov at 713-253-3683.

Volunteer of the Year

The time of year is here where you can nominate an individual who you feel has gone above and beyond and deserves to be Volunteer of the Year! Let your voice be heard! Contact Ashley Vann with any questions at 4thvpvips@raepta.org
<http://www.raepta.org/forms/VolunteeroftheYearNominationForm.pdf>

RAE Pen Pal program for 4th and 5th grade is currently in progress! Students from these grades have been practicing their letter writing skills. They are corresponding with other students from Turkey, Russia, Ukraine, Sweden, Spain, Thailand, Malaysia, United Kingdom, Ireland, and Germany. Way to go 4th and 5th graders!

RAE International Festival 2012: Traditions, Celebrations, Festivals, and Toys

The date is set for April 9th. Email: Maddie Oglesby at internationaliaison@raepta.org for exciting volunteer opportunities!

