



Patton PTA Summary Year in Review



What a great year this has been. Our kids have worked hard, met a lot of new friends, and are eager for a summer break. We wanted to give you a quick summary of what the Patton PTA has done this **2010-2011** school year...

We have had tremendous support this year and would like to thank all the Volunteers for their time!

Due to your wonderful support and our great Parent Volunteers, we brought in the following numbers...

Love Your School	\$3,850.00
Carnival	\$14,520.50
Box Tops	\$4,273.07
Donations	\$3,978.00
Track & Field	\$3,108.45
Total	\$29,730.02

Where did that money go?

Teacher Out of Pocket Reimbursement	\$3,841.35
Arts Day and Other School Performances Patton's Day of Multicultural Arts	\$2,500.00
Teacher Continuing Education Scholarships	\$525.00
High School Student Scholarships	\$2,000.00
Hospitality for Teachers	\$2,418.13
Teacher Requests <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 LCD Projectors, Document Camera's, Speakers, Carts • 5 Piano's • Bluebonnet Award Books • PA System • Usborne Science Encyclopedias • Science and History Materials • Art Books and DVD's • Plus Much Much More 	\$15,000.00
Tutoring	\$4,100
School Copier/Supply Reimbursement	\$2,500.00
Total	\$32,884.48



The Patton PTA saw over **\$84,000.00** go through our books during this 2010-2011 school year. Much of that money came in and went out through the services we provide to Patton Elementary Students, Teachers and Parents. See the detailed list below...

Parents. See the detailed list below...

A great place for Patton information is...

www.pattonpta.org

Some of the other services the PTA has provided (and financed) at Patton this school year are...

Coordinated Volunteers	Patton PTA is the bridge that connects the Parents to the School.
School T-shirts	Provided the design contest and purchased the school T-Shirts to promote school spirit and pride at Patton
Room Parent Support	Organized parent volunteers to support teachers in the classroom
Workshop	Organized parent volunteers to do coping, binding, laminating – anything a teacher may need so they can spend more time with students and less time preparing for class.
Directory	Put together a directory so classmates can communicate outside of school, we experimented with an electronic directory this year.
Principle Fundraiser	We helped Mr. Stevens raise around \$24,000 to go towards the Technology Position through the Catalog and Cookie Dough fundraiser.
Yearbook	Organized, designed and selling of the yearbook
Hospitality to teachers and staff	Sponsored and coordinated appreciation luncheons for teachers and staff throughout the year
Library	Keeping our readers in books – Volunteers stack books, read to the kids and help them check out
School Supply Packets	NAME BRAND pre-organized School packs to save Parents time over the summer
Read Naturally	Reading program done during the school day that builds a child's reading fluency
Enrichment Clubs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Destination Imagination 	After school clubs that enhance and enrich the kids experiences. Our DI Team took 4 th at State this year. THANK YOU to the PARENT VOLUNTEERS that make this club happen
Landscaping	All landscaping besides mowing is done by PTA Parent Volunteers. This year our landscaping team created a butterfly garden in the back playground and a vegetable Garden for the kids to enjoy.
Communication <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PPC • Website • Marquee 	Communication between the school and parents is essential for the good of our kids education. The PTA created the Patton Parent Connection (PPC) this year to reduce the amount of paper that goes home while increasing the communication with a weekly reminder e-mail. If you are not part of the PPC, join at www.pattonpta.ning.com .
Technology/PTI	Under the umbrella of PTA is a separate group called PTI that handles fundraising for the Technology Position at Patton as well as does all the recording of the kids school performances and has a group of dads that come in on Fridays for Computer Support.
Welcome Committee	We have organized a welcome committee to help bring in the new kinder kids and Scenic Brook friends, with multiple play-dates and get together throughout the year.
CARNIVAL	Pulled off an amazing and FUN Family day that provided much of the money we used this year.
Box Tops/Consumer Rebates	Organized contests, Cut and Mailed in Thousands of Box Tops, Organized Family Restaurant Nights that supported Patton and the surrounding community.