



## St. Linus School

"It's a great day to be a Hawk !!"  
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Feb 3, 2017

Dear Parents,

It's that time of year to start planning our annual Kentucky Derby Party and we need your help. Our kickoff meeting will be held on Thursday, February 9, 2017 in the Cardiff Center from 7:00 – 8:00 PM. We will give a brief overview of what we have planned and are looking for volunteers to help coordinate this wonderful event. Volunteers are not only needed on the day of the event but also during the planning stages.

Last year, this event raised over \$23,000 which helped to give us a strong foundation for our Fine Arts program. As you know, our students now have Music, Art, Spanish, and Drama (grades 5-8) but as mentioned, this is only the foundation. We want our students to continue to enjoy and flourish in Fine Arts and we are raising the bar even higher this year to help expand our program.

Much of our success with this event comes directly from the efforts of the volunteers. Some of you solicited sponsors or collected donations, some came to help decorate, others helped manage the games and raffles or classroom projects, and others helped with planning and coordinating. As you can see, it takes a village and we all have different strengths that we can contribute to make this such a fun and memorable event.

Please join us in making this a success! If you would like to volunteer, but cannot make the kickoff meeting on Thursday, Feb 9, please complete the form below and return it back to the office with your child. Thank you all for your support. **Save the Date- Derby May 6<sup>th</sup>!**

Thank you,

The Derby Committee

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### Kentucky Derby Volunteer

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name/Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_