Once again, the PTO was excited about something new this year! It has been a long tradition that a Fun Day is hosted at the end of the school year. In years past this day has been modeled as a field & track day, but not this year! This year Fun Day had a Luau theme and our Co-Chairs, Kris Carlile and Julie Loftis did a great job!

The weather did not cooperate, but many of the activities were able to be moved into the gym. Despite the weather all the students had a great time.

**Fun Day was Wednesday, May 25**

We need a lot of help with events. We need persons who can assist in preparing games and activities for both the Fall Festival and Fun day. If you would like to help with Art Outreach (no experience needed), please call the school. The students all love it.

Help is also needed to help decorate for the Holiday Program. This is a great way to get to “preview” the program before that night.

**Student Directories**

Once again the PTO will be preparing student directories. With more people having cell phones only, it is often difficult to get addresses/phone numbers for other students.

Look for a form to come home in your child’s First Day Folder. Fill it out completely, sign (need both signatures), and return by August 31. They will be for sale at the Open House in September for $3.

**School Year Transition**

Last year was a lot of fun and we thank all the parents who have helped make our activities a success. With your help we hosted a Fall Festival and Minute to Win It, provided Art Outreach, Movies with Mom, Breakfast with Books and coming soon Fun Day! But can you believe it is time to start thinking about the next school year already?

Plans are underway for the next school year. If you have any suggestions, please contact one of the officers.

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**MEETINGS**

**Virden Elementary**

PTO meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. If you need to bring your child, no problem. The gym is open for basketball and running games.

All parents of Pre-K through 5th grade students are invited. Your input into activities at the school is greatly appreciated.

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