



Dear Victory Parents,

The Victory Elementary PTO is busy planning our ninth annual **Bag-sket Bingo Adult Social and FUNdraiser**, which will be held on Friday, March 20th at Victory Elementary School. The past eight events have been well-received, widely praised social and fundraising events for Victory parents and community members. This year all proceeds will go towards purchasing new supplies and equipment for classrooms - including new carpets and iPads! We want this year to be the best yet - but we can't do that without you!

For those not familiar with how our Bag-sket Bingo works, here's a brief summary: the PTO Bag-sket Bingo committee solicits sponsorship dollars from local businesses and individuals to pay for Thirty-One gifts totes, which will be filled with donations from each class in the school. Each class has selected a theme for its bag, and class families are asked to contribute theme-related items to fill the bags, which will then be used as prizes for the bingo event. A \$30 admission fee will include 20 bingo games, a door prize ticket and an opportunity to purchase valuable raffle tickets also. **Our goal is to have all bags paid for through sponsorship and donations, leaving the entire admission fee and raffle ticket proceeds to go directly to the PTO, to purchase new carpets and iPads!** Your support will greatly enhance our efforts.

How can you help? Below you will find your child's classroom theme and some ideas! These are just suggestions, we encourage you to come up with your own as well!

Teacher:

Theme:

Suggestions:

Theme-related contributions can be in the form of purchased items, gift certificates/gift cards or cash. The Bag-sket Bingo Committee will use any money collected to buy additional theme items for your class basket. If you wish to contribute an item to your class basket, please send the item with your child to their classroom by **Friday, February 20th**. A donation bag will be placed in the classroom for this special collection, and a (Bag)sket Bingo Committee Member will pick the items up. Please send any monetary contributions in an envelope identifying the teacher's name, and addressed to "VESPTO - Bag-sket Bingo"

Look for your ticket order to come home in Wednesday folders, gather your friends and be ready for a fun night!

Want to know more?

- ★ If you have any questions regarding basket theme donations please feel free to contact Kathy Peacock at basketbingo@vespto.com
- ★ Sponsorships are still available! Sponsorships range from \$50 - \$500. If your family, business or neighborhood group is interested in sponsoring a bag or door prize for the event, please contact Kathy Peacock at basketbingo@vestpto.com
- ★ Interested in volunteering for the event? We could use your help! Contact Alison Johanson at volunteer@vespto.com.

***Thank you in advance for your contribution.
The generosity of our Victory families key to the success of this event!***

