

Brooks Parent Teacher Organization

2012-13 schedule

December 11-14: Winter Book Fair – display cases and tables set up in media center. Staffed by 4-5 parents throughout the day.

January 31: Staff appreciation dinner -- Catered food in teacher's lounge, staffed by 3-4 parents throughout the afternoon.

March 22: Springfield trip – approximately 160 students in 4 buses and 1 chaperone for every 10 kids. Parents sign medical release form; travel company provides insurance.

May 13-17: Spring Book Fair – same as Winter Fair.

May 22: Staff appreciation dinner -- Same as January event.

May 24: Spring dance --- Evening in the cafeteria. Hundreds of 8th grade students and approximately 16 parent chaperones.

2013-14 schedule

Late August: Cookout – Evening outside and in cafeteria. Approximately 400 kids and parents eat food prepared and served by 20 volunteers.

Mid October: Washington DC trip – Approximately 50 students fly to the capital and tour it, staying two nights. Insurance provided by travel company.

Mid-October: Fun Run – Approximately 200 students run from one middle school to the other. Parents staff intersections as well as start and finish lines.

Repeat schedule at top for remainder of year.