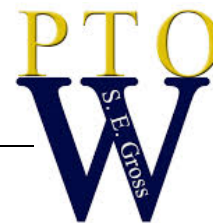


S.E. Gross School PTO

Parent Teacher Organization
3524 Maple Avenue
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708-485-0600 ▪ www.segrosspto.org



Dear SE Gross Middle School Parents,

The S.E. Gross PTO is thrilled to welcome you and let you know about the volunteer opportunities at S.E. Gross Middle School. We have begun to plan for the school year by filling our committee chairperson/volunteer positions. On the attached sheet you will find a listing of the committees and events that the PTO sponsors. Please take a few minutes to read over the various opportunities. If you are interested in any of the committees, please contact me: segrossptopres2@gmail.com

WHO IS THE SEG PTO?

The SEG PTO is an organization of parent and teacher volunteers that support the school and enhance each and every child's education in and out of the classroom. Part of what makes SEG a great place to learn is widespread support and engagement from our very active parent community.

WHAT DOES THE PTO DO?

Throughout the year, the PTO supports school initiatives, activities and hosts events.

HOW DOES THE PTO COMMUNICATE WITH YOU:

- Sending Information out with Mr. Evans Friday News letters
- Posting to SEG PTO Facebook Pages and Grade level Facebook pages
- PTO Meetings: (Below is the 2019-2020 schedule) All meetings are at SE Gross and begin at 630PM
 - **September 15, 2021**
 - **October 2021: NO MEETING**
 - **November 17, 2021**
 - **December 2021: NO MEETING**
 - **January 19, 2022**
 - **February 2022: NO MEETING**
 - **March 2022: NO MEETING**
 - **April 20, 2022**
 - **May 18, 2022**

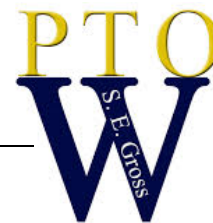
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HOW CAN YOU SUPPORT THE SEG PTO?

The PTO supports initiatives, activities and events that reach every SEG student and parent. SEG PTO volunteers maintain our PTO website (<http://www.segrosspto.org/>); host teacher appreciation events, host student activities such as The Halloween dance and Flying high, fund the fine arts scholarships, and fund teacher wish list items to enhance students educational experience.

- **BECOME A PTO MEMBER:** We have multiple membership levels to fit any budget. This can be done on School Bucks Website (<http://www.myschoolbucks.com>) or by traditional pen and paper application.
- **SUPPORT PTO ACTIVITIES:** The PTO depends on your support to fund our school initiatives. This includes Business Benefit Restaurant Nights out and “Test Survival Kit” during standardized testing.
- **VOLUNTEER:** Just as important the PTO and the school needs and welcomes your volunteer spirit! Please attend PTO meetings consider volunteering at an event or get involved in your own way- There are many jobs to fill and we need your help!
 - **Dances:** Signup Geniuses are sent out prior to the events via school Friday newsletters and posted to Facebook pages.
 - **Donations:** The PTO occasionally requests small cash or food donations. These donations support activities such as teach appreciation lunches, 8th Grade graduation reception, and 8th grade Great America Breakfast.
 - **Fund Raising Events: (Trivia Night)** Signup Geniuses are sent out prior to the events via school Friday newsletters and posted to Facebook pages
 - **Committees:** Please consider joining a committee. They are forming now (a few still need chairs)
 - **Test Survival Kits (Spring)**
 - **District Wide showcase event**
 - **Book Fair (February)**
 - **Trivia Night (March)**
 - **Teacher Appreciation Week (May)**
 - **8th Grade Great America Breakfast (for your later years at SEG)**
 - **8TH Grade Dinner Dance (for your later years at SE Gross)**
 - **8th Grade Graduation Reception (traditionally hosted by 6th/7th grade parents)**

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On behalf of the entire 2021-2022 SEG PTO exec board, I want to welcome you to SEG. WE ARE SO EXCITED TO HAVE YOU BECOME PART OF OUR SEG FAMILY. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact any of the current board members.

We look forward to meeting and working with you.

Thank you,

Vanessa Feuerstein & Phyllis Kastle

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