

Rosa International PTA

Welcomes you to an exciting new school year!

Most of you became familiar with PTA during your children's elementary school years. And many of you helped as room parents, field day volunteers, etc. The good news is that if you enjoyed those opportunities before, they are still available at the middle school level. In fact, the Rosa PTA needs you more than ever! There are more students and activities during middle school and we need ongoing parental support to accomplish many goals. Rosa prides itself on being a school with enormous school spirit and a sense of community. The Rosa PTA is an integral part of this experience. Sure, fundraising is a goal of our PTA, but always with the mission that the money raised is used to support our students' academic and social development. We routinely fund author visits, educational assemblies, and programs in character education. In addition, we help offset costs for Field Day, the 8th grade dance, and other social events.

Another goal of the Rosa PTA is to facilitate communication between the school and families. We do this by: publishing a quarterly newsletter, sending email notices to our yahoo groups, and maintaining the Rosa PTA website. We publish a school directory which is helpful when your child needs to call a classmate about forgotten homework or when planning a birthday party!

We've compiled the information in this handbook so that you have a handy reference available. Although you are asked by the school to complete many forms, please take the time to complete our PTA forms. We cannot keep you informed if we do not have your contact information.

Please join our PTA; both your financial contribution and the donation of your time are critical to having a successful academic year. Please feel free to contact any member of our executive board (listed in this handbook) through phone calls or emails. We are all here to assist and make your transition to middle school as easy as possible.

With much appreciation,

Lisa J. Farkas

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Rosa PTA Membership Form

YES - I will support my Rosa students and community by joining the Rosa PTA. Please keep us informed about school activities and the PTA, by adding our names to the email notification list.

Member Name _____ Phone # _____ [] \$7
Member Email address _____

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Child Name _____ Grade _____ Advisor _____
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Have your Rosa student return this form in an envelope marked "PTA Membership" with your check payable to Rosa PTA to the PTA Mailbox in the Main Office.
Direct questions to Membership Chair Regina Wilmes at 856-216-2223 wilsos@verizon.net
Please return this form by 9-30-09