

# Join the EDMES PTA!

## The PTA helps make East Derry Memorial Elementary School (EDMES) a better school in two ways:

1. **We raise money** by holding fundraisers like the Calendar Raffle and the monthly School Store. Money that goes toward classroom materials, class field trips, various in school presentations like the inflatable planetarium, the BMX show and more! Basically, we work with the EDMES staff to make sure the kids have the resources and materials they need to foster a love of learning.
2. **We encourage community** by hosting low or no cost family events like our Hollywood Nights dance, paint nights, movies nights, game nights and other social events. These events are planned and staffed by PTA and school volunteers. The activities give our students a chance to have fun and make great memories with their friends *and* families.

Membership gives you the opportunity to vote at meetings on events, budgeting, and board members. **Everyone is welcome** at the monthly PTA meetings: moms, dads, grandparents, etc. You do not need to be a paying member to attend meetings, just to vote at them. Meetings provide a great opportunity to hear in advance about what's going on at the school, meet some of the teachers, get face time with Mr. Fox, and have a voice in upcoming events. Meetings are typically the first Monday of every month at 6:30pm in the school Library.

Members and non-members are invited (and encouraged) to volunteer – even if you only have 30 minutes to spare. All volunteers must complete the Derry School District Fingerprinting process and trainings; to start the process, please contact the SAU office at (603) 432-1210. It takes a village to create a community and the more of us who help, the more we can do for the EDMES teachers, students and families!



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Questions? Contact us at [info@edmespta.com](mailto:info@edmespta.com)



Individual Membership \$10, Dual Membership \$18

Checks should be made payable to the *EDMES PTA*; Cash also accepted

Please return payment and the information below to school.

Payment type:  Cash  Check

Member Info #1		Member Info #2 (Dual Membership)	
First & Last Name		First & Last Name	
Phone Number		Phone Number	
Email		Email	
Children's Grade(s)	K 1 2 3 4 5 / Staff	Teacher Name(s)	

Have you completed the Derry School District Fingerprinting process and trainings: YES NO (circle one)

\* All school volunteers (in school parties/activities, Field trips, Field Day, PTA activities, etc...) must complete the Derry School District Fingerprinting process and trainings.