

John Pearl PTA

Back to School

2022-2023 Packet

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

PTA Fall Newsletter

Membership Form - Join Today!

Committee Volunteer Information

Remind, Facebook and Website Information

PTA

2022-

2023

Join the PTA TODAY!

<https://johnpearl.memberhub.com/store>

PTA Official Website:

<https://johnpearlpta.weebly.com/>

Fall 2022

PTA NEWSLETTER

UPCOMING EVENTS

9/14 - PTA MEETING 7 PM
9/16 - MISS CHOCOLATE
FUNDRAISER
9/20 - BACK TO SCHOOL
9/26-27 - NO SCHOOL
(ROSH HASHANAH)
10/5 - NO SCHOOL
(YOM KIPPUR)
10/11 - NO SCHOOL
(COLUMBUS DAY)
10/17 - FALL PICTURE DAY
10/19 - PTA MEETING 7 PM
11/8 - NO SCHOOL
(ELECTION DAY)
11/9 - EVENING PARENT/
TEACHER CONFERENCE
11/11 - NO SCHOOL
(VETERANS DAY)
11/16 - PTA MEETING 7PM
11/24- 25 SCHOOL CLOSED
(THANKSGIVING)



WELCOME BACK PEARL!



Welcome back John Pearl! There is so much information to share with the Pearl Community. We hope this newsletter is helpful. Included in the fall newsletter package is info on membership, volunteer opportunities and ways to support our school. **Your annual membership provides support in allowing cultural art events to occur for the kids. Join for \$10.** We are also seeking volunteers & chairperson to assist with PTA events throughout the year. Complete the google survey to help out. We hope everyone has a great year!

2022-2023 EXECUTIVE BOARD

President: Meg Krueger

Vice President: Jennifer Kuefner

Treasurer: Tara Boller

Secretary: LaShaun Thomas

Secretary: Emily Hackett

Have a question or comment? Email us! JohnPearlPTA2020@gmail.com



Supporting John Pearl is just one click away!

Giftcard Give Backs!

This fundraiser is our own version of a Groupon, many of the items are discounted and your purchase gives the PTA a percentage of the purchase at no additional cost to you. There are a variety of items to shop for including gift cards, educational items and personalized gifts. We'll update Givebacks regularly including brands you know and love, plus some new ones to discover.

<https://johnpearl.memberhub.store/store?category=Sponsors>

It's that simple - CLICK - SAVE - SUPPORT

Use the QR code to start exploring



BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION

The BoxTops program has gone digital. Download the app to your phone, then shop and scan your receipt in the app to earn money for John Pearl. Look in the app for bonus offers too! If you shop online, you can also submit receipts to: BTFE.com/emailgroceryreceipts to receive credit. Supermarkets, Wholesale Clubs, Discount Chains and more!



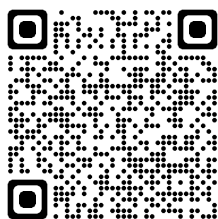
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PRODUCTS



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YOUR
RECEIPT



EARN
CASH FOR
YOUR SCHOOL



Shop at Amazon?

Simply go to smile.amazon.com and choose John Pearl as the charity you want to support and 0.5% of each sale will support us. Our unique charity link is:

smile.amazon.com/ch/11-3017054 or can be found by scanning the QR code to the left.



John Pearl PTA 22-23 Membership Form SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS

Benefits

**100% support,
0% time commitment required**

❖ *Optional:* Join us for 1 hour every month for refreshments and discussions with our administration, info John Pearl parents need.

❖ Opportunities to volunteer at PTA events.

- ❖ Your support provides:
- Cultural Arts Programs
 - Assemblies
 - Events
 - Enrichment
 - Givebacks
 - And So Much More!



Questions regarding membership?
Contact *Laura Stehn*
JohnPearlSchoolPTA@gmail.com

- \$10** I am happy to support the PTA! (Individual support)
- \$18** ...and support the children, the school and our community! (Includes second family member)
- \$_____** I may or may not show up this year but I am happy to support John Pearl PTA as it advocates and provides for our children and our community.
- I am interested in volunteering for PTA events. Feel free to contact me!**

Please print clearly

NAME (\$10) _____

EMAIL _____

PHONE _____

ADD'L FAMILY MEMBER (\$8) _____

EMAIL OR PHONE _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

- Cash
- Check
- Credit Card

- Please make all checks payable to 'JOHN PEARL PTA'
All returned checks will be assessed a fee.
- Your membership is tax deductible
- Return the completed form & payment with your child

Thank You!

YOUR GENEROSITY HELPS US SUPPORT OUR CHILDREN!



SKIP THE FORM & JOIN ONLINE
<https://johnpearl.memberhub.com/store>
PAY BY CREDIT CARD

CALL FOR PTA VOLUNTEERS

The John Pearl PTA is a volunteer organization and in order to continue to provide programs, events and activities for all students we need your help! Whether you have a little or a lot of time to volunteer, you can make a great impact! Please consider becoming a member and volunteering for one or more of our committees.

Your membership and support helps to provide cultural arts assemblies, family nights, books, activities, shirts, sporting events, food, raffles, scholarships, recognitions, appreciations, prizes and more for our children!

Most committees require a very limited time commitment!!!

To learn more about volunteering on a committee, please review the next two pages. To sign up to volunteer, please visit: <https://forms.gle/e9XMTFN2wxAxX9eu7> or scan the QR code to the right.



Join a Committee!

- **Monthly Raffles:** each month the PTA runs a virtual raffle. This committee would help to secure raffle items and publicize how to purchase tickets through Memberhub. (Monthly activity)
- **Membership:** Help recruit new members and coordinate sign ups electronically. (Ongoing throughout the year)
- **Miss Chocolate Fall Fundraiser:** Work with vendor to submit orders and help sort items, as needed, when they are delivered. (One time a year)
- **Scholastic Book Fair:** Volunteers set up the book displays and assist children with selecting their purchases. If run virtually, the volunteer helps to ensure the final order is submitted. (Two-Three Times a Year)
- **Picture Day:** Volunteers help to ensure the day runs smoothly, as students are photographed by a professional photographer. (Two times a Year - Fall and Spring)
- **RIF:** Reading is Fundamental is a program designed to foster the love of reading in children. The PTA provides the children free books for them to select from and read. (Two times a year)
- **Bingo:** Volunteers help to create a fun family night of activities.
- **Holiday Store:** Students have the opportunity to purchase gifts for family members. Volunteers help to set up and assist the children with purchases (One time a year)
- **PARP:** Volunteers help to promote activity by encouraging parents to read with their child 15-minutes per day and develop special activities and displays around the annual theme. (One time a year)
- **Plant Sale:** Volunteers help to set up items and assist children with their purchases if held in person. Virtual plant sale is run electronically and requires minimal oversight. Spring plant sale is in person in early May.
- **Teacher Appreciation:** The committee helps to show appreciation of all the staff in the beginning and end of year. Volunteers help to coordinate the food/appreciation gifts. (Two times a year)

- **Field Day:** Volunteers coordinate with physical education teachers to secure needed supplies and order T-Shirts for students/staff. If allowed, volunteers also coordinate refreshments and food for the event.
- **Cultural Arts Assemblies:** Volunteers use arts in education to invite guest authors, artists and special performers to entertain students and enhance their learning experience. (Monthly activity)
- **PTA Council:** Volunteer attends Council meetings and reports back on discussion items. (Monthly activity)
- **Nomination Committee:** Volunteers work together to find the best qualified candidates to fill positions on the Executive Committee for positions of the Officers. (One time a year)
- **Scholarship Committee:** Former John Pearl students submit essays in their senior year for a financial scholarship. Two graduating high school students are then selected based on meeting the criteria. (One time a year)
- **Apparel:** Volunteers work with vendor to design apparel items to sell to students, staff, community members. (Two times a year)
- **Communications Committee:** Volunteers help to develop communication materials and distribute to members. (Ongoing throughout the year)
- **Reflections Committee:** Organized at the National PTA level, our local volunteers encourage students to submit entries based on the given theme in the arts for the chance to win local, state or national recognition. (One time a year)

NEW THIS YEAR!

- **October Boo-Bash:** This will be a fun "trunk or treat" and Halloween-themed festival.
- **Holiday Gingerbread Cookie and Story Night:** Students will decorate gingerbread cookies and hear favorite holiday stories read aloud.
- **Special Person's Dance:** The event will run in the winter and bring students and their special person to the school for a dance/social event.

PTA Remind

Stay Connected.
Stay Informed.

The John Pearl PTA has created a free REMIND 101 account to keep parents/guardians informed of upcoming events, activities, meetings, fundraisers and much more!



Join today to receive **FREE** messages, reminders and alerts from the PTA about matters connected to our school!

Sign up is easy:

Simply text @johnpearlp

To: 81010



www.facebook.com/groups/JohnPearlPTA/



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