

HMS PTA Newsletter (March 2018)

PTA Help Needed for 2018 – 2019

As you are aware, PTA offers many exciting educational, fitness, and enrichment programs for our students. We need your help to continue to make a positive difference in the lives of our students. Our current PTA President's term will be over at the end of 2017-18 school year. Therefore, **we are in dire need of a volunteer who can serve as the PTA President next year.** We have a dedicated group of seasoned PTA members ready and willing to support the volunteer who decides to fill this role. We have also distributed a bulk of the president's workload to make it a more manageable position. To nominate yourself or someone else or if you have any questions, please contact the Nominating Committee at NomCom@hammondmiddlepta.org.



PBIS FUNdraiser Dance

There will be a PBIS FUNdraiser dance in the HMS Gym on **March 16th (7:00 – 9:00 PM)**. The Cost is \$5 per student. Refreshments (snacks, not a meal) will be sold in the cafeteria. Only Hammond Middle School Students may attend- no siblings, no guests. Permission slips must be turned in (with \$5) prior to the event. No tickets will be sold at the door. Parents should arrive at 8:45pm to pick up their students.



Hershey Park Tickets Fundraiser

Buy deeply discounted Hershey Park tickets (**more than 40% off**) and help raise funds for Hammond Middle School PTA. Tickets are valid during any one operating day, April 27 – Sep 30, 2018. Please make checks payable to HMS PTA. **Ticket orders must be received in the Front Office by March 23, 2018.** Click [here](#) to download and print the order form.



Box Tops Competition Winners

CONGRATULATIONS!! to **Matthew Gutierrez** (6), **Trevor Baer** (7), and **Cassie Mack** (8). They were the winners of the most box tops collected contest and each of them will receive a \$10 Chick-Fil-A gift card. Please continue to send Box Tops in a zip lock or envelope labeled with the student's name, grade and homeroom teacher. For more information, please contact Dodie van't Hoff at vanthoff4@verizon.net.



Recap: PTA Meeting (02/13/18)

A PTA meeting was held on February 13, 2018 and was attended by 11 PTA members. The meeting minutes can be viewed by clicking [here](#). A motion will be presented to approve these minutes at our next meeting on March 13, 2018.

Dates to Remember

March 13 th	PTA Meeting 6:30 – 7:30 PM (Media Center)
March 16 th	PBIS Dance 7:00 – 9:00 PM (HMS Gym)
March 23 rd	Deadline for buying discounted Hershey Park tickets
June 8 th	8 th Grade Dance 6:30 – 8:30 PM (HMS Gym & Cafeteria)
June 13 th	8 th Grade Promotion Ceremony at Hammond High School 6:00 PM