

On behalf of the Seth Paine Executive PTO Board, we would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the 2019-2020 school year. The purpose of the PTO is to support the faculty, staff, parents and most importantly, the students here at Seth Paine.

There are many ways you can support our school as a:

- Room Parent: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0c48aca72fa3fd0-room>
- Copy Parent: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0c48aca72fa3fd0-copy>
- Committee Chair or Member: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050d49aea62ba31-seth2>
- Event Volunteer (individual sign ups will be available as events occur)

Our meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month. Our first meeting will be in the school Library on September 3rd. Meetings will not exceed one hour.

So that we can offer our students, teachers and staff, many activities and enrichments throughout the school year, we need to fundraise. Our main fundraiser this year will be our NO STRESS Fundraiser, which means there are no catalogs, order forms or shifts to work in order to raise money. 100% of the money we collect will go directly to Seth Paine's students and staff. If we meet our goal of \$25 per student, we will not need to have other fundraisers later in the year. Although we ask for \$25 per student, any amount is greatly appreciated. Details about the No Stress Fundraiser will be available this fall. The Seth Paine PTO is a 501 © 3 charity so please don't forget to utilize your company's matching gifts.

Seth Paine also has a Feed the Dragon Program. We can earn money when you purchase qualifying items that you already need. This program utilizes:

- Box Tops for Education <https://www.boxtops4education.com/>
- My Coke Rewards <https://us.coca-cola.com/give/schools/>
- Amazon Smile (be sure to designate Seth Paine Elementary PTO as your charity)
https://smile.amazon.com/gp/chpf/about/ref=smi_aas_redirect?ie=UTF8&%2AVersion%2A=1&%2Aentries%2A=0
- Office Max/Office Depot: Our school ID is 70033037. SP PTO will get 5% of qualifying purchase

To find out detailed information about anything PTO related, please Follow/ Like us on Facebook or look on the school website

- www.facebook.com/SethPaineElementarySchoolPto
- <https://sethpaine.lz95.org/students-parents/pto>

Some important dates to remember for August/September:

Curriculum Night: August 27th for 3rd-5th grade & August 29th for K-2nd grade-Visit your child's classroom.

Picture Day: August 30th - Don't forget!

Bingo Night: September 19th- Family fun night! Win great prizes and make memories!

Moms' Night Out: September 21st

5th Grade Flag Day: TBA - Groups are formed and assigned a country. Each group makes their own flag.

We are looking forward to a great school year!

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