



Happy Summer!

As we are getting closer to the start of the 21-22 school year, we looking forward to seeing you all very soon!

I'm excited to introduce the PTA board. I am Kelly Calton, and I am the PTA President for the next two years. I have two boys at Crestview – one in 2nd grade and one in 4th grade. Rachel Yount is our Vice President. Rachel has a daughter in Kindergarten, a son in 2nd grade, and a son in 6th grade. Our

Treasurer is Vanessa Chasm, and she has a son in 3rd grade. Julia White is our Secretary. She has a son in Pre-K and a son in 2nd grade.

Our goal for the PTA is to Create Connection and Build Community. It's our hope that you have many opportunities to get to know your child's classmates and their families in addition to their teachers and staff at CV. However, at this time, we are still awaiting guidance from SMSD regarding ongoing COVID policies, but we are hopeful we can be in-person together! We're excited to bring back past events like the Skating Parties, Carnival, STEAM Night, and Tacos & Trivia Night (adults only). In addition, we are excited for a few new events like Family Bingo Night, Family Movie Night, and Picnic on the Playground. Stay tuned for more information on all of these fun events!

As a continued investment into your child's time at Crestview, we invite you to join the PTA. There are small and big ways to be a part of the PTA and invite you to volunteer at some point throughout the school year. We truly believe we can be #CVBetterTogether. You can join the PTA online at <https://crestview.memberhub.com/store>.

The Crestview PTA has a small operating budget. Each year we have three major fundraisers – selling products in the fall, Tacos & Trivia Night, and the Fun Run. Through your dedicated efforts and amazing donations, we are able to provide funding for:

- Field Trips (students don't have to pay for field trips at Crestview like at many other schools)
- Cultural Art Events (guest speakers, assemblies, STEAM Night, etc)
- Apps for school iPads and student magazines
- Books for the library from of sales at the Scholastic Book Fairs
- Teacher classroom supplies and support

We'll continue to send out more information about upcoming events, opportunities to get involved, and ways to stay connected. Like us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/Crestview.SMSD.PTA> to stay up to date on activities and events. We are here to serve you, your kiddo(s), and the teachers and staff at CV so please feel free to reach out to us at cvcougarspta@gmail.com at any time with questions or concerns.

Kelly M Calton, President

Rachel Yount, Vice President

Vanessa Chasm, Treasurer

Julia White, Secretary