# **Welcome to Seth Paine!**



On behalf of the entire Seth Paine Elementary PTO, we are so happy you are now a part of our school community! The PTO is proud of our school. We work together with teachers and staff to enhance students' lives by promoting a sense of community; and supporting health, art and academic enrichment through in-school and after-school programs. We are thrilled that your family is here and a part of our PTO! We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the **2021-2022** School Year.

The purpose of the PTO is to support the faculty, staff, parents/guardians, and most especially the students at Seth Paine. The PTO meets monthly\*:

September 14, 2021 at 6:30 PM	February 1, 2022, at 6:30 PM
October 5, 2021 at 6:30 PM	March 1, 2022 at 6:30 PM
November 2, 2021 at 6:30 PM	April 6, 2022 at 6:30 PM
Dec. 9, 2021 - NO Meeting (PNO)	May 3, 2022 at 6:30 PM
January 18, 2022 at 6:30 PM	June 1, 2022 – NO Meeting (PNO)

\*Dates and Times are Subject to Change

To find out more, you can follow us on Facebook or on the Seth Paine School Website:



www.facebook.com/SethPaineElementarySchoolPto

https://sethpaine.lz95.org/students-parents/pto

There are many ways you can support our students and teachers. You can participate in PTO sponsored programs, volunteer at an event or join a committee. Or you can do it all! Whatever level of participation you select, your time and involvement are greatly appreciated. We can't do it without the support of parents/guardians, teachers/staff and students!

#### The 2021-2022 PTO Board:

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Melissa Enders, President	spptopresident@gmail.com
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We look forward to working with you this year and welcome to the Seth Paine community!

The Seth Paine Welcome Committee
Cara Allard (<u>cara.allard@gmail.com</u>)
Isabel Florence (isabel.florence16@gmail.com)

# Ways to Get Involved:



### Serve as a Room Rep:

A room rep may be responsible for planning room parties (Halloween & Valentine's Day) as well as coordinating Teacher Appreciation week. You may also be asked to perform additional duties for your teacher, such as finding volunteers for activities or sending out communications to your classroom for the PTO.

Please be on the lookout for a Sign Up Genius to be sent out soon.

### Attend PTO meetings and/or PTO events

### Join a Committee or Chair a Commitee:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b084babae2ba31-seth

### Volunteer for Events via Sign Up Genius:

See PTO Newsletter or Facebook Group for latest events. Or you can always email spptopresident@gmail.com.

## How do we raise funds for our activities?

No Stress Fundraiser	There are no catalogs or order forms. 100% of funds collected go directly to the students and our school. A donation of \$25 per student will allow us to meet our goal and is greatly appreciated. If we are unable to meet our goal, other fundraisers may be needed at a later date.  2021/2022 No Stress Fundraiser – Details to follow
Feed the	Box Tops for Education:
Dragon	https://www.boxtops4education.com/
	Amazon Smile:
	https://smile.amazon.com/gp/chpf/about/ref=smi_aas_redirect?ie=UTF8&%2AV
	ersion%2A=1&%2Aentries%2A=0
	Seth Paine has received status as a Charitable Organization through
	<ul> <li>smile.Amazon.com.</li> <li>This means that 0.5% of all Amazon purchases made by members that</li> </ul>
	select Seth Paine as their charity will be donated back to the School.
	<ul> <li>Sign in with your account (or create one if you don't have one) and</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Go to "Your Account" settings. Select "Seth Paine Elementary PTO" as your charity and you're done!</li> </ul>
	Office Max/Office Depot: Provide School ID: 70033037 and Seth Paine PTO will get 5% of every qualifying purchase.

# Seth Paine PTO 2021-2022 Calendar:



### \*PTO MEETING DATES LISTED SEPARATELY AT ON FIRST PAGE\*

# **August Activities (Back to School)**

Kindergarten/New Family Playdate: Monday, August 16th

**Back to School Party:** Saturday, August 21st FREE event to kick off the school year. Food/drink provided.

# Fall Activities (September-November)

Moms' Night Out: Friday, September 10th

**Bingo Night:** Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>- Family Fun Night - win great prizes and make memories!

No Stress Fundraiser: TBD

5th Grade Revolutionary War Day: Friday, October 15th - Step back in time and learn how life was once lived.

Red Ribbon Week: TBD

Halloween Fest: Friday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

**Fall Book Fair:** November 15th – 19th - Stop by to enhance your child's love of reading!

### **Winter Activities (December-March)**

SP Parents' Night Out: Thursday, December 9th - Adults night out! Enjoy an evening out together & support SP.

Family Roller Skating Night: Thursday, January, 20th

Joanie's Closet Valentine's Day Dance: TBD

**SP Musical: TENTATIVE DATES-**February 25th & 26<sup>th</sup> - Come be amazed by our 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grade actors!

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teddy Bear Factory: TBD - Cafeteria turns into a factory so our 2<sup>nd</sup> graders can make bears for other

children in need.

Parents' Soiree/Fundraiser: Saturday, March 19th

# **Spring Activities (April-May)**

Fun Fair: Saturday, April 23rd

Spring Book Fair and GRAND Event: May (TBD) Hop over to help your child's love of reading grow!

# Last day of school-Friday, May 27th (provided no emergency days used)

Field Days (K-5th): Friday, May 27th - Fun, outdoor activities to end the school year right!

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Picnic:** TBD- A final farewell to our 5<sup>th</sup> graders! **Thank You for PTO Volunteers:** Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>