

Dear PLE Parents and Guardians,

On behalf of the Pleasant Lake Elementary PTA, I am thrilled to extend a warm welcome to each and every one of you to the start of a brand new academic year! My name is Jehann Zaid. I have one daughter in 4th grade, one daughter attending Walnut Creek and a freshman at Walled Lake Central. Yes, that's three different schools with three different pick-ups and drop-offs!!

As your returning PTA President, I am honored to serve this wonderful community of parents, teachers, and staff who work tirelessly to ensure our children receive the best education and support possible.

Throughout this school year, our PTA has exciting plans to organize a wide array of events and fundraisers that will aim to bring our school community together, support our educators, and provide fun experiences for our students. Some of the upcoming highlights include:

- ★ Back-to-School Meet and Greet: A chance for parents, teachers, and students to connect and kickstart the year on a positive note.
- ★ Outdoor Family Movie Night: Where the whole family can enjoy an evening out with the school community.
- ★ Color Run Fundraiser: A PLE Fan Favorite!
- ★ Trunk or Treat: Think Fall Festival vibes, plus costumes and candy.
- ★ Daddy-Daughter and Mother-Son events
- ★ Breakfast events: For some early morning fun.
- ★ BINGO & Bowling family nights.
- ★ Fundraising for School Resources: Initiatives to raise funds for educational materials, technology, and other essential resources.
- ★ Teacher Appreciation Week: A time to celebrate and show gratitude to our dedicated educators for their invaluable efforts.

We encourage every parent and guardian to actively participate in our PTA events, whether it's helping plan, volunteering your time, providing suggestions, or attending meetings. Your involvement makes a significant difference. We kindly ask all families to continue supporting the PTA so we can keep doing these amazing things. The easiest way to help is by becoming a PTA member. A family membership is just \$20. Please know that joining does not mean you are committing to volunteer. Much of the work is done by our dedicated PTA board of parent volunteers. Your membership fee directly funds many of the activities listed above, and without it, we wouldn't be able to continue our efforts. You can sign up using this link: <https://tinyurl.com/z8tvz9pw>

To stay informed about upcoming events follow us on our Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/MIPLEPTA>. We will also share regular updates in the school newsletter, Mrs. Bennett's Pleasantries.

If you have any questions, suggestions, or would like to get involved, please feel free to reach out to us at [PLEPTA123@gmail.com](mailto:PLEPTA123@gmail.com) or text (248) 561-9211. We value your input and would love to hear from you. Thank you for being part of the PLE PTA family. We are looking forward to an inspiring and rewarding year ahead!

With warmest regards,  
Jehann Zaid  
PTA President