

Dear White Pines Parent:



Welcome to the White Pines PTO! We are excited to begin the 2016-2017 school year. This past year we were able to raise money to be used for collaborative spaces throughout the hallways of White Pines. As the students return to school the PTO and staff will be giving input on how the hallways of White Pines can not only become more functional, but also more inviting. Along with this fundraising effort we continue to support our teachers, field trips, scholarships, Science Olympiad, Drama Club, Thanksgiving food baskets, and many more. It is an exciting time to be a part of the PTO!

As a PTO all of our membership dues stay at White Pines. We pay no fees to national or state organizations like a PTA. Your dues will go 100% to benefit the students and staff at White Pines.

The key mission of our PTO is to promote an environment at school where teachers and administrators can do their best work and our students can do their best learning. We are always eager to find more great people, like you, to help us meet this goal.

Research shows that students whose parents are involved in their education have better grades and fewer discipline problems. Involvement at the school also makes it easier to establish friendships with other parents and teachers. We promise that any time or support you give to the PTO will be worth your while – and fun!

Volunteer opportunities are emailed to our members through a website called “sign-up genius” as needs arise, so please be sure to include your email address on the form below.

We look forward to a great school year! Together we can make a difference at White Pines!

Please make check payable to: **White Pines PTO**

- Student Planner: \$5.00
 - PTO Membership: \$5.00 x _____ persons Total Paid: _____
- _____ I am a 5th Grade Parent _____ I am a 6th Grade Parent

PTO Membership Information

(Please Print)

First and Last Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____