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## SHERIDAN PARK ELEMENTARY - PTA

#### A Message from Your PTA President

Dear Sheridan Park Families, Faculty, and Staff:

My name is Dora Bullard, and I would like to thank all of you for trusting me again as your PTA President for another year here at Sheridan Park. I am very proud and honored to represent our children and our school!

We have a great PTA board! We are a hardworking and dedicated PTA team that consists of parents, teachers and grandparents. We are excited and ready to do what's best for our school and our children. Our team will continue to work closely with our principal, our faculty, staff, and of course, you the parents. We cannot do this alone. We need everyone's help in making this year a success!

I am honored to introduce to you our 2021-2022 awesome PTA Board team members!

Ms. Jacqueline Carro Principal, Ms. Dora Bullard PTA President, Ms. Sheri Gomez VP of Fundraising, Ms. Jessica Campos VP of Membership, Ms. Tara Shaub Recording Secretary, Ms. Maria Baez Corresponding Secretary, Ms. Juliana Prescott Volunteer Liaison, Ms. Jennifer Gray Treasurer, Ms. Crina Browne Teacher Liaison

Our students benefit greatly when you, the parents, guardians or grandparents get involved and contribute your time to school activities. Our students' school experience is more enjoyable when they see their parents participating in their school events. You can make this happen by signing up to become a volunteer. If you are interested, you can find more information in the volunteer section of this newsletter.

Please take time to review the rest of this newsletter and use it as a reference. Feel free at any time to contact your PTA Board Members via our direct line (754)323-7369.

Thank you and we look forward to a great year!

Dora Bullard

#### SPE PTA President

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#### No more cutting and sending in box tops!



Now helping us raise money with box tops is easy. The PTA encourages friends and parents to scan **"Box Tops for Education"** throughout the year. These are worth money to our school. Please look at the new Box Tops for Education App which is used to scan store receipts to automatically identify Box Tops products and instantly add cash to the school's earnings online. At the end of this newsletter you will find a QR code that you can take a

photo of to download the application to your phone. If you use products that have a box top on it be sure to save and scan. We also ask that you scan your receipts within 14 days of purchase.

### Look at what your PTA does!

- We provide awards, water and cold treats for Field Days and other events.
- We host events such as Doughnuts for Dads Event, Muffins for Mom, Grandparents' Celebration. We provide daily gifts for every student during Red Ribbon Week and cupcakes for every student
- We supplement the cost of at least one field trip per grade level.
- We produce the school yearbook for purchase.
- We purchase snacks for all grade levels during testing.
- We provide certificates, trophies, medals and brag tags to reward students for their achievements including AR (Accelerated Reader).
- We provide pizza, popcorn, snow cones, cookies and juice, and make your own sundae parties for event winners. We provide the books for "Bingo for Books Night".
- We show appreciation to our faculty and staff by providing them with a gift and a luncheon during Faculty and Staff Appreciation week.
- We host the 5th grade Graduation Day celebration events by proving t-shirts, make your own sundae party, music and fun.
- We run the Holiday Shop and Book Fair in order to make sure that every child receives a book and a gift during these events and much more.

### Where does your \$7.00 for Your PTA Membership GO?!

- \$3.50 goes to Sheridan Park Elementary PTA to invest in student programs, incentives, events (such as those mentioned above), and Broward County PTA dues. Your dues can earn you big savings thanks to National PTA's Member Benefit Provider Program.
- \$2.25 goes to the National PTA which invests in recruiting, training, and supporting our state and local leaders to ensure PTA's remain strong and relevant to their members.
- \$1.25 goes to the Florida PTA which advocates for public education, safety, and constitutional rights of all Florida's children.

#### PTA Membership, MemberHub & Sparky Store

Becoming a PTA member has its benefits. Not only are you helping out your child and your child school, but with your membership you are eligible for some great discounts as well. Just go to floridapta.org/memberperks and pta.org and look under about PTA – member benefits for all of the discounts and offers you are eligible for at Sam's club, Office Depot Office Max and many more. LEGOLAND Florida offers exclusive PTA member discounts! You can save more than 50% off the regular price.

Remember to purchase your PTA Sparky items such as, bows, bracelets, barrettes, headbands, annual memberships, Sparky t-shirts, and Face mask. You can purchase T-shirts, membership and face mask, individually, in combination with our Deluxe Discount package at or MemberHub: https://sparky.newmemberhub.store in addition to the regular maroon and white Sparky t-shirt you may also purchase our new "Red Peace, Love & Panther" t-shirts which celebrate this year's school theme. While any Sparky t-shirt can be worn at any time, students are encouraged to wear them on our various Spirit Days, and they are required to be worn on field trips. Anything you need to order can be dropped into our PTA Box at the front office. Fill out the form completely; send CASH (EXACT CHANGE ONLY) in an envelope attached to the form and please print clearly. (CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED). We encourage everyone to order everything through MemberHub at: https://sparky.newmemberhub.store everything you would like to buy for yourself or your child may be purchased through MemberHub with a credit card (small fee is applied at time of purchase).



<u>Sign-Up to be a Volunteer!</u> Everyone who would like to volunteer must register at: <u>www.browardschools.com/volunteerapplication</u>. If you do not have easy access to the internet, you can pick up a volunteer form from the front office. It may take up to six to eight weeks for your application to be processed. Once you are in the system, you may come to the front office, show your picture ID and you'll receive your volunteer badge for this year. This badge will allow you to volunteer for field trips and in-school activities. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** Once you have been approved as a volunteer, you can keep up with

Sheridan Park Elementary volunteer opportunities by texting @b9df7b to 81010. If you would like to check on the status of your application please email Ms. Prescott at <u>Juliana.Prescott@browardschools.com</u>.

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#### Sheridan Park on FACEBOOK "Like" Sheridan Park on Facebook and keep up to date on School and PTA events.

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Date:			
Mark X on form of payment: Cash: Credit Card: or Money C	Order:		
Credit cards can be used only during school events or on men https://sparky.newmemberhub.store	nber hub a	t:	
	Membership # First and last name (Print clearly) (Office use only)		
Students Name: First and last name (Print clearly) Teachers Nam	e		
Email Address: Cell #			
Deluxe Discount Package Includes: 1 T-shirt, 1 PTA Membership, And an adult or child Sparky face mask (\$4.00 savings)	Price \$18.00	QTY	Total
New Red T-Shirt	\$10.00		
T-Shirt (Sparky white or maroon)	\$10.00		
PTA Membership	\$7.00		
Sparky Face mask AdultChild (mark how many of each)	\$5.00		
	Total		
T-Shirts			
Youth T-shirt sizes are extra small to XLarge Adult T-shirts sizes are Small to 3XLG			
Please indicate if Adult or Youth, size, quantity and style: White, Maroon or RED (New)			
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