

Dear Seaview Families,

Wow! We cannot believe that summer is over and the first day of school has arrived. Welcome to a new year at Seaview! We are very excited for a new school year and to be serving as Co-Presidents of the Seaview PTA. We want to send a special welcome to the new families in our community and our new principal Mr. Jack Sackett. Seaview is a great place for kids to grow and learn and for families to be an active part in their children's education.

This year, more than ever, the PTA needs YOUR help. The PTA raises funds to provide a wide range of educational and family activities. Money raised through membership dues, the Jog-a-Thon, t-shirt sales, and the carnival fund everything from art classes, chess club, family activities, math instruction, to books and classroom supplies. By joining the PTA you have a chance to impact your child's education. The teachers we have are excellent and with active parents we all can accomplish so much more.

The PTA needs everyone's participation to be truly effective. Many families might think they cannot participate in the PTA because they cannot come to meetings or be on campus during the day. We want everyone, moms, dads, aunts, uncles, grandparents to be a part of our Seaview Community. If you have 30 minutes or an hour or two we can use your ideas, your time, and your talents. We can work with you to find a time and place where you feel your interests can be used effectively.

Here are some ways in the upcoming months that you can participate:

1. Send in your PTA membership!
2. First PTA meeting – September 22th
3. Family BBQ – September 16rd
4. Picture day – September 20th
5. Chess Club – September 28th
6. Jog-a-Thon – October 7th
7. PTA meeting – October 20th
8. Pumpkin Carving Night – October 29th
9. People interested in photography to take pictures for the yearbook.

We want to thank all of you for your great support. We are very excited to see old friends and meet some new ones. If you have any questions or concerns please visit our webpage, <http://seaviewpta.weebly.com>, or find us and just ask. Thank you to all our board members this year, **Clare Gates** – Vice President, **Leslie Anderson** – Treasurer, **Angie Karlberg**- Secretary. All of us are willing to help you find a place in our Seaview Community.

Sincerely,

Melissa Marts and Kerry Fleiger-Holmes

Seaview PTA Co-Presidents, 2010-2011