

TOTOWA PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION, INC.

September 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Totowa PTO provides various programs and activities that benefit all the students of Totowa through our fundraising efforts. With our proceeds, the PTO pays for cultural arts programs, lunchtime celebrations, field day treats, scholarships, planner books, and special fun activities such as Family Bingo Night, Skate Night, Dances, and other grade appropriate special events. In order for our fundraising efforts to be successful, we need your support.

We invite and welcome all Totowa parents and guardians to join the Totowa PTO. We greatly appreciate your volunteerism and encourage everyone to get involved by becoming active members. Research shows that increasing parent involvement in education/school environment is the number one way to improve student performance. Our goal is to have the majority of the parents in our school become members. We encourage **both** Parents/Guardians to join the PTO and to attend meetings.

We have an email address where you can reach us at anytime with questions or suggestions. Our email address is Totowapto@totowa.k12.nj.us. In addition, join our **Facebook Group, Totowa PTO**.

Please Note: Email will be the main form of communication; therefore, it is important that your email is included and up to date. We will be emailing all members when volunteers are needed.

Please complete the attached sheet and return it to your child's homeroom teacher (along with your annual Membership Dues of \$5.00 per person) ***in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked PTO Membership***. Payment by check (made payable to Totowa PTO) is preferable. If this is not convenient, you may send cash.

We hope to see you at our general membership meetings which are at 7:00 PM on the following evenings 10/10/17 (WPS), 3/13/18 (MS), and 6/5/18 (WPS). Please mark your calendars.

Thank you,

The Membership Committee

Dora DiTaranto @ 973-617-6150 or Danielle Beazley @ 201-723-1878

Please cut here and return bottom portion and \$5.00 for Single or \$10.00 for Family.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

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Single: _____ (\$5.00) Family: _____ (\$10.00)

Preferred Phone Number: _____ (Please Circle: Home or Cell)

Email address: _____

Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____ Homeroom Teacher: _____

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I am available to volunteer: Days: _____ Evenings: _____ Donate Baked Goods: _____

Committees I am interested in volunteering: Fall/Spring Fundraiser _____ School Pictures _____

Holiday Gift Shop _____ Book Fair _____ Family Bingo Night _____ Lunchtime Celebrations _____

Unable to Volunteer but still wish to join _____

We will contact you when volunteers are needed.