# New and returning officer training

2023-2024



### **PTA Mission**

PTA'S mission is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.





#### Compliance Checklist

All local PTA or PTSA units must complete this checklist every year.

Update new and returning officers Due: July 1	Annual Audit Due: August 31	IRS Form 990 Due: November 15 (or as soon as you finish the audit)
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Membership Dues FLPTA: Monthly HCCPTA: October 1	Bylaws Due: Every 3 years	Insurance Due: Check your policy

Website: hccptaptsa.org

## **Compliance Requirements**

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#### Hillsborough County Council PTA/PTSA Dues 2023/2024

County Council dues are moving to a tiered flat fee structure starting 2023/2024 school year

Your unit's dues are calculated based on the last year's total membership as reported to Florida PTA and are due no later than 1 October

10-49 members - \$10	200-299 members - \$75	
50-99 members - \$25	300-399 members - \$100	
100-199 members - \$50	400-499 members - \$125	
500 or more members - \$150		

Dues enable us to provide programs such as: advocacy expenses in advancing public policy, training to local units, HCCPTA Senior Scholarship program, Title 1 School Scholarships/Grant and so much more

Invoices include a request for a Title 1 Sponsorship donation of \$50 and a \$25 donation for Senior Scholarships



- Free to all local units!
- Manage members
- Pay dues
- Store compliance documents \*\*HCCPTA Requirement as of 23-24\*\*
- Merchandise Store
- Website
- Fundraisers
- Workshops: <u>https://info.memberhub.com/workshops</u>
- Direct Support: https://app.hubspot.com/meetings/valerie-licata



# President Focus: Prepare your team for a new year

- Be ready to conduct business:
  - Check your bylaws, insurance policy, dues are current, audits is done (or scheduled) and that plans are in place to complete your IRS 990 filing.
  - ▶ Update emails, log ins, passwords, get your binders from your predecessor.
  - Reach out to your team and set your first board meeting.
  - Work with your treasurer to ensure bank signers are updated and your secretary has all the records.
- A successful unit is one that plans ahead:
  - Set your calendar of events and programs.
  - Create your budget.
  - Update your Standing Rules (a.k.a. Policies & Procedures).
  - Summer planning meeting.
- Read your Florida PTA Kit of Materials:
  - Section 2 Officers \*\*\*timeline is included\*\*\*
  - Section 3 Dollar\$ and \$en\$e
  - Section 4 Bylaws

# How do I run a meeting?

#### Quorum

- It is one half of your board plus one.
- If you do not have quorum, you cannot vote on items.
- Robert's Rules of Order
  - Answer: At every meeting.
- Board Meetings
- General Meetings
- What do I do if I do if my secretary is absent?
  - Answer: You appoint someone to take minutes and record that in the meeting minutes.

### Secretary Focus: Maintains all records & documents

- Maintains all permanent records whether physical or digital.
- Work with the president to prepare an agenda and have minutes and all supporting documents ready for the summer meeting.
- Assist the president in making sure that all compliance items are completed and on file with you. These records are permanent and you should have them with the minutes.
  - ► IRS 990
  - Audit
  - Bylaws
  - Insurance
- Read your Florida PTA Kit of Materials:
  - Section 2 Officers \*\*\*timeline is included\*\*\*
  - Section 3 Dollar\$ and \$en\$e
  - Section 4 Bylaws

### Treasurer Focus: Responsible for all monies and equipment

- Incoming (or returning):
  - Set the date of your audit.
  - > Organize your records and conduct an audit on yourself to see if anything is missing.
  - Incoming Treasurers do not accept the books until the audit is complete.
  - > Do not forgot to ask for a supply list of all property owned by the PTA.
- Prepare a preliminary budget and set a date for your first budget meeting.
  - ▶ 3:1 Rule
  - > You must fundraise for your PTA as a whole, not for specific groups of individuals.
- Assist the President & Secretary with Compliance dues are current, copies of audits and IRS filings have been provided.
  - > Do not forget to report to your board AND your membership when you complete a compliance item.
- Read your Florida PTA Kit of Materials:
  - Section 2 Officers
  - Section 3 Dollar\$ and \$en\$e
  - Section 4 Bylaws

# Meetings - what do you need to know?

#### Quorum

- Board Meetings you must have one half plus one of your officers.
- General Meetings is a minimum of 10 members for quorum.
- Committee Meetings do not have a minimum and do not require minutes. Committees will provide a Plan of Work to the BOD for approval before any work begins.
- Minutes
  - Purpose record of the business you conducted.
  - If your secretary cannot attend a meeting you must appoint an acting secretary and record that in the minutes. It does not require a vote, simple state who is being appointed and why.
- Notice
  - ▶ General meeting require a minimum of a 10 days notice to your membership.
  - Posting on Facebook is NOT enough.
  - > It is strongly recommended you send an email via Givebacks as this will provide a record of when you sent the notice.
- Tips for success
  - **b** Board meetings are to make decisions not for discussion. All discussion should take place in committee work.
  - > Provide an agenda and supporting documents with enough time so your board (or membership) has time to look them over.

## Resources

- Florida PTA Kit of Materials
- www.hccptatpsa.org
- www.floridapta.org
- www.nationalpta.org

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