



Hello Fellow Solomon Parent,

We hope you had a great summer with your family! We hope you'll take a few minutes to learn about the Friends of Solomon School PTO, what we do, how you can get involved, and what we all have to look forward to this upcoming school year!

Updates about what we have going on are communicated in Mr. Gamble's messages on Snap Connect, however we encourage you to join our email distribution list by dropping us a note at [solomonpto@gmail.com](mailto:solomonpto@gmail.com).

Your PTO Board Members,

Amy Cramer (President, Mother of 1st Grader)

Joyce Baca (Secretary, Mother of 4th Grader)

Joseph Levy (Treasurer, Father of 1st Grader)

### **Who We Are, What We Do and How You Can Help**

The PTO is composed of all guardians and staff at Solomon Elementary. You do not have to pay dues. We want everyone to feel a part of our community and be willing to participate in our monthly meetings, volunteer opportunities, fundraising, and/or the events we put on throughout the year. So welcome - and please actively participate alongside us!

The PTO's goal is to assist Solomon Elementary in enriching its educational programs by securing, raising, and arranging for funds and capital through fundraising activities. We help the school in obtaining resources for improving and beautifying facilities and grounds necessary for the well-being and safety of the school community. And we work to foster business and community involvement to improve the quality of public education and assist Solomon Elementary in achieving its objectives. We also have a lot of fun!

We rely on support from parents and guardians to help us achieve our goals to enhance and enrich the student experience at Solomon. We are a small but mighty team, but we cannot do it all alone! How can you support us? Yes, fundraising is a large part of what we do, and we welcome your support at fundraising events and welcome monetary donations. But, we have other opportunities that extend beyond opening up your wallet! We need volunteers to help us plan and run activities for the school. If you are able to give of your time, even if it's just an hour, we would love to have you! If you are a business owner, we have opportunities to sponsor various events that can help promote your business as well. We also welcome your input! We are always looking for new ideas and welcome feedback at our monthly meetings!



## Save the Date(s)

Please save the date(s) for the following events we have planned! More specific details will precede each event in our emails and/or Snap Connect messages. We also will add a few more restaurant fundraisers and parent social events, so keep an eye on .

<b>Tuesday, September 12th</b> 8am	Monthly PTO Meeting at Solomon. We hope you can join us!
<b>Tuesday, October 10th</b> 8am	Monthly PTO Meeting at Solomon  Art to Remember Fundraiser Order Deadline
<b>Friday, October 20th</b> 4pm-7pm	2nd Annual Fall Fest
<b>Tuesday, November 14th</b> 8am	Monthly PTO Meeting at Solomon
<b>Wednesday, Dec. 6 - Friday Dec. 8</b>	Annual Holiday Shop
<b>Tuesday, December 12th</b> 8am	Monthly PTO Meeting at Solomon
<b>Thursday Jan. 18th</b> 5:30pm-7pm	Family Game Night <b>and</b> Panera Fundraising Event 4pm-8pm
<b>Friday, May 3rd</b>	Annual Walk, Jog, Roll Fundraiser
<b>Monday, May 6th - Friday May 10th</b>	Teacher Appreciation Week and Teacher Appreciation Luncheon
<b>May</b>	- Look out for information regarding our Annual School Supply Fundraiser

## Contact Us

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