



2011- 2012 PTA Board

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Welcome to the 2011-2012 school year! The Bright Elementary PTA has worked hard over the summer planning and organizing for an exciting and successful year. We hope to make this a great year at Bright Elementary! In this packet you will find **several forms that need to be filled out and returned to your child's teacher by Friday, September 9, 2011.** Please take just a few minutes to look through them and fill them out. There is a checklist at the bottom of this page to help you keep track of what you have filled out. Thank you in advance for your participation and help!

Now, a little bit about the PTA...the three main objectives of PTA are child advocacy, parent enrichment, and parent involvement. The Bright Elementary PTA strives to meet these objectives each year through our educational programs, parental support, volunteerism, and partnership with the Bright faculty and administration. We work extra hard each year to ensure Bright students receive every opportunity to enhance their skills, learn about the world, careers, the arts, environment, and many other fascinating fields through our enriching programs. PTA membership is one of the most powerful impacts you may make on your child's academic career. As a PTA member, you are not only financially supporting the many valuable and enriching activities provided to your child's school, but you are also showing your love and support of your child's early educational adventure. Your child will appreciate the support of Bright! We encourage all parents to join the Bright PTA. Membership benefits also include discounts for many things including Southwest Vacations and many others. Joining the PTA does not obligate you to donate your time volunteering at the school, although volunteerism is warmly welcomed and greatly appreciated. Becoming a member simply involves enrollment and a minimal fee for annual membership.

This school year we will have five General Assemblies. They will be held on the same evenings as different grade level musicals, family night book fairs, art night, and multicultural night. We are also having our 8th annual Sock Hop and Basket Raffle on March 2, 2012. Our first General Assembly is on **September 22nd, at 6:30 p.m. in the Bright Cafeteria. James Wand's Secret Agent Magic Show!** will be there to help us get a great start to our year and it will be **Family Night of the Fall Book Fair.**

Go mark your calendars now for September 22 and watch for some of the exciting daytime programs we are bringing to Bright including Dennis Lee!

Please join us! We look forward to meeting you this year.
Lana Levy
PTA President
Ida Lee Bright Elementary

- | Bright Student Directory Form (Only 1 per family required) Directory is FREE!
- | Bright Student Directory Personal Ad Order Form (One per ad w/ \$10 cash or check)
- | Bright Elementary Volunteer Form
- | Bright PTA Membership Form (One per family w/ \$8 or \$13 cash or check)