

Allen Creek PTSA

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Welcome to a new school year, Allen Creek families!

As we enjoy the last few weeks of summer and start planning for the beginning of this year, please be sure to put the Allen Creek PTSA on your radar. Allen Creek PTSA champions the education of every child in the school and provides advocacy, human resources, management, and funding for a variety of programs—those “extras” that make a school feel more like a community than a building. Allen Creek Elementary would not be the cohesive and inclusive school that it is without support from all of us parents and caregivers.

By supporting PTSA through the annual \$17 membership fee, we will be able to help fund many of the enriching experiences our kids enjoy at Allen Creek School and invest in different ways to enhance our school. By getting involved in PTSA, you benefit by being more connected and engaged with what is going on at school.

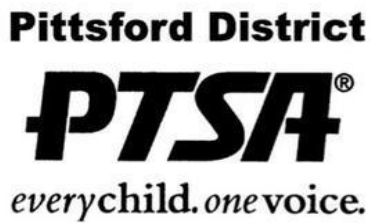
In preparation for the upcoming school year, use the list below to help keep your PTSA-related to-dos in check. Contact us at ace@pittsfordptsa.net with questions and concerns. We're here to help!

Sincerely,
Allen Creek PTSA Co-Chairs – Laura Linder and Sarah Baker

2024-2025 PTSA To-Do Checklist

To knock out all your PTSA to-dos at once, go to our website at ace.pittsfordptsa.net for easy links!

- Register for PTSA.** Register online at ace.pittsfordptsa.net OR return the paper registration form (found in the middle of the district calendar sent to each family) and payment to your child's teacher. *You must re-register each school year.*
- Sign up to receive ACE eNews and District eNews.**
- Like and Follow the Allen Creek PTSA Parents page on Facebook.** Search Facebook for Allen Creek Parents and look for the ACES card in the profile picture.
- Review PTSA open positions (on the back of this sheet) and see if you can help!** Contact ace@pittsfordptsa.net if you are interested in an open position or have any questions.



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Rooms Reps Wanted!

Are you looking for a way to support your child's teacher? Consider volunteering to be a PTSA Room Rep! Room Reps provide an additional communication link between the classroom teacher and Allen Creek families. You don't need to be physically in the classroom either as emails can be sent out when your schedule allows during the day.

Communications may include:

- Encouraging families to support PTSA through annual membership
- Inviting families to sign up for school directory information online
- Sending reminder emails for class and some school activities
- Reminding families to sign up for volunteer opportunities
- Helping with field trip and class activity sign-up sheets (done through Sign Up Genius)
- Requesting donations of class materials (e.g. more Purell or a snack stash)

In addition to supporting the teacher, Room Reps also help celebrate the teacher by coordinating a class teacher appreciation gift in May through a class donation. For more information on what this volunteer position entails, please click [here](#).

Typically, two parents per class serve as Room Reps. If you're interested in volunteering, please complete the form below by **September 1st**. If selected, you will be contacted by email with information regarding the role. Two parents are chosen per class, on a lottery basis (if needed). Please provide a phone number and email address where you can be reached.

<https://www.cognitofrms.com/pittsfordptsa/aceroomrepresentativevolunteerform>

Thanks for considering!

Your ACE PTSA Team

ace@pittsfordptsa.net



ALLEN CREEK PTSA NEEDS YOU FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR!

Social Media Chair

Do you love social media and enjoy spending time on Facebook? We need a parent volunteer to manage our ACE Parents facebook page. This job requires checking your email, posting drafts of posts sent by other volunteers, and will not take too much time at all.

Enews Chair

Do you enjoy reading our monthly Enews? Is editing and proofreading in your wheelhouse? We are looking for someone to collect and send out our ACE PTSA Enews once a month! The outgoing chair is willing to help and mentor!

DEI (Diversity Equity Inclusion) Co-Chair

We need a co-chair to attend 3-6 1 hour district DEI zoom meetings a year as well as to spend 1-2 hours coordinating DEI gifts from our PTSA with our grade-level leads. This chair position does not require a lot of time, but is very rewarding!

Cultural Arts Co-Chair

Are you curious about what goes into extra field trips and assemblies at ACE? Join our Cultural Arts team as a co-chair!

Email ace@pittsfordpts.net if interested!

We would also love a volunteer to take on a Fall Themed family event - think pumpkins and cider and community fun!