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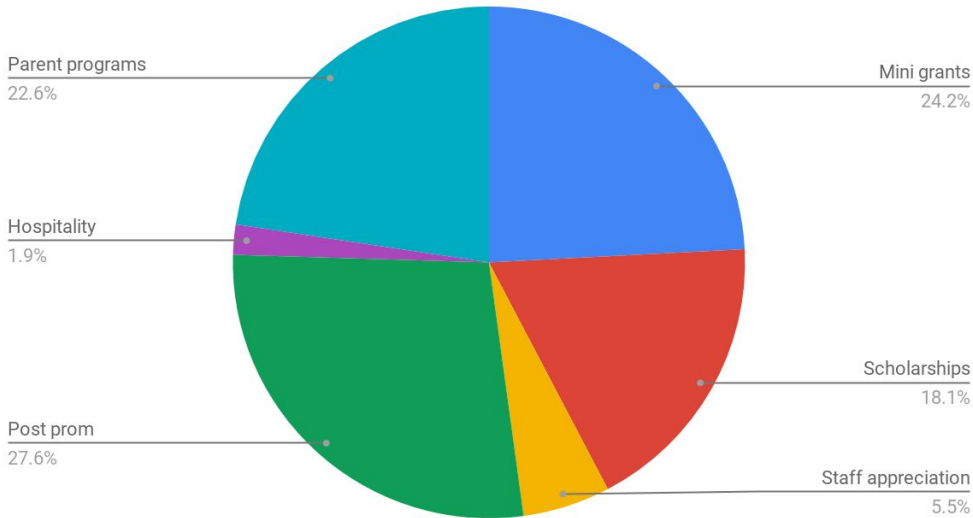
High School South Weekly Update

PTSA News

WHAT DOES THE PTSA DO? AND WHY SHOULD I JOIN? The PTSA supports a wide variety of programs that benefit students, parents, and teachers and staff. The PTSA uses your membership dues and donations to:

- Provide academic, technological and cultural support in the school community for students, teachers, and parents
- Award Teacher Mini-grants to support school staff and improve student learning
- Keep students safe after Prom by sponsoring an All Night Grad Party (ANGP) also known as Post Prom and providing a safe way to celebrate
- Recognize student achievement with Academic Letters/Pins, National and Junior National Honor Society Receptions, Senior Scholarships
- Sponsor the National PTA Reflections Art Program
- Help students earn service hours through PTSA meetings and events
- Show appreciation for our teachers and staff with a Welcome Back to School Breakfast in August and a Staff Appreciation Luncheon in May
- Advocate for our school community and much, much, more!

In 2018-19, PTSA funds supported



For the cost of just a couple of coffee drinks, you can help enrich *your child's* high school experience. Please consider donating through the **Just Write A Check Campaign (JWAC)**. As we are a non-profit organization, donations are tax-deductible (Tax ID # 223446125). Your **JWAC** contribution is vital in our efforts to enrich the programs for our children.

Membership in the PTSA is also always open and you can [sign up online](#) or at any of our meetings or simply return your membership form to the school front office.

Useful links: [PTSA Website](#) | [Membership & Scholarship Donations](#) | If you have questions about information in the PTSA section please [email](#) us.

Please join us in brightening the holidays of our South families and PEIkids.org this year! We are collecting gift cards to ShopRite and Walmart along with new dolls (different ethnicities), stuffed animals and athletic balls (basketball and football). Donations can be dropped off in the main office of High School South. Thanks so much and have a great holiday this season.

Post Prom

- **Thank you to our current Post Prom Sponsors**

- **Gold:** David Shapiro, DMD
- **Green:** Princeton Financial Group and Princeton Nassau Pediatrics
- **Pirate:** Tanya Dorfman Realtor and Mercedes-Benz of Princeton
- We need your help! We are behind on our fundraising goals for this time of the year. [If your child plans to attend Post Prom, we need you to participate.](#)
- **SAVE THE DATE: Mar. 12** is our Post Prom Evening DIY Event... Stay tuned!
- We are collecting **McCaffrey's Receipts** all year long. Please bring them into the Front office Marked for "PTSA Post Prom."

Useful links: [Post Prom Website](#)

SEPTSA

- SEPTSA is a districtwide PTSA supporting parents, guardians and students who receive special education, related services and accommodations for physical, emotional and or learning challenges.

Links: [WW-P SEPTSA Facebook](#) | [WW-P SEPTSA Website](#) | [Membership Form](#)

School News

- Check out the [important upcoming dates for December and January](#).
- Are you signed up to receive text messages from WW-P Schools? Click [HERE](#) for the district's communication process and make sure your phone numbers and email addresses are up-to-date in Genesis. To sign up to receive additional messages from the townships please follow the links below.
 - [Plainsboro Township/Police Alerts](#)
 - [West Windsor Township/Police Alerts](#)

- HS South will have a **Choir Winter Concert** on Friday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m. Come out and enjoy a beautiful concert.
- **South's United Charity Drive** looks to brighten the holidays of local organizations and Pirate families. All donations not sent in with students may be dropped off in the bins at the school security desk. Monetary donations can be cash or in the form of a check made out to "WWP High School South" with "charitable giving" noted in the memo/note section. [Click here for more information.](#)

Athletics

- [WW-P athletes and fans can now find out about game and practice cancellations by calling our athletic hotlines.](#)

Around the District News

- What better way to ring in the holiday season than with a holiday concert? WW-P students and staff have been working all fall to prepare for some **wonderful concerts**. [Click here for a list of upcoming performances.](#)
- **Hands Across the Water Cookie Decorating and Bake Sale** event is Dec. 14 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Grover Middle School. Profits will go to Community Charter School, a school for orphans in the Democratic Republic of Congo. [For more information and to RSVP, click here.](#)
- GMS French students invite you to the **5th Annual White Elephant Sale** Wednesday, Dec. 18, from 3-7 p.m. at Grover Middle School. All proceeds will go to the Elephant Sanctuary in Tennessee. [Check out additional information here.](#)
- High School North Post Prom Committee will be holding a **Bollywood Dance Class fundraiser** event on Dec. 14, from 3-4:30 p.m. at New Jersey Athletic Club (NJAC). The cost is \$20 per person or \$30 per person with a coin embellished hip scarf. [For more information and to register, click here.](#)

District Updates

- [District Website](#) | [Academic Calendars](#) | [Event Calendar](#)

Counseling and Wellness

- Check out the 2020 dates for our upcoming [Parent University Events](#) or review the previous presentations.

Community Education

- [Winter After-School Enrichment is open for registration](#). Registration closes Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2020.
- Extended Day Program registration is ongoing throughout the school year. [Sign up by clicking here](#).
- Upcoming SAT Programs - Community Education sponsored classes through [Kaplan](#), [Princeton Review](#), and [Lentz & Lentz](#) are offered throughout the school year at High School North and South.

Community Events

- Are you looking for programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the [community event section](#) on the district's website!

Food Services

- Download the [Sodexo's So Happy app](#) to view nutritional information, allergens, [menus](#) and more.

WW-P Education Foundation

- The Foundation is accepting requests through Dec. 15, for the [STAR Campaign](#). Give a STAR to honor your child's teacher, guidance counselor, principal or staff member who makes a difference in their lives. Your donation helps fund grants that enrich your child's education.
- The Foundation will hold its [Holiday Fair](#) for grades pre-K-5 on Dec. 7 in the Village School Cafeteria from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

WW-P Board of Education

- Check out the upcoming [Board of Education Meeting](#) dates. Agenda and materials for Board meetings are published after 3:30 p.m. the Friday prior to the meeting.

Make sure to follow the district on WW-P's official social media pages.

[Twitter](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Instagram](#) | [LinkedIn](#) | [Youtube](#)