

## 2017/2018 PTO Officers

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## Mahopac Middle School Mission Statement

Mahopac Middle School recognizes the importance of individual learning styles, accepts and celebrates cultural diversity, and promotes responsible citizenship. Our staff, parents and community collaborate to meet the developmental needs of our students, intellectually, socially, emotionally, and physically.

We provide students with an atmosphere conducive to learning the skills to become high-achieving scholars and informed decision-makers, as well as meeting or exceeding State performance standards.

We promote a respectful, secure, safe, and orderly climate which recognizes the dignity of the individual.

Through interdisciplinary teaming, high academic expectations, rigorous course work, special programs, integrated technology, and extra-curricular activities, our school provides students with the opportunity not only to maximize their potential, but also to set ever more challenging goals.



## 2017/2018 PTO



The Mahopac Middle School PTO is a voluntary organization that brings together parents, teachers, and sometimes students, usually for fund-raising, building parent involvement and community at the school, and to conduct other activities relating to the welfare of the Middle School.

Research shows that students with involved parents perform better in school, score better on standardized tests, have fewer behavioral problems, are less likely to use drugs and alcohol, and go to better colleges.

Please get involved by joining the Mahopac Middle School PTO today!

**2017/2018 MMS PTO Membership Form**

IST Teacher's Name

Student 1 - Name & circle Grade 6 7 8

Student 2 - Name & circle Grade 6 7 8

Parent/Guardian Name(s)

Telephone #

Email (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

I'm a MMS staff member

I'd like to volunteer for:

Book Fair

Canteens

Whenever I am needed

*\*Return this form, with \$10.00 check payable to: MMS PTO.*

**Thank you for your support!**

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**PTO Meetings @ 7pm – Library**

**Sept. 18**, Oct 16, Nov 20, Jan 22, Feb 26,  
March 19, April 16, May 21, **June 18**

**Meet the Teams @ 6:45 pm**

Gr. 6 - Sept. 27

Gr. 7 - Sept. 19

Gr. 8 - Sept. 12

**Book Fair**

*(Open during Meet the Teams)*

Sept. 11 - Sept. 28

**School Pictures**

September 27

**Canteens**

Gr. 6 - Oct 26

Gr. 7 – Nov 2

Gr. 8 – Nov 9

**Staff Appreciation**

Breakfast Fall/Luncheon Spring

**Moving Up Ceremony**

**June 19**

**Last Day of School**

**June 22**

**What does the Mahopac Middle School PTO do?**

After School Workshops

Book Fair

Canteens

Cultural Enrichment

Legacy Gifts

Supports MS Library programs such as Summer Reading and D.E.A.R.

Supports Club and Team Fundraisers

School Pictures

Spirit Wear

Staff Appreciation Day

**\*Please send in Box Tops for Education to help earn money for our school!**



**What happens at PTO meetings?**

*Information* on upcoming events as well as what's happening within the school.

*Opportunities* to meet and speak with other parents about issues that affect our children and how to deal with those issues. Presentations by the Principal and Assistant Principal.

\*Membership is required during all 3 years of Middle School to be eligible for the MMS PTO Scholarship (offered to 6 graduating HS seniors).

\*\*Student must volunteer @ minimum of 1 MMS PTO event per year during 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade

Don't forget to frequently visit the MMS/PTO website for news and information: [www.mahopac.k12.ny.us](http://www.mahopac.k12.ny.us)