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Tyee Middle School PTSA (#2.3.145) is dedicated to enriching the educational experience for children and their families through collaborative efforts with teachers, educational staff, and the local community. We are committed to our mission and goals, which aim to foster a vibrant learning environment and strengthen the bond between school and community.

PTSA/School Calendar

Tuesday to Friday, May 21 to May 24: 6th Grade Camp Orkila
Monday, May 27: Memorial Day No School
Friday, May 31: PTSA 7th Grade Carnival 6:30-8pm
Friday, June 14: PTSA 8th Grade Promotion Party
Monday, June 17: 8th Grade Promotion Ceremony
Tuesday, June 18: Last Day of School

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PTSA NEWS

Shinning Star - 8th Grade Promotion Party

When: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm, Friday June 14
Where: Tyee commons & Gym
8th Grade Party Regsitration_

Join us for a night of awesome music, epic games, delicious food, and mind-blowing surprises. This is your chance to make unforgettable memories with your middle school friends and get excited about your future. Say goodbye to middle school and hello to new adventures! All 8th-grade students are invited to the promotion party for free on June 14th from 7-9 pm at Tyee School Commons and Gym. Registration for your 8th graders and parent permission are required to attend this event, which needs to be done online by Friday, June 7th, 2024. Only current Tyee 8th graders are allowed. No guests. Please update My Account if you don't see your student's name below. Contact event coordinator at promotionparty@tyeeptsa.org.

Volunteer Needed for our party:

We need lots of volunteers to ensure the event runs smoothly. If you can help, please sign up. Thanks in advance!

Join Us for a Memorable 8th-Grade Party: Share Your Child's Baby and

Current Photos!

Calling all 8th-Grade Parents, the 8th-Grade Promotion Party Committee, cordially invites you to contribute to our memorable event. We kindly request you to share a baby photo and a current picture of your 8th-grade student with us. Please send these photos to Tyee Promotion Party email: promotionparty@tyeeptsa.org.

During the event, we plan to showcase these cherished moments on the big screen. We believe it will be a delightful surprise for your children to see themselves as adorable babies. Please kindly combine both pictures together (side by side) and put your kid’s name on the image. Please Do Not send two separate photos and refer to the example provided above as a reference for the desired appearance of the pictures.

To ensure adequate time for preparation, we kindly request that you send us the photos no later than June 7th, 2024. We greatly appreciate your support and collaboration in creating a fantastic party for our 8th-graders.

TCMC Students Excel at Math Competitions

Twelve TCMC students qualified to participate in the state-wide Math Is Cool Masters 2024 held in Moses Lake on April 27th. Jason Li, Avyaan Kava, Aaron Jin, and Mira Bhotika represent 6th graders; William Xin, Elynna Wu, Max Zheng, and Anna Li represent 7th graders; Patric Sun, Raymond Li, Elena Arkhipova, and Yilin Tong represent 8th graders.

Jason Li won the third place as 6th grade Individual in Division i.
Jason Li, Avyaan Kava, Aaron Jin, and Mira Bhotika won the second place as 6th grade team.
Patric Sun, Raymond Li, Elena Arkhipova, and Yilin Tong won the forth place as 8th grade team

Wesley Wu as the state champion,along with other three students from Washington State, participated in the 2024 MATHCOUNTS National Competition held in Washington DC from May10-14. Washington State team won the 6th place in the team ranking. Wesley ranked 38th place as individual competitors.

Congratulations to our outstanding students!

PTSA 7th Grade Carnival

The first annual 7th Grade Carnival is on Friday, May 31, 2024. Doors open at 6:30pm and the event ends promptly at 8:00pm. The Carnival is open to 7th Grade Tyee students only. There will be inflatables, games, snacks, and FUN! Students should wear comfortable athletic-type clothing. Free snacks and drinks will be provided. Do not bring backpacks or money (there is nothing for sale).

The Carnival is FREE (thanks PTSA!) but pre-registration is REQUIRED. Registration and Parent Permission form must be completed online by Thursday, May 30, 2023. https://tyeeptsa.org/Packet/7thGradeCarnival/
Adherence to BSD Student Code of Conduct is required for all Student Social Events.

PTSA membership is not required to participate or volunteer for the Carnival but highly encouraged to support the Tyee PTSA community. Join/Renew Your PTSA Membership

We need parent volunteers to help make this FUN event happen. If we do not have enough chaperones the event will be canceled. Please sign up here https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0D44AEA92AA1F49-49258218-tyee#/

Contact Darcie Durr at Carnival7@tyeeptsa.org with any questions.

Smith Brothers Farms Home Grocery Fundraising

Tyee PTSA is partnering with Smith Brothers Farms to raise money! Sign up for grocery home delivery using Code TYEEPTSA to receive $15 in free groceries, and Smith Brothers Farms will donate $50 to Tyee PTSA. Donation accumulate with each new customer and fund local education, youth programs, and extra-curricular activities in our Tyee community. Support our kids and enjoy Smith Brother's fresh dairy, almond or oat milk, local fruit and vegetables, proteins, bread and bakery items.

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Staff Appreciation Week Recap

We successfully hosted a whole week of staff appreciation events from May 6 to May 10: coffee on Monday, snacks on Tuesday, donuts on Wednesday, a salad and fruit bar on Thursday, and a duty-free luncheon on Friday. A big thank you to all the volunteers who contributed and supported our wonderful Tyee staff. Your generosity and dedication ensured that appreciation from TYEE parents and students was fully delivered to our lovely teachers and staff.

A special shout-out to our wonderful chairs, Lynn Zhang and Valeri Makam, for leading and organizing the whole event. Thanks to our Tyee parent volunteers for their help and contributions in making this event run smoothly:

Amanda Greco, Regina Regina, Becky Lee, Christin Aminoto, Ruvini Tennekoon, Sophie Chang, Maggie Qin, Seo Yeon Kim, Anshika Bajaj, Le LI, Kyungwon Lee, Pavani Chivukula, Tiffany Reimergartin, Archana Sood, Huili Wang, Adriana Palacios Ochoa, Michal Friesen, Ashwin Padwalkar, Wendy Yu, Heidi Liang, Joanne Wang, Peggy Li, Jing Yang, Peggy Wang, Xiaoxia Wang, Sandy Zhang, Kalpana Murugan, Trang Vo, Stephanie Chung, Yuki Yang, Hongyan Yang, Sophie Yang, Chandy Yos, Garima Agrawal and Jenny Chen.

Beach Dance Party Recap

Last Friday our students kicked off the summer season with our annual beach party dance. Newport High School’s own award-winning Cover and Choreography Club started the event with a high energy performance. MokPix Creative was on hand with a photo booth to capture the event and provide souvenir prints. The students had the opportunity to create friendship bracelets between songs and the tropical décor set the mood. PTSA VP Ting Li provided the music.

The event could not have been a success without the leadership of Vice Principals Kelly Balzer and Deborah Coney at the event. Our amazing student social chair Elizabeth Lindquist and event chair Sarah O'Brien oversaw the event. A big thank you to our high school volunteers Tara Leijen, Darrien Liang, Elaine Zhao, & Wei Zhang. We would like to acknowledge our adult volunteers who helped with a variety of tasks that made the evening flow smoothly. Thanks to Arti Davalbhakta, Lesley Tay-Chung, Sandy Zhang, Soo Shin, Sudha Bharti, Chiquita Stacy, Sheila Vijayan, Kelly Wong, Sarah Robinson, & Lydia Chen.

Join Board Member of Tyee Middle School PTSA

As we prepare to welcome all new and returning families to Tyee for the 2024-2025 school year, we extend an invitation to join and participate in the Tyee PTSA. We believe that getting involved in the PTSA is a great way to contribute to the school community and enhance the educational experience of our students. We are currently seeking individuals who are interested in serving on the incoming PTSA board or being the program and club chairs, and we encourage those who are passionate about our school's success to consider joining. The Board Members will play a crucial role in shaping the future of the Tyee PTSA and we look forward to working together to create positive change.

Here are the position openings (Job Descriptions). Any position may be held jointly by two
(2) people. Each position holder shall be entitled to voice and one vote at the meetings.

President(s)
Secretary(s)
Treasurer(s) VP(s)
Communication VP(s)
Program VP(s)
Ways and Means/Fundraising Grant Chair(s)
Membership Chair(s)

If you are interested in any position or you know someone who is interested, please contact us at president@tyeeptsa.org. Your participation is greatly appreciated. Thank you and we look forward to hearing from you.

SCHOOL NEWS

Individual Health Plans (2024-25)

For 2024-2025 individual health plans, please check your emails to review a copy of your student's health plan for next year. If your student currently has an IHP or medication authorization, you will need it to be signed by the health care provider and turn it in between now and first day of school - September 3rd. Please email nurse Tammy suent@bsd405.org if you have any questions.

BSD NEWS

A Season of Promotions and Graduations

With only a few months remaining in the 2023-2024 school year, mark your calendars for the upcoming promotion and graduation season. For additional high school graduation details, please visit the Class of 2024 graduation page.

https://bsd405.org/2024/04/a-season-of-promotions-and-graduations/

COMMUNITY NEWS

Join us for SRC's Opening Day - Saturday May 18 1pm to 4pm!

Reminder that everyone is welcome to join the SRC – you do not have to live in Somerset to join – so please refer friends who live in neighboring communities. Sign up today before we sell out of family memberships! Sign-up today at www.somersetrec.org

Somerset Rec Club offers members a 4-lane outdoor heated swimming pool, summer swim team, summer swim lessons, toddler/wader pool, summer tennis lessons, and a newly surfaced pickleball, tennis and basketball court. We also enjoy fun social events for the whole family including pizza/bingo nights, movie nights, and more! Poolside decks and grills are available to members to enjoy the amazing views. Members can also reserve 1 of our 3 amazing decks to host summer BBQs, birthday parties, end-of-season team events with friends and family (guest fees apply)…the list goes on!

Puget Sound Debate Summer Program

Puget Sound Debate is hosting a year-round debate program for middle school debaters this year! The program is dedicated to teaching middle school students how to effectively communicate, research, and find success in high school debate and beyond. With the top debaters in the state - Daniel Jung from Interlake High School who will be attending Yale University and Kathy Shao from Mercer Island High School who will be attending Stanford University - we are all extremely passionate about debate and have been competing and achieved success at local and national levels. All the funds from this program will go to help fund high schoolers compete at tournaments.

The Puget Sound Debate program has been in session since 2020 and has had successes in winning three of the largest middle school debate tournaments in the Puget Sound Area. The program is looking for new students who want to learn public speaking, research, argumentation, and be in a vibrant community. Students who will be attending Interlake will be able to gain fantastic experience to excel in their future debate careers and will receive advising for college planning as well.

The camp will take place on Zoom 3:00-5:00PM from July 29th to August 5th! Apply here: tinyurl.com/psd24summer by June 15th - due to high demand, students will be accepted on a rolling basis. Please email: debatepugetsound@gmail.com with any questions.

LD Debate Prep Summer Camp

LD Debate Prep is hosting a week-long online summer debate camp from June 24th to July 2nd, including an optional in-person meeting and an interactive debate tournament! Students will be able to learn and practice the structure of debate, argumentative strategies, and how to speak effectively, coached by multiple nationally ranked high school debaters from Washington in a one-of-a-kind accessible experience known as the LDDP Summer Camp.

Debate is a fun activity that teaches critical thinking, logic, and adaptation skills. The ability to communicate is a must for career advancement in any field, whether it is related to humanities or STEM. The LDDP Summer Camp aims to help students find an activity they are passionate about and a place where they create lifelong friendships and connections.

This camp is for students of all experience levels, teaching them introductory debate concepts as well as more complex topics beyond middle school debate.

Register before June 20th at: bit.ly/LDDPsummer

More information about the camp and coaches’ experience: lddebateprep.org/summer-camp/

DECA Ignite

DECA Ignite is a nonprofit organization committed to empowering future leaders and entrepreneurs with the knowledge and support needed to excel in an ever-changing global society. Through DECA, participants have valuable opportunities to collaborate with seasoned professionals, develop essential skills through hands-on experiences, and explore various career paths.

Our free, two-week summer camp immerses participants in the world of DECA, enabling them to refine their projects and participate in mock competitions. By joining our program, students will enhance their confidence in expressing ideas, collaborate with experienced mentors, hone their presentation skills, improve their communication abilities, and gain valuable insights into potential career pathways.

DECA Ignite Flyer
For more information or inquiries, please contact us at decaignite@gmail.com.

Shilshole Boatfest

Saturday, June 8, 2024 @ 11:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.
Shilshole Bay Marina 7001 Seaview Ave NW, Seattle, WA 98117-6006
Event Website

This event is for current and future mariners to immerse themselves in the boating world. Attendees get to enjoy sailboat and powerboat rides, participate in kids’ activities, engage with maritime exhibits, and celebrate the Ballard community!

Teen workshops

Join us for our annual week of summer workshops for high schoolers that spotlight local and global issues and offer inspiring ways to take action and change the world.

Choose your own adventure: You can pick the topic that most excites you and make it a one-day experience, or you can take as many workshops as you like! Workshops are free and open to rising 9th through 12th grade students. Space is limited.

Register your Teen Workshops

Tyee PTSA Executive Committee

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