

Reunión de la PTA de Twinbrook

Twinbrook PTA Meeting

February 3, 2026

 **Join the PTA!**

<https://twinbrookpta.org/join-the-pta/>



Welcome!

¡Bienvenidos!

Today's Meeting Agenda

Agenda de la reunión de hoy

- Welcome
- Updates from the Principal
- Voting on candidates for open PTA positions
- Fundraising, Staff Support, Budget and Delegate updates
- Book Fair updates and planning
- Calendar and questions

- Bienvenida
- Actualizaciones de la directora
- Votación de candidatos para puestos vacantes en la PTA
- Actualizaciones sobre la recaudación de fondos, apoyo del personal, presupuesto, y delegados
- Actualizaciones y planeas para la feria de libros
- Calendario y preguntas

Principal Updates

Actualizaciones de la Directora

Board Positions

We have two candidates to fill the following open positions for this school year:

- VP Communications
- MCCPTA Delegate (alongside Tiffany Roe)

Posiciones en la Junta Directiva

¡Únete a la Junta Directiva! Buscamos personas para cubrir los siguientes puestos durante este año escolar:

- Vicepresidente de Comunicaciones
- Delegado de la MCCPTA (con Tiffany Roe)

FUNdraising Updates

Actualizaciones sobre recaudación de fondos



- **Restaurant Night Fundraisers. Noches de recaudación de fondos.**
 - We raised **\$172** at Ledo Pizza in January!
 - February 10: HoneyGrow 🍷 10:30am-10:30pm
 - April 14:

Shop school spirit wear online. **Compre ropa de espíritu escolar en línea** bit.ly/shoptwinbrook



Staff Survey Responses so far

Actualizaciones sobre apoyo del personal

Are there any items for your classroom or your role that you're wanting/needing? If so, what items and how many of each of them?

6 responses

Clorox wipes, hand sanitizer, mini prizes for kids

Snapcircuit kits

Black Dry Erase EXPO Markers, Glue Sticks

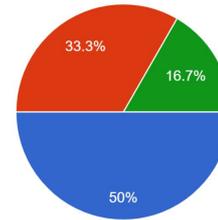
wobble seats, headphones, weighted lap pads

Clorox wipes & hand sanitizer

I've been looking at some of the items on scholastic and have to choose this week. Maybe some more bins.

What would you appreciate the most over the next few months?

6 responses



- Morale boosts—the PTA bringing in chocolates, coffee, or other food/drink items
- Extra classroom materials (you can specify in a later question)
- Volunteers to help with various tasks
- All the above

Is there anything else you'd like us to know, or any other ideas you have on how we can support you?

5 responses

Item donations would be best!

Love our parents! Thank you!

Funds for a charter bus to take first grade students to the Baltimore Science Center for a field trip.

possible funding of an SEL curriculum or resources

I would love a volunteer who is crafty, who is interested in learning how to repair books

If we were to bring in food or drinks, what kinds of things would you enjoy?

6 responses

Easy grab, packaged items

Coffee, hot chocolate, tea
Food - anything!

I am not particular-all treats supplied by PTA are greatly appreciated!

coffee and diet coke :) as far as food, I'm good with anything not spicy or seafood

Wrapped snacks

Staff Support Updates

Actualizaciones sobre apoyo del personal

1. Scholastic Dollars for teachers

Teachers each got \$50 in credit to use in the Scholastic store



Staff that are interested in a volunteer coming in to help:

- Ms. Shelton (media center): regularly, to help repair books
- Ms. Stein (1st grade): regularly
- Ms. V (Art): Preparation for the art show

2025-26 Budget Updates

Actualizaciones del presupuesto para 2025-26

- **Currently operating within budget.**
- **Actualmente operando dentro del presupuesto**

	Budget	Actual
Revenue		
Membership Dues	\$ 900.00	\$ 1,029.45
Fundraising (Fun Run, Book Fair, restaurant nights, yearbooks, etc)	\$ 21,475.00	\$ 12,930.94
Other Income (donations, etc)	\$ 50.00	\$ 1,226.37
Sub-Total	\$ 22,425.00	\$ 15,186.76
Carry Forward from 2024-2025	\$ 20,446.11	\$ 20,446.11
TOTAL	\$ 42,871.11	\$ 35,632.87
Expenses		
Operational Expenses (e.g., dues to state and national PTA, insurance)	\$ 1,143.00	\$ 719.22
Fundraising Expenses (e.g., supplies for Fun Run, Book Fair)	\$ 10,050.00	\$ 3,194.14
Student Enrichment (e.g., field trips, learning opportunities, 5th grade promotion)	\$ 12,078.11	\$ 944.09
Support to Teachers and Staff (e.g., supplies, staff appreciation events)	\$ 4,600.00	\$ 938.61
Sub-Total	\$ 27,871.11	\$ 5,796.06
Carry Forward to Next Year (to support expenses in next school year)	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 29,836.81
TOTAL	\$ 42,871.11	\$ 35,632.87



Delegates Corner: Upcoming Events

Actualizaciones de nuestros delegados

Technology Committee's [Chromebook survey](#)

-Share your experiences with your child's chromebook use in the classroom. Survey closes January 9th.

Road Safety Town Hall this Saturday, January 10 at 10:00 a.m. at the Council Office Building

This is a unique opportunity to talk directly with county and state transportation staff, MCPS staff, public safety officials, and to learn about current projects and help identify what's most needed to keep everyone safe on our roads.

Please register to attend the Road Safety Town Hall using [this link](#). You can also share which breakout room you plan to join and submit your questions and concerns to ensure we have feedback from everyone who attends.

Interested in learning more about K-12 English Language Arts (ELA) programming in MCPS?

Date & Time: January 12, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.

Location: Virtual on Zoom. **Please register [here](#).**

Wheaton High School PTSA is excited to present the first annual [Mountain Film Festival](#). The adrenaline-filled showcase night consists of multilingual short films focusing on personal empowerment through outdoor adventures.

Date: Friday, January 30th, 2026

Time: 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Cost: \$5/person (Enter raffles to win FREE giveaways from Dick's Sporting Goods, Sun & Ski Sports, and other local vendors)

Location: Wheaton High School Auditorium, [12401 Dalewood Drive, Silver Spring, MD 20906](#)





Delegates Corner: MCCPTA Resolutions

Actualizaciones de nuestros delegados

Two Resolutions from MCCPTA

1. [MCCPTA Resolution on Responsible AI Use in MCPS Schools](#), to local PTAs, and asks that **delegates share the draft with their local PTAs for discussion and feedback**, in anticipation of a vote on the resolution at the Delegates Assembly on January 27.

Families who wish to do a deeper dive into these issues may refer to the Tech Committee's [Resources on AI and Education](#).

1. **MCCPTA Emergency Draft Resolution: Dangers of Synthetic Turf** **-Related health risks with toxic materials in turf.**

All questions, comments and suggested edits should be sent to Terrena Smith, Chair of the MCCPTA Health and Wellness Committee, healthandwellness@mccpta.org, and/or Hannah Donart, the former committee chair, at Hannah.Donart@gmail.com.

Slide Deck:

[SHPFI plastic fields to MCCPTA 11-19-25 1.pptx](#)



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1. **MCCPTA Emergency Draft Resolution: Dangers of Synthetic Turf**, to local PTAs, a vote on the resolution took place at the Delegates Assembly on January 27 and the resolution passed with amendments. The final resolution will be circulated tonight. The resolution now asks that MCPS request a bid for a natural field management vs turf and to pause efforts to install turf until alternatives are vetted.

Final resolutions will be made available to PTA/Twinbrook Community in the next communication.

Book Fair Updates/Planning

Actualizaciones/Plan para la feria de libros



Twinbrook ES PTA

Twinbrook ES - 2026 Book Fair

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Already signed up? [Change my sign up](#)

The Book Fair is one of the most anticipated events of the school year for students—but we need volunteers to make it happen. Your help is crucial in making the Fair a truly unforgettable experience for our students. We hope you'll consider offering your time and talents to get it running! Opportunities to assist include advertising, fair set up, helping shoppers, checkout, and fair pack up.

If you're available to lend a hand at this upcoming event, please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up.

Gratefully,

Twinbrook PTA

Calendar on
our website

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nuestra página web

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PTA Calendar

A screenshot of a digital calendar for October 2025. The calendar shows the following events:

SUN 28	MON 29	TUE 30	WED Oct 1	THU 2	FRI 3	SAT 4
				No school for stu		
5	6	7 + 7pm PTA Meeti	8	9	10 + 9:30am Parent	11
12	13	14 + 4pm Fundraiser	15	16	17 No school for stu	18
19	20 No school for stu	21	22	23	24 + 8am FUN RUN + 7pm Monster M	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	Nov 1



Comments or Questions?
¿Comentarios o preguntas?

Future Meetings /
Reuniones futuras

Ask them now, or email
president@twinbrookpta.org

Pregúntenos ahora o envíe un
correo electrónico a
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- March 3, 2026
- April 7, 2026
- May 5, 2026
- June 2, 2026