

Hammond Elementary PTA

Monthly Newsletter: October 2026



The Hammond Elementary School Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is a volunteer group that partners with families and staff to support students and build community. Membership is just \$15 per person or \$25 for a family, and your support helps fuel the programs, events, and resources our students and teachers rely on. **Join us today at hespta.org!**

Trunk-or-Treat

Join us for a spooktacular evening at Hammond Elementary School PTA's **Trunk-or-Treat** on **Thursday, October 15, from 6:00–8:00 p.m.** in the school parking lot! Enjoy decorated trunks filled with treats and goodies, participate in a festive **costume contest**, grab a bite from a **food truck**, and enjoy music while celebrating the season with our Hammond community.

🎃 Don't miss this family-friendly event—we are excited to see you there! 🎃

Interested in hosting a trunk or donating candy, non-candy treats, fidget toys, or other small goodies? Sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080845AEA72EA7FF2-65357389-hespta#/>

Parent Grade Level Liaisons

Did you know? Each grade level has two dedicated **Grade Liaisons**. Grade Liaisons are parent volunteers who serve as a vital link between teachers and families. They stay connected with grade-level teachers to understand classroom needs, help identify opportunities for parent involvement, and coordinate volunteers for events, activities, and special projects. Want to learn more or find out who your grade's liaison is? Visit hespta.org for more information.

Restaurant Nights

Wednesday, October 7

Chipotle

4:00pm – 8:00pm

11811 W Market Pl, Fulton

Mention the HES fundraiser at checkout or use code **4RC2QRK** for online order, and 25% will be donated to HES



Wednesday, October 21

Kloby's Smokehouse

11:00am – 9:00pm

7500 Montpelier Rd #116, Laurel

mention the HES fundraiser at checkout and 15% will be donated to HES PTA



Tissue Tuesday – October 27

Help keep our classrooms healthy, happy, and stocked! On the **last Tuesday of each month**, we encourage students to bring in a box of tissues to support their classroom. These donations help ensure teachers have supplies on hand throughout the year, especially during cold and flu season.

PTA Bylaws Update

HES PTA is in the process of updating its bylaws for the first time since before COVID. The proposed revisions were developed using guidance from PTACHC and National PTA and include updates that reflect current PTA operations, including provisions for virtual meetings and voting.

A draft of the proposed bylaws is available on the PTA website (hespta.org) under membership for member review. If you have questions or feedback, please contact PTA President, Aubrey Simon, at president@hespta.org.

PTA members will vote on the proposed bylaws at the next General PTA Meeting on **Wednesday, November 11**.

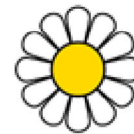
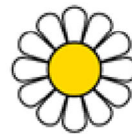
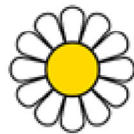
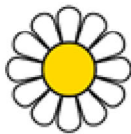
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Do you like the Outdoors? Do you like to Sing?

Do you like to have FUN?

Do you like to Make New Friends?

If you said yes to any of the above.....



New troops are forming NOW.

Scan the QR code

If you are interested in finding your child a troop.



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