

# BHA PTO

## Welcome Meeting!



# PTO GOALS



- Provide students with opportunities to learn outside the classroom in an educational and engaging way.
- Provide parents opportunities to connect with the school and the community.
- Provide the school with any necessary assistance, if needed.

# Meet the Team



## BHA PTO TEAM

- **President** : TBD
- **Secretary**: Albera Warsi
- **Treasurer**: Rima Alwazir
- **Volunteer Coordinator**: Aya Eladl



## BHA PTO LIAISONS

- **Board**: Sadaf Shokat
- **Clairemont Campus**: Sweeta Behnawa (TK)
- **Allied Garden Campus**: TBD

# PTO Events



## CLASSROOM LEVEL:

- Organize and coordinate with HomeRoom Parents for all grades.
- Organize volunteers for classroom events.
- Coordinate with teachers for field trips, extra activities and other needs, as necessary.

## SCHOOL LEVEL:

- Provide funding per campus to supplement extra school expenses or activities that will directly benefit all students at BHA.
- Provide assistance to the school in hosting WASC accreditation teams for both campuses.
- Organize Quarterly Activities: Carnival Day, Games Day, Movie Day, and various other educational assemblies
- Afterschool programs: Tae kwon do

# PTO Events



## FAMILY SOCIAL EVENTS:

- Back to School Celebration at Boomers Amusement Park
- International Food Fair
- Parenting Workshops with Principal Diwan
- Topical Workshops: Healthy Eating, Talking About Identity with Our Children
- Summer Carnival
- Ramadan Calendar and Activities

## APPRECIATION DAYS:

- Back to School Staff Snack
- Parent/Teacher Conference Staff Lunches
- Volunteer Appreciation Brunch
- Staff Appreciation Week

# Support PTO



## FUNDRAISING:

- Internal Fundraising
  - Bake Sales
  - Smoothie Sales
  - Wrap Sale during PTCs
  - International Food Fair
  - Donations
- External Fundraising
  - Family Fun Night
  - Family Restaurant Night
  - Grocery Store Fundraising
  - Boxtops
  - Summer Carnival
  - Business Sponsorships

## Parent Support:

- Come to our meetings and be part of the conversation!
- Become a Committee Head
- Lend your skills and expertise
- Sign up to volunteer at our various events
- Contact us via Email to share your ideas!

# Communication



**I have a concern, question, suggestion .Who and how should I contact?**

- If your query is classroom related, contact your teacher through Jupiter Ed only.
- If your query is admin. related, contact the admin of the specific campus either in person or email.
- If your query is not satisfied with admin, contact the board through email.

# Communication



- **PTO Email:** [pto.bha@gmail.com](mailto:pto.bha@gmail.com)
- **PTO WhatsApp Groups:** please refer to our email for the links
- **School Office:** [office@issdweb.org](mailto:office@issdweb.org)
  - Clairemont Campus : (858) 278-7970
  - Allied Gardens Campus : (858) 250-0972
- **Principal Email:** [principal@issdweb.org](mailto:principal@issdweb.org)
- **BOE Email:** [issd-boe@googlegroups.com](mailto:issd-boe@googlegroups.com)



# Communication



## Tips for effective communication:

**Goal** is to develop trust amongst school community by building strong parent-school network. When communicating:

- Keep the goal in focus
- Be clear and concise
- Be respectful to others' perspective, cultural differences
- Be positive and patient
- Be an active listener

# Communication



## WhatsApp Guidelines

- **BHA PTO group** is an **announcements ONLY** group for news related to the school.
  - Only School Administration and PTO Cabinet members have access to post school related events and announcements.
- **BHA PTO (Parents Only) group** is a **discussion group** in which non-staff parents can effectively communicate and have discussions regarding school topics.
  - Posting allowed from 7 am to 9 pm. Anyone violating the curfew hours will be issued a warning. Three warnings will unfortunately result in removal from the group.
- **BHA Class Groups** are exclusively for parents of students enrolled in that particular grade.
  - Each class group has 1 or 2 designated homeroom parents. The purpose of the class groups is to provide a platform for parents to connect, communicate and plan class related activities.
- If you'd like to post a message, that is unrelated to the school, email the PTO at [pto.bha@gmail.com](mailto:pto.bha@gmail.com).
  - Please allow at least 48 hours for PTO to review, discuss and approve your request. After approval, we will post it in the group on your behalf.

# Join PTO Cabinet



## So you can...

- Support teachers
- Benefit students
- Engage parent volunteers
- Build a stronger school community

# Upcoming Events



**BHA Staff Welcome Back SNACK!**

September 2nd 2020

Please enjoy a small token of our appreciation as we start the new school year!

**BHA PTO**

Bright Horizon Academy PTO

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MEDITERRANEAN CUISINE

**Join us for BHA PTO's Family Restaurant Night!**  
*Shawarma, Pizza, Falafel, Desserts, & more*  
Valid for Carry-out & Delivery

**Mention "Bright Horizon Academy" upon placing your order, and 20% of proceeds will be donated to BHA PTO.**

**Thursday 9/10 & Friday 9/11**  
**6133 Balboa Ave, San Diego, CA 92111**

# PTO Calendar of Events



## Quarter 1:

- Back to School Staff Snack
- Back to School Night Presentation
- Back To School Celebration at Boomers
- Welcome PTO Meeting
- Quarterly Activity for Students

## Quarter 3:

- Bake Sale
- Citizenship Day
- Social Event
- PTO meeting
- Workshop
- International Food Festival

## Quarter 2:

- PTC wrap sales
- PTO meeting
- Family Restaurant Night Fundraiser
- Bake Sale
- Workshop

## Quarter 4:

- Citizenship Day
- PTC wrap sales
- PTO meeting
- Sports day
- Teachers' Appreciation Week
- End of School Carnival
- Ramadan and Eid gifts/celeration

**The events are subject to school calendar and volunteer availability.**

# Q&A Session



**Go Ahead..... we are listening!**

