Three Simple Rules in Life

1. If you do not GO after what you want, you’ll never have it.

2. If you do not ASK, the answer will always be NO.

3. If you do not step forward, you’ll always be in the same place.

North Carolina PTA

Membership Sip & Chat

Pour Your Favorite Beverage & Connect With The NC PTA Membership Team

- Thursday, October 7
- Sunday, November 5
- Tuesday, December 5

8-9 PM

Who Should Join Sip & Chat?
Membership Chairs/Committee Members and Vice-Presidents

Agenda
- Introductions
- Good News!
- Best Practice Sharing
- Guest Speaker(s)
- 10-minute training on Membership Topic
- Question & Answer

Sessions Will Be Recorded
Hosted by:
NC PTA Community Engagement & Membership Committee

Donald Barringer, Chair
Virginia Jicha, President

Got ?’s:
office@ncpta.org

Join from PC, Mac, iOS or Android:
www.bit.ly/ncptasipandchat

You can also dial in using your phone:
408-638-0968 or 646-876 9923
Meeting ID: 243 437 469
PTA Mission

• To make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.

Our Why: The reason we do what we do
What is Community Engagement
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Good News!

Share something great about your day or from the past week!

“Hard times build determination and inner strength. Through them, we can also come to appreciate the uselessness of anger.”
–Dalai Lama
$500 Council Challenge (Apr 15)

There’s Another Opportunity

How can we help you with grow your local council? Email us at office@ncpta.org

Chapel Hill/Carrboro Council
Charlotte/Mecklenburg Council
Cumberland County Council
Durham Public Schools Council
Guilford County Council
Hickory Public Schools Council
Johnston County Council
New Hanover County Council
Rowan/Salisbury Council
Wake County Council
Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Council
$50 for 50
Additional Paid Members

$50 for 50
Your PTA's total paid membership as of 6/30/17
+ 50 additional paid members by 10/16/17
= $50 for your PTA unit

Rules: Contest applies to only PTAs in good standing with NCPTA. 
-Paid- does received electronically through MemberHub or PTA check received by the 
State PTA Office on or before October 16, 2017 (NOT POSTMARKED).
Incentive funds paid to winning PTAs by NCPTA within 45 days of October 16, 2017.

Drum Roll Please...
$50 for 50 NEW Members Schools
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what are YOU doing with YOUR 50 BUCKS?
Best Practice Share Out

• What has your PTA done this year that you would like to share with others.
• What did your PTA do last year that worked well with membership after October?
Unit & Council

• **Falls Lake Academy (Creedmoor)** received the Blue Key Award for membership from NC PTA. They are working very hard to meet other state PTA Membership Awards. They track their numbers of members and participated on the call to receive ideas for their local PTA.

• **Hillside High School (Durham)** helped to increase membership by thinking about ways to engage High School families who often support several organizations in their school differently. They combined their high school parent meetings so that families only have to come to one meeting for majority of the main parent organizations. They lead off with PTA, then other parent groups present afterwards. This helped to create engagement and increase their membership for the $50 for 50 new members challenge.

• The **Durham Council of PTAs** structured the board to have certain schools that they are responsible for. They contact the local unit Presidents to work with them to help them achieve their goals.
Ideas from Units!!!!

- Each school meeting has a membership recruitment table set up.
- Just ask! Folks will join if asked!
- Scholarship for Teacher Members who join the PTA
- Membership Drive Includes a Raffle for 4 Disney Passes
  - Membership fund-raising raffle.
  - Different levels of membership allows individual membership ($10, 1 entry), family membership ($20-2 entries), bronze ($50-5 tickets), gold ($100-10 tickets)
  - The higher your donation for the dues the more entries you get for the raffle.
  - Disney tickets are donated to the PTA to support this membership/fund-raising effort.
Join Our Facebook Membership Support Group
www.facebook.com/groups/ncptamembershipsupport/
About half of STEM jobs only require a two-year degree.
Guest Speakers

Danielle Bonner
President, Durham Council of PTAs

Francelia Burwell
VP of Community Engagement, Durham Council of PTAs
Board of Directors, North Carolina PTA

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Durham Received The STEM + Families Grant

INVITATION TO ATTEND!

COMMUNITY FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL SPONSORED BY

Durham Council PTA
Family Academy
BAYER

STEM experiments for all grades • Exhibitors: Bayer scientists • Door Prizes • Face Painting • Fun Activities • Lunch • Childcare for ages 3-5 • Language Interpretation Services available.

All are invited! Activities for the entire family!

WHEN: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2017 1:00 – 4:00 P.M.
WHERE: RN Harris Elementary School
School Cafeteria
1520 Cooper St
Durham NC 27703

Come dressed in your Coolest Wacky/Tacky or Mad Scientist clothes!

Register for planning purposes; but not required

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7ERVI4M
Questions? Contact: durhamcouncil@gmail.com 919-564-5832 stemdurham.org

Julie Olson von Haefen Did your Council win one of the National PTA grants?

Denise Mosley Burwell Hey Julie! Yes!! Durham Council was one of the six National Recipients of the STEM + Families grant awarded in Jan. 2017. We have to host 3 events in partnership with Bayer with this grant. This is event #2. Event #3 will be in January. Francelia

Julie Olson von Haefen Awesome! I had no idea! Congratulations!

Denise Mosley Burwell Julie Olson von Haefen Thanks!
35 Schools Are Participating This Year!!!
We Are Proud of You & Here Ready to Support
www.pta.org/excellence

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10 Minute Training

How To Do Something Different

- SET A SMART Goal
- SMART goal setting, which stands for Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant, and Time-Based, is an effective process for setting and achieving your organization goals.

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SMART Goals

1. **Take The STEM + Families Pledge**
   When you take the STEM + Families Pledge, you become a champion for students interested in science, engineering, technology and math.

2. **Develop A Team**
   - Parent/Family Member
   - Teacher
   - Community Member
   - Student

3. **Think of an Event:**
   Host a Math Night (PTA tells you how!)
   

4. **Follow The Process**
Thank You!

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