

August 2021

Dear Sharon Families,

Welcome to the 2021-2022 school year! My name is Brittany Cordeiro, and I will serve as your PTA (Parent Teacher Association) President this year. I want to welcome all the new families to Sharon and welcome back those that are returning.

One of the many reasons Sharon is such a successful school is due to active parent involvement. A great way to become more acquainted and involved with our school is to join the PTA by paying the annual PTA dues. To become a member of the Sharon PTA, annual dues are just \$7.00 per adult with \$1.75 going to the State PTA, \$2.25 to the National PTA and \$3.00 staying here at Sharon. It is through the state, national and local PTAs that we represent a powerful voice for school children. Volunteering your time on a committee and attending our quarterly PTA meetings are also great ways to be part of the Sharon community and to stay aware of the wonderful events that are happening. The PTA website will provide more information about our PTA committees and how to get involved.

I also want to mention the importance of our two main fundraisers, FLY(Foster Learning Year-round) and the Annual Fund Capital Campaign. FLY is a learning program to encourage our Sharon students to read and practice math during the summer. Annual Fund is a one-time giving campaign that occurs during the school year. With the fundraising donations each year, the PTA is able to supplement landscaping, help reduce the cost of field trips, and provide the newest technology for our classrooms, enhancements on the playground, and curriculum support for our teachers. The list goes on, but know that your financial support is crucial to the continued success of our school. You will receive more information about both fundraisers during the year.

Thank you for your support and I look forward to serving you as your PTA President. It's going to be a great year!

Sincerely,

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