

## Keeping Alki Families Connected - 05/30/23

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## Alki PTA E-News

May 30th, 2023

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## Important Upcoming Dates

Thursday, June 1st	Alki PTA Membership Meeting
Tuesday, June 6th	Alki PTA Dine-out & Game Night @ Good Society
Wednesday, June 14th	Golden Acorn Award Nominations Due
Friday, June 23rd	Alki-a-thon
Friday, June 30th	Last Day of School Treats at the Beach

[Link to Seattle School Calendar](#)[Link to Alki PTA Website](#)

## Coming Up...

June's PTA Membership Meeting  
THIS Thursday!

A blue rectangular graphic with white and yellow text. At the top, it says "June's virtual Alki PTA Membership Meeting". Below this, there is an illustration of a laptop displaying the Alki Elementary PTA logo, which features a stylized bird or wing shape. To the right of the laptop, the text "Join us! Thursday, June 1st 6:30-7:30pm" is written in yellow. At the bottom, it says "zoom link in e-news" in yellow.

## June ZOOM Membership Meeting!

Please join us Thursday, June 1st at the June PTA Membership Meeting from 6:30-7:30pm ON ZOOM! Everyone is welcome, and membership is not required! Hear about all the great initiatives in the works. We'll be voting on the candidates for the PTA Executive Committee as well as the 2023-2024 PTA budget. This is our last membership meeting of the year, so you don't want to miss it!

Are you already a member of the PTA? If not, you can easily sign-up [here](#). We look forward to seeing you there!

**The Alki PTA Nominating Committee is pleased to present the candidates for the 2023/24 PTA Executive Committee:**



Ashley Clingan  
*President*



Bonnie Sullivan  
*Vice President*



Brittany Caldwell  
*Co-Treasurer*



Katie Masolo  
*Co-Treasurer*



Nicole Vickers  
*Secretary*

Executive Committee elections will take place at Alki PTA's last General Membership meeting of the year, **Thursday, June 1st**. The Alki PTA Board of Directors includes the elected officers of the Executive Committee as well as additional volunteer Chairpersons in the roles of: Communications, Fundraising, Events, Membership, and Advocacy. Board Member At Large and Building Leadership Team Representative round out the Board and Principal and staff representatives serve as ad-hoc members. **There are still open roles available!** For more information about Board duties and approximate time commitments please see "[Alki PTA Board Roles and Responsibilities](#)" or reach out to [info@alkipta.com](mailto:info@alkipta.com). Join these amazing volunteers and make a difference at Alki next year!

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**Pick-up Auction Items This Week!**



On behalf of the Auction Committee and Alki Elementary PTA, Thank You! Your generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

**Pick up Specifics - Huge Congratulations on your winning bid(s)!**

- All auction items will need to be picked up - we won't be mailing items out
- We've arranged two dates for item pickup at Alki Elementary School, in the cafeteria:
- Pick up option 1: **Thursday, June 1st 2:30pm-4:30pm**
- Pick up option 2: **Friday, June 2nd 2:30pm-4:30pm**
- If you are unable to make either of these dates, please reach out to the auction team at [auction@alkipta.com](mailto:auction@alkipta.com).
- If you will have someone pick up your item(s) on your behalf, please notify the auction team at [auction@alkipta.com](mailto:auction@alkipta.com) with the individual(s) name
- Please bring a picture ID with you to pick up your items - if you have a proxy picking up on your behalf, please remind them to bring their ID
- If your winnings include alcohol - a separate collection arrangement will need to be made, off of school grounds - please reach out to coordinate!

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**Golden Acorn Nominations Now Open through June 14th**



**What is the Golden Acorn Award?** A Golden Acorn Award is presented by Alki PTA to a school or community volunteer in recognition of her or his dedication and service to children and youth. Since the beginning of this program in the 1930s, more than 54,000 Golden Acorn Awards have been presented to volunteers throughout Washington state. Recipients receive a certificate and pin, and a contribution is made in their name to the Washington State PTA Scholarship Program that benefits students.

This award is generally given to an outgoing parent to recognize their service during their years at Alki Elementary. All nominations will be reviewed on **Wed, June 14th** so be sure to get yours in! Contact Nicole Vickers at [secretary@alkipta.com](mailto:secretary@alkipta.com) with any questions.

NOMINATE

## PTA Dine-out and Game Night @ Good Society Next Tuesday



**Good Society Dine Out: Tuesday, June 6th**  
Dine Out: 3-10pm, Family Game Night: 6-8pm

BYOG Bring your own games or try new ones from the Game Swap Table (bring games you no longer play and swap for a new game!)

Mention you are with Alki for any food and drink orders (anytime between 3pm-10pm) to count towards our year-round partnership with Good Society. This is not a drop off event and children must be accompanied by a parent / guardian.

Save the Date!

## Save the Date: Alki-a-thon is June 23rd!



Our favorite day of the year is coming up, the Alki-a-thon!

Alki PTA's second largest fundraiser where students run, walk, or skip around the field to earn pledges for each lap. Our goal is to raise \$25,000!

Three Important items for families:

1.) VOLUNTEER! We can't make this event happen without a lot of volunteer support: setting up course, tallying laps, bring snacks for students, etc. Sign up here to be involved: <https://tinyurl.com/alki-a-thon-2023>

2.) ONLINE PLEDGE PAGE: Private online pledge pages are the easiest way to track and collect per lap or flat pledges for your student(s). You will need to create an online pledge page for each student. Paper pledge forms are going home this week as an option too! Create Online Pledge Page HERE: <https://app.99pledges.com/fund/alkiathon2023/addme>

3.) FAMILY SPONSORSHIP: This is your opportunity to help decorate the back of our Alki-a-thon Event T-Shirts with some flair! <https://alkipta.square.site/>

Three design options to choose from:

- Seagull
- Sun
- Wave

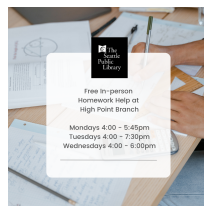
These will be added to the back of event T-shirts for all students to proudly wear on their back! All funds donated are going directly to Alki Elementary to fund the Alki PTA Annual School Grant.

Thank you for your support and see you **Friday, June 23rd!**



## Other Community Events

### Free Homework Help



Homework Help at Seattle Public Libraries High Point Branch! We're excited to see this program available again for students.

If you are working on a tough homework assignment or have questions about a lesson, come to the Library for Homework Help. We have volunteers who can help K-12 students with math, science, English, social studies and science. Students without homework can read and play learning enrichment games with trained tutors.

No reservations are needed although students and volunteers will be limited to a number safe for each space. Just come to the Library during Homework Help hours and bring your homework assignment and textbook. If our volunteers do not know an answer, they will help you find it.

Mondays 4:00 - 5:45

Tuesdays 4:00 - 7:30

Wednesdays 4:00 - 6:00

<https://www.spl.org/.../lea.../student-success/homework-help>

## Easy Ways to Help Alki PTA

### FUNDRAISING MADE EASY

Turn everyday purchases into donations to Alki PTA today!

[Box Tops for Education](#)

[Tru Earth](#)



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## Spiritwear Shop

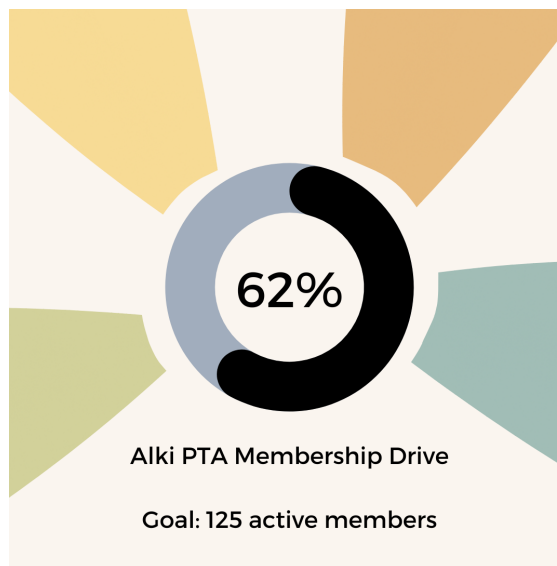


Our online spiritwear shop is open, we have a variety of items available to show your school spirit!

[Shop Here!](#)

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## Alki PTA Membership Drive



Help us reach out goal this year of 125 PTA members and sign up today!

New School Year means your PTA membership needs to be renewed! We encourage new and returning members to renew your PTA Membership [HERE](#)

**WHY JOIN THE PTA?** The number one reason to join the Parent Teacher Association is to benefit your child. In doing so, you also help your school. But there are many more PTA advantages from [pta.org](#):

- **Get Connected** There's no better way to know what's happening in your school.
- **Speak Up** PTA can be a way for you to more effectively suggest change at your child's school and vote at membership meetings.
- **Discover Great Resources:** The PTA offers a variety of programs designed for parents as well as students.
- **Witness Improvement** By getting involved at your child's school you'll be part of the solution, helping make positive changes. Local PTAs play an important role by supporting building improvements through advocacy and play an important role in fundraising for curriculum-based programs and social events.
- **Be a Role Model** By becoming a PTA member, you'll be demonstrating to your child the importance you place on education.
- **Enjoy Substantial Benefits** Individuals and local units can take advantage of a host of benefits from PTA membership including discounts and offers from member benefits providers and sponsors, magazine subscriptions, leadership training, e-newsletters and much more.

- **Tap into a Network** PTA functions are opportunities to meet other parents and teachers, building rapport and discussing issues that are on your mind. You can share ideas, concerns, and experiences.

- **Watch Yourself Grow** By volunteering with your PTA, you put your skills and hobbies to use for a noble cause—your child and all children in the community.

Join Alki PTA

## And, Finally....



Check out our webpage, join us on Facebook and Instagram



Or share this newsletter with other Alki parents.

Share This Email

## Alki Elementary School Information

Day of the week	Start Time	End Time
M, T, Th, F	7:55 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
W	7:55 a.m.	1:10 p.m.

[View Bell Schedule](#)

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Attendance Message Line: 206-252-9054

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Thank you for supporting the students of Alki!

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