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Alki PTA E-News

June 4th, 2023

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Important Upcoming Dates

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...

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 with any questions.

NOMINATE

PTA Dine-out and Game Night @ Good Society THIS 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.

Parents, we need you!

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!**

2023/2024 Auction Committee - Sign up Now!

The 2023/2024 Auction Committee needs you!

The Alki PTA auction is coming back **this fall** and we need a great team of volunteers to make it a success! If you're interested in joining the auction committee, email Katie at zwicker8@gmail.com.

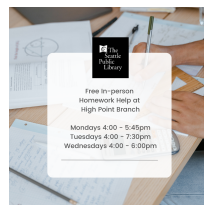


Save the Date!



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>

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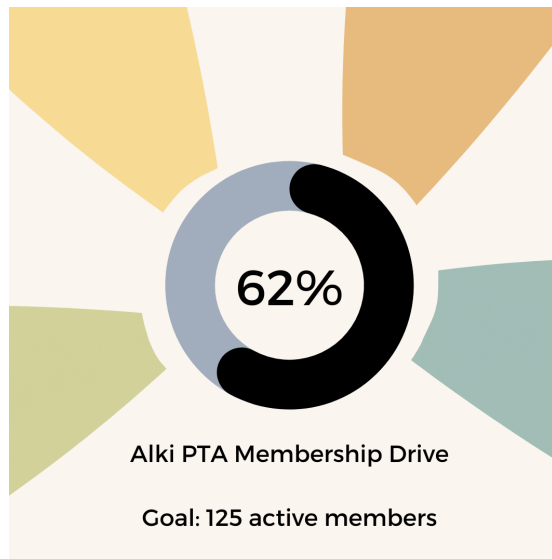
Spiritwear Shop



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

[Shop Here!](#)

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.

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And, Finally.....



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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](#)

Attendance Email: alki.attendance@seattleschools.org
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