



ROMBOUT MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION



WELCOME TO THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Hello RMS Community,

While these are challenging times for us all, we hope you're in good spirits and health! Parents, we know you are on triple duty, working, parenting and teaching from home, all while striving to keep your household healthy, fed and mentally balanced. You are doing a great job!

As we adapt to the new school year, we would like to provide you with some information about what the Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) does for the students and teachers at Rombout Middle School. The PTO is a volunteer group made up of parents and staff who come together to help support the school and enhance experiences our students have while at RMS. Our volunteers and fundraising efforts directly affect the RMS community.

THE PTO RAISES FUNDS FOR

**School Improvements • Field trips • Mini Teacher Grants • Teacher Appreciation • 8th Grade
Graduation Festivities • Honor Roll Recognitions • Assemblies**

We would love for you to join us as we strive to do even more for the RMS students this year. We meet once a month on the first Wednesday of the month, at 6:30 pm. Our meetings are short and give you the opportunity to get information on PTO and school activities directly from the PTO board and RMS administration.

The PTO meeting dates for the school year are:

October 7 • November 4 • December 2 • January 6 • February 3 • March 3 • April 7 • May 5 • June 2

HOW DO YOU BECOME A MEMBER?

The cost is ONLY \$10 per family, which is about .3 cents per day. When you become a PTO member, you become a part of the RMS family, a committed group of teachers, staff and parents who work together to create a nurturing, supportive environment where students can shine - academically, socially, and emotionally. Dollars raised by membership participation will fund future projects and initiatives at the school. And now, more than ever, the school needs our help to offset additional costs that have resulted from COVID-19.

We hope you are able to join us and remember, we are all in this together!

The PTO Board,

Alena Kush, *President* / Kim Barna and Karolyn Thompson, *Vice President's* / Bridget Capawana, *Secretary*

Dottie DiNobile, *Treasurer*

Here are some ways to stay connected with us:
Like "Rombout Middle School PTO" on Facebook
Follow @RomboutPTO on Twitter
Visit our website www.romboutpto.org
Email us at romboutpto@gmail.com



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PTO Membership Form



Please complete this form and return to school with your membership donation in an envelope marked "PTO Membership". Please make checks payable to "Rombout PTO". You can also join online!

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Email (please print clearly) : _____

Please check ALL that apply:

_____ I would like to be a member of the Rombout PTO

_____ I would like to be contacted when food donations and baked goods are needed

_____ I would like to help with Fundraisers (distribute fliers, tally orders, distribute products)

_____ I would like to help with Teacher Appreciation Week (May 3-May 7, 2021)

_____ I would like to be on the 8th grade committee to plan end of year festivities.

_____ I would like to be contacted when volunteers are needed.

_____ I have the following special talents to offer or business willing to donate to the organization

_____ Guilt Free Giver: I do not have the time to volunteer or want to participate in fundraisers.

Please accept this additional donation of \$_____ as my contribution in providing
for our children at Rombout.

Student's Name	Grade	Homeroom Teacher

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

PTO USE ONLY:

Date collected _____ By _____ Paid \$ _____ CASH ☐ CHECK ☐ # _____