

Dear Valley View Families,

We are so excited for Back to School Night, and for classes to begin! Our school and PTA theme for the year is "The Greatest School" – based off the movie "The Greatest Showman."

"Come one, come all!" Here is a quick list of some of the things PTA sponsors, pays for, and makes possible for your child at Valley View:

- Field Trips (transportation, and admission)
- School Shirts new this year, each student receives a "Greatest School" t-shirt to wear on field trips, and Spirit Friday (every Friday consider this part of your back to school shopping done!)
- Art supplies, and volunteer coordination for the Great Artist Program (6 cool projects!)
- Reflections Contest
- Dinner for your teacher during ILP conferences
- Teacher appreciation gifts, lunch, yearbook, and such
- Prizes and treats during Kindness Week, Red Ribbon Week, Veterans Week, Spirit Friday, assemblies, etc.
- Field Day
- Family Movie Night, and Art Walk
- Books for Battle of the Books
- School needs not funded by tax-dollars, as they arise

To fund these educational and enriching activities, please donate to our fundraising drive.

For **<u>\$40 a child</u>**, we can make our "Million Dreams" for this upcoming school year a reality.

PTA is a non-profit 501C-3, and all donations are tax-deductible. Many businesses match donations to schools - ask and see if yours is one of them. To show our appreciation to supportive business, we will include their logo on the back of our t-shirts. Let us know if your business would like to contribute.

Please also consider joining the PTA – a <u>\$5 membership cost</u> (separate from a direct donation). Joining the PTA allows you a vote on what activities we have, how to spend the money we raise, and how to amend the budget when needed. We realize you may be "Walking A Tight Rope" with back to school expenses, but if you are in a position where you can give more than the requested \$40 per student, please donate generously. If you can't give \$40, please give what you can - <u>every donation matters and is appreciated</u>.

Valley View really is The Greatest School! Thank you for your support and donations. Any amount helps, and is greatly appreciated!

Meagan Becker – President, Tiffany Ivins Spence – Vice President, Kelli Roberts – Treasurer, Mary Olpin – Secretary, Melissa Miller – President Elect

Checks and cash accepted at Back to School Night, or venmo @ValleyView-PTA anytime.

Please email Valley View PTA at valleyviewfalconpta@gmail.com with any questions.