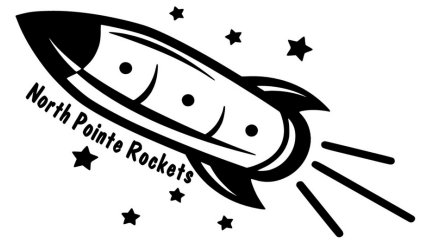


To The Pointe



North Pointe Rocket PTA Newsletter

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www.rocketpta.com

Facebook: PTA of North Pointe Elementary

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-Join NPE PTA!

Welcoming all students, families, and communities of North Pointe to join Rocket PTA!

Membership supports our NPE children and staff by funding essential educational needs while building an inclusive school community for all our families.

Increasing our membership, even by one, makes it possible to provide important educational resources, extending your voice on important issues and create a stronger school community.

There is no wrong way to PTA, however you choose to PTA is up to you!! No time to volunteer, that is ok! Membership does not require you to volunteer.

Join today at www.joinpta.org – still have questions?

Please email membership@rocketpta.com.

Upcoming Dates

- **Monday, January 16 No School**
- **Thursday, January 19 & Friday, January 20**
NOTE DATE CHANGED FROM PREVIOUS LISTED CALENDAR DATE
Pastries with Pals 7:30 AM
Thursday, 19th Last Name A- L
Friday, 20th Last Name M-Z
- **Thursday, January 19 @ 5:45 PM**
PTA Membership Meeting - NPE Gym
- **Thursday, January 26th @ 5:00-7:00 PM**
Free Movie Night - NPE Gym
The Mouse and The Motorcycle
- **Monday, February 6 - No School**
- **Saturday, February 11 @ 12:00-3:00 pm**
- **NPE PTA School Fair**
- **Feb. 13-17th**
Book Fair
- **Feb. 17th**
Grandparents Day

Don't forget to add PTA Texas Congress 1520 North Pointe Elementary PTA to your Amazon Smile! Every time you order, our PTA receives a donation from Amazon! Win-Win!

—Rocket PTA Website!—

North Pointe PTA has a website!

www.rocketpta.com is full of information Full calendar of events, meeting schedule, helpful links from lunch sign ups to volunteer sign ups, and other information can be found there! Bookmark it and visit it regularly, as it is still growing!





Events!

Pastries with Pals

We would like to invite you and any special pal in your life for some delicious pastries!!!!

PLEASE NOTE THE DATE CHANGE
7:30am Thursday, January 19th

Last Names A thru L

7:30am Friday, January 20th

Last Names M thru Z

Dont forget to RSVP!

Please use [this sign up link](#) to get your badge ready for pick up when you arrive!



We need volunteers! Without your help our events are not possible. Please check out [this sign up genius for the event](#) to see if there is a slot where you can help. It's a short quick morning but critical to the events success!

Thank you!



Student Activities

Thank you to all who came and made our Movie Night, a night to remember! Despite the heat and mosquitos, you helped make it feel a bit like a winter playground! We have some truly special families and teachers among our NPE family that helped with set up, concessions and clean up! Thank you so much for all of the support!

Stay tuned for more info coming soon about our Family Fun Run/Walk- coming this Spring!
To add your name to the Volunteer or Vendor list: Please email- mindiparmet@gmail.com!

Free

Movie Night

NPE's One School, One Book
You've read the book,
now come watch the movie!

The Mouse & The Motorcyle

When: January 26th

Where: NPE Gym

Time: 5-7pm

Pictures, Popcorn, & Fun

Yearbook

Make sure to get your yearbook orders in! Families can only purchase yearbooks online. Last year we SOLD OUT and had no extras at all.



<https://www.balfour.com/texas/houston/north-pointe-elementary-school>

Do you have STEM Night Photos?

Class Party Pictures?

Share them in ImageShare and they could be in the school yearbook!

Website:

studio.balfour.com/ImageShare

Project Number: 310765 – No upload code is needed just leave it blank
You can also download the apps in the app store of your phone and upload from there too.



Rockets Rock School Fair!

Saturday, February 11, 2023

12 - 3 PM

Live performances and DJ!

· **Games, prizes, moonwalks, and other fun activities!**

· **Raffle Baskets**

Over 20 baskets with themes for all ages including Squishmallows, Harry Potter, Starbucks, Legos, and Family Game Night!

· **Food Trucks**

BBQ, Vietnamese, Burgers, Snow Cones, and more!

· **Silent Auction**

Astros tickets, Houston Zoo membership, local goods & services, gift cards, and much more!

Advance ticket sales will be announced soon!

Please watch the NPE PTA Facebook page and your email for updates!

Silent Auction

If you or your company provide a product or service that you would like to donate and have highlighted in the school fair or if you would like to sponsor an item in the silent auction, please contact Alex McCracken at alexandria.mccracken@hotmail.com.

Fair Baskets

The basket committee is still in need of donations!

To make it easier on you, we have created Amazon Wish Lists with items that will fit perfectly with your grade level themes. To give us the ability to purchase larger items, we have included Amazon gift card options and we also welcome cash donations.

Below are the themes and links to the Grade level Wish Lists. When purchasing items off the list, please select "Kimberly Thompson" for the delivery address. The items will be collected and sorted by our Basket Committee and put together to create beautiful gift baskets.

To Access the Wish Lists: Click the following links or use the QR codes on the last page of this newsletter

[PreK Themes Self-Care, Candyland](#)

[Kindergarten Themes American Girl DollPool Day All Things LEGO Sports](#)

[1st Grade Themes Arts & Crafts, Squishmallows, Pop Its, Little Baker](#)

[2nd Grade Themes Off to Neverland, Mad Scientist, All Things Lego, Music](#)

[3rd Grade Themes Harry Potter, Family Movie Night, All Things Lego, Sleepover](#)

[4th Grade Themes Disney, Starbucks, Gardener, Minecraft](#)

[5th Grade Themes Family Game Night, Young Directors, Healthy Lifestyle, Calligraphy](#)

Get To Know The NPE PTA Board! Meet Lauren Harper-Dunn- Fair Chair

Hi! My name is Lauren Harper-Dunn and this is my first year as a member of the board. My son, William, is in first grade at NPE, and I am expecting a baby girl soon! We have enjoyed being a part of the Rocket family and are so excited for the years to come!

I am serving as the school fair chair this year and I'm excited to put on a fun event that shows our community that Rockets Rock! Pulling off an event of this magnitude would not be possible without a great team and NPE is so fortunate to have other parents involved with the fair who are experienced and dedicated. I hope that we all have a fun and memorable day on Saturday, February 11, 2023! Please join us for food trucks, games, fundraisers, and live performances!

Getting Involved, Opportunities To Help

Helping Hands

The Helping Hands committee relieves teachers and staff of the important non-teaching tasks like photocopying, binding, die cuts, and laminating - giving them more time for instruction. We need and appreciate your help!

Questions can be sent to volunteers@rocketpta.com.

"I like doing helping hands because it's one of the easiest ways to help out at school. I can do an hour or two depending on my schedule. After staying at home with my kids because of Covid for a year, I realized how much work and prep the teachers need to do to make the kids learning experience fun and creative. So, my way of helping is to do helping hands. I do some printing, laminating and any other tasks that teachers ask for. Everyone is very friendly and always appreciative." – Jamila Rashid

[Click Here for Helping Hands](#)

Silent Auction Help

The School Fair team is already hard at work preparing for the school fair. A big and very visible part of that is the Silent Auction. If you or your company provide a product or service that you would like to donate and have highlighted in the school fair, or if you would like to sponsor an item in the silent auction, please contact Alex McCracken at alexandria.mccracken@hotmail.com.

If you have a few hours to spare and would like to help out the school, we are putting together a team that will contact local businesses asking for donations. This would be either time spent making online requests or visiting your favorite places requesting donations.

Library Helpers

Mrs. Sandner, NPE's Librarian, needs help throughout the school year with checking books in and out, reshelving books, locating research materials, and aiding with any special library projects - such as makerspace activities. If you would like to be on the library helpers list, please submit the form linked by the QR code and our library chair will reach out soon!

Questions can be sent to library@rocketpta.com.

[Click Here for Library Form](#)



Library
Helpers
Form



Helping
Hands Form



Rocket Rocks School Fair - Baskets

Saturday, February 11th
12PM - 3 PM

School Fair Basket Wishlist QR Codes!
Thank you for all of your support! We couldn't do it without all of your help!

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Sports



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All Things Lego
Sleepover



4th Grade Themes
Disney
Starbucks
Gardener
Minecraft



5th Grade Themes
Family Game Night
Young Directors
Healthy Lifestyle
Calligraphy

