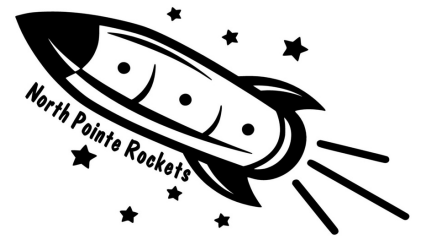


To The Pointe



North Pointe Rocket PTA Newsletter

September 19, 2023 www.rocketpta.com Facebook: PTA of North Pointe Elementary

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
September	18	19 PTA Meeting 5:30 PM NPE Gym Pizza & Child Care	20	21 School Skate Night @ Fun Time	22
	25 <u>No School</u> <u>For Students</u>	26	27	28 <u>PTA</u> <u>INTERNATIONAL</u> <u>NIGHT</u>	29
	2 Dine Out To Donate	3 Fall Pictures	4	5	6 Character Connection PTA Meeting 2:45 PM
October	9 <u>No School</u> <u>For Students</u>	10	11	12 4th Grade Field Trip	13 End of 9 Weeks
	16	17	18 MOD Pizza Spirit Night	19	20

Coming Up!

International Night

**Come travel the world with us!****When: September 28, 2023****Time: 6:00 pm- 7:00 pm****Place: The North Pointe Gym**

We are looking for families interested in hosting a booth for International Night. Share something unique about your native country or culture – traditional costumes, special food, arts, music, games or dance.

In previous years we have had great success with 15 cultures represented and over 200 kids participating. We hope you can join us and add your culture to our wonderfully diverse event!

Reflections- "I'm hopeful because"

For the rest of September and October students can participate in the nationally recognized PTA art show and contest Reflections. Students can show their talent and creativity through drawing, painting, photography, singing, dancing, writing. This is a really great opportunity to foster our students creative talents.

The theme this year is "I'm hopeful because". What makes your student hopeful?

A flyer will be sent home later this week with the entry form. At least one member of the household must be a registered member of the PTA. Please drop off your art work in the box outside the library.

All submissions are due Oct. 20.

Student artwork will be compiled into a digital gallery so we can all celebrate their special talents. Initial judging will be done by the Art Education students at UHCL. Can't wait to see all the works of art!



Around The School

Rocket PTA Website!

North Pointe PTA has a website!

www.rocketpta.com Bookmark it and visit it regularly, as it is still growing!

Library Helpers



[Click Here for Library Form](#)

Our NPE Librarian, Mrs. Sandner needs help throughout the school year. If you would like to be on the Library Helpers' list, please submit this form and our PTA Library Coordinator will reach out soon!

GT Testing Deadline October 1st

The Gifted & Talented Program is designed for students who demonstrate significantly above-average achievement or potential in the areas of general intellectual ability, specific subject matter aptitude, and creative/productive thinking skills. Clear Creek ISD screens for qualified Gifted and Talented students using a variety of sources including performance on qualitative and quantitative screening instruments, teacher recommendations, authentic assessments, classroom performance, and selection procedures.

Parents may refer students for testing. The deadline for students in grades 1 – 12 is October 1st. Please note that all second graders will participate in a grade level wide administration of a cognitive abilities test – do not refer your second grader for testing! The deadline for accepting referrals for students in kindergarten is December 1st. All kinder students will participate in a grade level wide GT screener during the fall semester.

If you are interested in having your child tested this year, please email the Advanced Academics Specialists for North Pointe, Jean Neyland, at jneyland@ccisd.net. Please include your child's full name, homeroom teacher, and grade. After you submit your name for referral, paperwork will be sent to you to complete. Your child will not be able to be tested until all forms are received.

For more information on testing, please visit: <https://www.ccisd.net/gifted-talented>