

PTA News



PTA Membership

More than ever, the Steck PTA is counting on your membership to help support our students and school. From learning subscriptions to technology for e-learning, we're working hard to provide the best tools for the virtual classroom. Join today!! Should you join the PTA this year? Absolutely! Here are just a few of the ways the PTA supports your school:

- 1) **Learning subscriptions** – including PebbleGo and Spelling City – are made possible through donations from the PTA. These interactive programs keep students engaged and make learning fun!
- 2) Funds from the PTA budget may be used toward **technology and tools to support e-learning**. We are committed to contributing to the classroom for all learning environments.
- 3) **Staff appreciation** programs are sponsored and organized by the PTA. Your amazing faculty is working hard to provide the best remote learning experience for our students. Help us show them how grateful we are for all that they do for our school!
- 4) **Access to the student directory** is available to paid PTA members only. Join to ensure your students can stay in touch with their friends!
- 5) A portion of the **fifth-grade celebration** is paid for by the PTA and we make sure to send them off to middle school in style! For last year's class, we paid for and placed a sign in front of every fifth grader's home to congratulate them on their accomplishment.

Visit <https://reba-o-steck-pta.square.site/product/pta-membership/1?cs=true> today to join! If you signed up during registration, keep an eye out for an email with instructions on how to finalize your

membership. You can also fill out a membership form via <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-jtNlKzSBEGklbmX4vlukyIKTWs1vJ5B/view?usp=sharing>

Thank you to the families that joined during registration! If you still have to pay your membership fee, you will receive an email from melissahallada.pta@gmail.com with next steps to complete the membership process in the coming weeks.

This year's school directory will include contact information for families that opted-in to share their data during registration and will be available exclusively to paid PTA members. We will be using a new format this year, and an email with access instructions will be sent to members once it's available.

For membership or directory questions, please contact Melissa Hallada at melissahallada.pta@gmail.com.

Fundraiser

Our fundraiser is half-way through and we're counting on your support! Please see details below on how you can help the Steck PTA. If shopping online is not of interest; you can still make a monetary donation on the Steck PTA website; steckeaglespta.org or send a check made payable to the Steck PTA to Katie Hartsell 841 Clarendon Lane Aurora, IL 60504.

[CLICK HERE](#) to watch our kick off video!

Here's how to help us reach our fundraising goal:

1. Please [click here](#) to register today! Use our ORGANIZATION ID 20968 to register!

2. Send 10 unique and valid shopping email invites to your friends & family using our invite tool at registration.
3. Shop! With over 2,500 gift ideas, you can check-off your holiday gift-list and support our important cause, too.

PRO TIP: The more email invites you send, the more supporters we'll get! So, break out your email contact list, share on social media, and help spread the word!

Will you take a few minutes and [register now](#)?

Dinner Night Out

Our next DNO will be Thursday, November 19th at Buona Beef in Montgomery! Become a "Buona-Fied" supporter and help give back to Steck PTA. 20% of dine-in, take-out & drive thru sales will benefit the school. Please mention STECK PTA or show [this flier](#) when ordering.

What is AmazonSmile?

AmazonSmile is a simple way for you to support your favorite charitable organization every time you shop, at no cost to you. AmazonSmile is available at smile.amazon.com on your web browser and can be activated in the Amazon Shopping app for iOS and Android phones. (Amazon.com)

Do you shop amazon? If yes, it is easy to support Steck Elementary with each purchase. A few minutes to set up is all it takes.

If you type in the word smile before Amazon.com you will be brought to the same amazon site but on the fundraising site.

The first time you go to smile you will be asked to choose the organization you want to support. Please choose Steck Elementary PTA.

Continue to use amazon for your purchases and we will receive credit.

ONGOING STECK PTA FUNDRAISERS

For a list of ways that YOU can support the Steck PTA year round, please click [HERE](#).

PTA INFO

Remember you can always find more information about PTA programs on our website and facebook page!

Website:

<http://steckeaglespta.org/>

Follow our [Facebook](#) page!