

Parking Space Raffle



Are you an enthusiastic volunteer who will be at school frequently throughout the year? Then you may want to try your chances at getting a reserved parking space just for you! Imagine the time you will save being able to park right in front of the office, any time or day!

The PTSA is holding a raffle for two reserved parking spaces. Now through September 8th, you can buy a raffle ticket to win one of the two reserved parking spaces. Winners will be drawn on Sept. 12 at the PTSA Board Meeting at 10 AM.

Raffle tickets cost \$25 and a maximum of 200 will be sold. Both parking space winners will be drawn from the same entries. You can only win one, but you can buy as many tickets as you'd like to increase your chances! (While supplies last)

[Click here to buy raffle tickets.](#)



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Meet the Teacher/PTSA Info Fair

Sept 5th, 9 - 11:30 AM

The day the kids are looking forward to! Meet the Teacher day!

And while you're at school meeting your child's new teacher, come to the PTSA Info Fair -- sign up for activities, volunteer, meet Board members and more!

Stop by the Spirit Wear Table and buy some of our great new Spirit Wear, too!

Classroom times by Grade

9:00-9:30 (1st & 5th)

10:00-10:30 (K & 4th)

11:00-11:30 (2nd & 3rd)

(Info Fair the whole time!)

Tea and Tissues



Parents of Kindergarteners, please join us for **TEA & TISSUES** on the First Day of School for Kindergarteners, Monday, September 11. Meet at the Entrance Doors to join us for coffee, tea and treats to help you get a little more comfortable with your child's first day of school.

TEA & TISSUES, Monday, September 11th at 9:10 a.m. For more information, please email president@endeavourptsa.org.



Many Hands Make **LIGHT** Work

Calling all volunteers!

We are still in need of volunteers to help make our programs a success! From Event Parking & Shuttle Chair to Student Banking Days, Back to School Bus Greeters, and everyone's favorite, Popcorn Friday, there are roles to fit every interest and schedule.

For more information, email us at volunteers@endeavourptsa.org. Please visit the Endeavour Elementary [PTSA Website](#) and select Volunteer for a complete list of opportunities.

Don't forget your [volunteer application](#)!! All volunteers in the Issaquah School District must register and complete an application before you can volunteer at school. If you registered last year, you simply need to update your application.



Are you a maker? A project leader? A parent who wants to spend time in the classroom, connecting with students? If so, the Discover Art Program is perfect for you!

Join the 2017-2018 Discover Art team of volunteers and be a part of bringing creativity to our classrooms and providing a powerful learning experience to our children. Your time and energy will not only allow for students to learn the fundamentals of art, but will also unleash opportunities for open-ended exploration, individual expression and innovative thinking.

No art or formal teaching experience is required! Lessons are organized in a step-by-step format, materials are provided and the students will delight in the experience.

Sign up at your child's Curriculum Night, during the Meet-the-Teacher day, or online at the Endeavour PTSA website: <http://endeavourptsa.org/Home>. Assignments for each class will be made on a first-come, first-serve basis. Training for Art Docents will take place at the end of September.

Questions? Email blakelybraniff@gmail.com.
We hope you will join our team!

A different volunteer need!

Discover Art is also looking for a Supply Co-Chair for the 2017-18 school year! If you love art supplies, are organized and want to fill a crucial role in this amazing program, we need you! Please contact Blakely Rickett, Program Chair, for details: blakelybranniff@gmail.com







Membership Matters

As of this writing, we have 380 paid memberships in the PTSA (this does not count donated staff memberships). Thank you to those who joined for making that happen. If you haven't had a chance to buy a membership yet, please consider doing so now by [clicking here](#)! We continue to strive for the goal of Every Child, One Voice -- meaning one membership per child in our school.

PTSA Membership does have its privileges. Your PTSA Membership gets you access to our Online Directory, but also gets you access to huge savings through the Washington State PTA negotiated programs. Great Wolf Lodge and Wild Waves discounts, ticket savings to many venues and events, and much more.

Check out the [WSPTA page](#) for details!

<p>Save  Please!</p> <p>Every clip counts</p> 	<p>Hope you've been saving your Box Tops this summer! Watch for the first contest when school starts.</p>
	<p>Camping season over? Time to wash that car? Pick up your Brown Bear Car Wash tickets now! Only \$6/ticket (retail is \$8). Contact Alison Keith to purchase. alisonvkeith@gmail.com</p>
	<p>We have PCC Scrip cards pre-loaded with \$25! Every time you recharge your card, PCC will donate 5% back to the Endeavour PTSA! It's a win-win! Contact Alison Keith to purchase. alisonvkeith@gmail.com</p>

Fun Run with Orange Ruler!



Orange Ruler Fun Run

Orange Ruler is a fundraising program that not only involves the community in the PTSA's efforts to support Endeavour but encourages students to stay active and to believe in themselves and others.

Dare to Be Orange, You Always Measure Up!

This is our One Major fundraiser of the year. Students can Invite Family, Friends and Relatives to Kick in And Help With The Efforts!

Fun and Inspiring Messages Are Delivered to all Students Leading Up To The Big Day and The Fun Run Takes Place During The School Day on Thursday, October 5! Winning classrooms will earn great prizes like Jamba Juice and a Kona Ice party and Recess with Randy. Stay tuned for more information on all the fun!

Help Us Make This Exciting Fundraiser a Success, So We Can Keep Supporting Endeavour Elementary. *Your generous donations provide critical funding for Classroom Grants, Science Programs including our Annual Science Fair, the Discover Art Program, Recess and Lunch Support and an abundance of student enrichment programs at Endeavour Elementary.*

Important Dates

Kick Off Assembly for Students & Staff TBD (Sept)

Donations Turn In 10/3

Fun Run (During School Hours) 10/5



Popcorn Friday Update!!!



First Popcorn Friday moved to September 15th!

In order to include the Kindergarteners and allow some time for kids to settle in and remember their 50 cents, the first Popcorn Friday has been moved to the second Friday in September -- the 15th! After this, each First Friday of the month will be Popcorn Friday. We're still looking for [volunteers](#) for both shifts that day, and many others. This is a great way to volunteer, see lots of kids, and get huge popularity points on the playground.

The School Garden and Service

By Taya Montgomery

Helping out in the school garden is so fun and rewarding! My kids were excited about all of the fresh vegetables that were sprouting up from each raised bed. They enthusiastically wanted to eat what we helped plant and watch grow. I explained to them that helping with the garden is about service because not everyone is fortunate enough to have the resources to grow their own garden or purchase what they need. We grow fresh food for people who are facing financial hardship and need assistance because people who consume healthy balanced meals rich in vegetables feel more full, are healthier, and live longer. Fresh foods grown from the garden have essential vitamins, minerals, fibers and phytochemicals that help people build a strong immune system. The school garden is tended and driven by service, love and community.

Visit the [PTSA Website](#) to volunteer, or contact [Taya Montgomery](#)





PTSA Membership Meeting



Mark your calendars for Sept 21st at 7 PM!

We will have our first full Membership Meeting of the year and we need quorum! Come vote on our finalized budget for the year, learn more about our priorities, and meet the Board and other leaders. We are looking forward to meeting more of you, too!



- Sept 1 - Class assignments on Family Access
- Sept 5 - Meet the Teacher
- Sept 6 - First Day of School (Grades 1-5)
- Sept 11 - First Day for Kindergarteners
- Sept 11 - Tea and Tissues
- Sept 13 & 14 - Curriculum Nights
- Sept 15 - First Popcorn Friday!
- Sept 18 - Picture Day
- Sept 21 - PTSA Membership Meeting, 7 PM
- [Full PTSA Calendar](#)

Did you know that every Friday is Spirit Wear Friday? Wear your favorite team's jersey or your Endeavour Spirit Wear and show your school pride.

Helpful Links:

[Endeavour PTSA Website](#)

[PTSA Calendar](#)

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