



# WELCOME!

*from the* **Oak Hill PTO** ~ *where many hands make a difference.*

**Welcome to a new school year!** The PTO executive board met several times this summer and is very excited to have set the following goals for the upcoming 2010-2011 school year:

- 1. Communication:** To effectively communicate with parents, teachers and staff about PTO programs, activities, and issues. The PTO will offer a variety of formats to disseminate PTO information through its PTO website, emails, newsletters, bulletin board, meetings, and a master calendar.
- 2. Enrichment:** To offer a variety of enrichment opportunities for students and their families. The PTO will continue to offer a variety of student and family enrichment opportunities throughout the school year. We hope to see you at our first Fall Family Event on Friday, September 24 at the Skate Zone.
- 3. Parent Involvement:** To support a welcoming environment, increase parent involvement and to build upon the school's sense of community. Your involvement in your child's education is key to our school's success. Parents are a vital part of a team that works hard to keep Oak Hill the best place there is to be! Our goal is to have 100% of our members pledge to volunteer for just 2 hours at Oak Hill. Will you?
- 4. Classroom Enrichment:** To organize events that will raise money to purchase the latest technology and book sets for use in the classroom. The PTO wants to support Oak Hill's teachers as they prepare our children for a technologically advance world. Please join us in this effort by participating in the Black and White Event November 13<sup>th</sup>, and the Talent for Technology Show in the spring.

Please look at the September PTO newsletter online (<http://www.teacherweb.com/MD/OakHillElementary/PTO>) for the proposed 10-11 PTO Budget as it will be voted on at our September 21st meeting.

We look forward to having you be a part of our parent group!!

Our sincerest wishes for a terrific school year,

<b>Aaron Apruzzese</b>	<b>Janette Hunt</b>	<b>Laura Knox</b>	<b>Sara Metcalfe</b>	<b>Chevese Turner</b>	<b>Rebecca Clingan</b>
President	1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Secretary	Treasurer

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**Please be sure to complete and return:**

- **Volunteer Form (by September 8)**
- **PTO Membership Form With Check**
- **Directory Information (by September 30)**