

Happy Autumn Ridgeline!!

September was a busy and fun month at our school. We had an awesome Green Ribbon Week and several students won safety helmets by submitting creative posters about how they can stay safe when walking and biking. The Fifth Graders had some cool adventures at Clear Creek and we welcomed hundreds of visitors last week at our Annual Grandparents Day. We finished off the month with a huge amount of Ridgeline families coming out to have some fun at our Welcome Back to School Carnival. We enjoyed the beautiful weather and the kids certainly had a great time.

This month kicks off with a crazy week including Red Ribbon Week, Book Fair and Parent/Teacher Conferences. We hope all families will take the time to speak to their students about the dangers that abuse of illegal and prescription drugs can cause. And please remind them that they have wonderful bright lives ahead and that they should always try to stay away from things that can harm them and prevent them from fulfilling their lifelong potential.

We have a great year planned out and if any parents ever want to get involved, don't hesitate to contact us. We are always looking for more volunteers!!

Thanks for your support,
Veronica Reginato, Ridgeline PTA President

Ridgeline PTA is pleased to announce our first ever YEARBOOK!

Yearbooks will cost \$10 each and order forms will be sent home soon in Wednesday folders.

Photos are needed: If you would like to contribute a photo to be considered for inclusion in the yearbook, please send photos to: **rachelle.vaughn@gmail.com.**

When sending a photo, please include teacher's name and grade.

Option to Opt Out: "Opt Out" forms are available in the office. **If you would NOT like to have your child's photo included in the Yearbook -** Please fill out this form and turn it in to your teacher no later than October 26th.

The A+ Buy 1, Get 1 Free - Book Fair

The Book Fair Runs October 2-5th: Tues. 7:30 - 4:00 / Wed. 7:30 - 8:00 / Thurs. 7:30 - 8:00 / Fri. 7:30 - 1:00 (In the LIBRARY) This is the Perfect Time to Grab Christmas Gifts for your children before or after Parent Teacher Conferences.

Legislative Notes

We hope you've all survived the first month of school! Here are a list of the dates of meetings to remember: **Ridgeline PTA Oct 4th @ 9:30am (at Ridgeline) and Alpine School District meetings are Oct. 9th (district offices) and 23rd (Timpanogos H.S) both at 6pm.**

There is and **Advocacy Conference** on October 24th from 9am-3pm. Register at utahpta.org

If you're interested in knowing even more of what's happening in Utah PTA, go to utahpta.org, click on "newsletter" and you will receive an e-newsletter with the latest updates and information!

Remember, the more knowledge and information you have up your sleeve, the better decisions you can make!

IT IS NEVER TOO LATE TO JOIN RIDGELINE PTA

We accept new members all year long! Just pop into the office and grab a membership envelope from the PTA table that is located on the right when you enter the office. Fill out the envelope and drop it into the little lock box that is on the table. It is THAT easy! Our Spirit Wear order forms are located there too and T-Shirts are discounted for PTA Members. Please remember to attach your Spirit Wear order form to your PTA membership envelope! **Pricing is as follows: Individual PTA Membership \$7.50; Family Membership (includes 2 memberships plus 2 T-shirts) \$35.00; T-Shirt with PTA Membership \$10.00; T-Shirt without PTA Membership \$12.00.**

REMEMBER...*joining the PTA does not require you to volunteer at the school. Joining simply means that you are supporting programs and activities like Grandparents Day, Dads and Donuts, Field Day, Take Home Reading, and much more!* For questions or more information about PTA membership please **contact Julie Brinkerhoff at 815-531-4044 or thebrinks2@comcast.net**