



NORTH POINT PTA NEWSLETTER

Why I'm a Part of PTA at North Point Elementary

I have done much reflecting in recent weeks about why I am a part of the PTA. I originally started to be involved because I wanted to know first-hand what kind of experience my children were having at school & wanted to help to make it better. I have loved being able to do that and to feel like my efforts are making the education of all children in our area more positive. I believe the PTA has a good, solid foundation & framework that makes it a worthy organization to support. I appreciate and have benefited from the training this organization is able to provide and love that I am learning so much about how schools & school districts run, how to advocate for children effectively & how

to bring efforts of many together for the good of all. I also appreciate working with so many great people. We have an extraordinary school because of it's administration, staff and teachers, as well as supportive parents. PTA brings all of these together to strengthen our kids. The following is a statement taken from the Utah PTA website that lists these and other reasons to be involved in PTA. Thank you for your support and for joining with us to support all the children at our school & beyond.

Sincerely, Laurie Wilcox
North Point PTA President 2013-14



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Knowledge Bowl

The deadline to sign up for Knowledge Bowl is November 8th!

Knowledge Bowl has started. Come navigate the world with us as we master GEOGRAPHY this year! You can still sign up in the office or through our link Knowledge Bowl Sign Up Form. If you're unsure what it is all about, come see a demonstration. Practices are held on Mondays (8:00 for later gators and 1:20 for early birds). Our Fall Competition will be during Parent Teacher Conferences in the gym, Wednesday Nov 13th from 6:30-7:30 and possibly a second one on Thursday. Knowledge Bowl is a great way to reinforce what your child is already learning in class!

Remember to Vote on November 5!

2013 General Election:
Visit www.lehi-ut.gov/government/election-information.

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Sign Up

School newsletters will be sent by email. To receive email information, send a request to NorthPointPTA@gmail.com or sign the list in the office. No action is needed if you already receive our emails.

Website

Check the school website at:
northpoint.alpineschools.com

First Wednesday

Our North Point PTA meetings are held on the first Wednesday of every month at 9:30am in the Kiva.

Join PTA

(taken from the Utah PTA Website October 31, 2013)

Given The longevity and universal name recognition of our association, it is easy to understand how “PTA” is commonly used to describe all parent groups, whether or not they are actually affiliated with PTA. Parents, teachers, and even administrators frequently are confused or even unaware of the differences between PTA and other parent organizations. So what truly differentiates PTA from all other parent groups?

PTA is the nation’s original parent group in schools. We are the nation’s premier resource for parent involvement.

PTA is a national, grassroots, not-for-profit association; neither the association nor its leaders make any profit or receive any financial benefit from PTA activities.

PTA has millions of members in more than 23,000 local units. These units are supported by a national and state system that provides them with information, resources, and training.

PTA is run by volunteers and led by volunteers, and we are accountable to our members, parents, and schools.

Members receive the information and training they need to advocate effectively at the local, state, and national levels for funding, programs, and services for their schools.

PTA is an inclusive association that is open to all those who care about children and schools.

Each of the 23,000 local units (over 650 local units in Utah) selects the programs and activities that it will undertake to address the needs of its local school and children. While National PTA creates many successful programs for local units to use, there are no PTA-mandated programs. State PTAs and National PTA provide support to help local PTAs succeed. Members receive special discounts and promotional offers from PTA National Member Benefits Providers.

PTA offers programs to increase family engagement and support the educational success, health, and well-being of all children.

All children in a school are benefitted from the funds raised and programs offered by the PTA. Every Child, One Voice National PTA and Utah PTA offer valuable programs such as Reflections, Red Ribbon Week, Battle of the Bands, Take Your Family to School Week and more. Many volunteer hours are donated to children and schools by PTA volunteers, thereby saving the school and district money.

Funds are raised to benefit the school and its students by the PTA.

PTA provides wonderful opportunities for leadership, service and personal growth. Tools and resources are available at www.pta.org and www.utahpta.org

Lincoln’s 150th Anniversary

November 19, 2013 is the 150th anniversary of Lincoln’s landmark Gettysburg Address. We are invited to join Utah students to memorize and apply the timeless principles contained in the two-minute masterpiece. For more ideas, events, and tips on getting your family “GettyReady,” please visit www.gettyready.org.

Muzart Concert

We are Hope

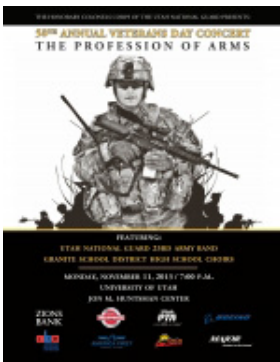
We are Hope concert to be held on Nov 9, 2013 presented by MuzArt Foundation. Location LDS Conference Center 7 pm.

For more information and ticket purchase [click here](#).



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3	4	5 Vote!	6 PTA Meeting	7	8 Sign ups for Knowledge Bowl Deadline	9
10	11	12	13 Knowledge Bowl Fall Competition 6:30-7:30 Parent teacher conferences	14	15 First Trimester Ends	16
17	18	19	20	21 2nd Grade Dad's and Doughnuts	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 Thanksgiving NO SCHOOL	29	30



58th Annual Veterans Day Concert

The Profession of Arms

Featuring: Utah National Guard 23rd Army Band
Granite School District High School Choirs
What a great event to celebrate our Military Families. Many of us know someone who has served or who is serving in our Military.

November 11, 2013 7 PM
University Of Utah
Jon M. Huntsman Center
We are hoping you will be available to join us.
[Click for more information.](#)

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Exceptional Parents & Teacher that
work together for the well-being
&
success of children, who are our
**LEADERS OF
TOMORROW**