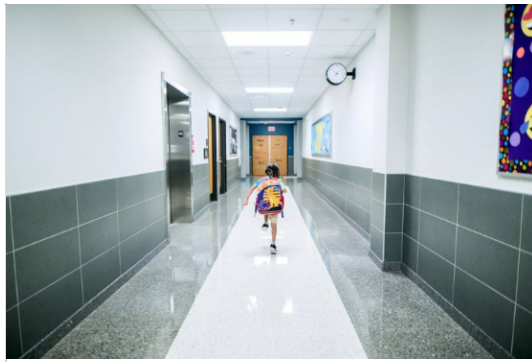




"The beautiful thing about learning is that no one can take it away from you. – B.B. King



Autism Acceptance Month



April is Autism Acceptance Month. Autism Acceptance Month highlights the issues affecting people with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and their families. Education on support services for ASD is stressed during Autism Acceptance Month. Increasing support for those living with ASD is critically important as is the acceptance of people with ASD. [Autism Education & Resources | Autism Speaks](#)

APRIL MEMBERSHIP
Membership Drive

EACH NEW MEMBERSHIP = 1 ENTRY
INTO RANDOM DRAWING FOR A FREE
STATE CONVENTION REGISTRATION
FOR THE LOCAL UNIT
WINNERS NOTIFIED BY MAY 7, 2024



Be sure to submit your new
members information
by April 20, 2024!

*members submitted for the
2023-2024 fiscal year only
[Givebacks/MemberHub | Arizona
PTA \(azpta.org\)](#)

Arizona PTA Convention 2024!

Build PTA with us at the 2024 Arizona PTA Convention. Registration is open now. The convention will be held at the Marriott Phoenix Chandler in Chandler, Arizona. Attend and enjoy workshops and complete your required training. Have fun going through the vendor hall and meeting new people. There will be voting for new Arizona PTA officers and on proposed Bylaws amendments. Enjoy the Awards Celebration Dinner on Friday night and the new Student Reflections Showcase on Saturday night. The Arizona PTA Board of Managers members are excited to meet you, so hope to see you there. Have an interest in volunteering on the convention committee? Please email convention@azpta.org for more info. Please check out the Call to Convention and more details on our [website](#).

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FRIDAY 6.21.24 & SATURDAY 6.22.24
BUILDPTA 2024
CONNECT & LEARN TO BE A
MASTER PTA BUILDER
MARRIOTT PHOENIX CHANDLER:
1600 S. PRICE RD, CHANDLER, AZ 85286



Arizona PTA is looking for committed volunteers to help us fulfill our mission of making every child's potential a reality. Join us as we work to engage and empower families and communities to advocate for all children. Positions open are Secretary, Treasurer, Vice President of Membership, Northeast Region Director, Northern Region Director, Southwest Region Director and Western Region Director. Questions about the positions? Email nomination@azpta.org

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ARE YOU OUR NEXT

Board Member?

Positions are open to run from the floor at the Arizona PTA convention. Application deadline is 5/31/24



email questions to nomination@azpta.org



Thinking About Arizona PTA Awards

As the year progresses and as the annual Arizona PTA Convention draws closer, it is the perfect time to consider applying for an Arizona PTA award for this year. Reflect on the accomplishments and contributions your local PTA/PTSA unit has made throughout this academic year. Make sure to keep a record of all these achievements. This will be crucial when the application period arrives and you are preparing to compete for titles such as the Local Unit of the Year award or the Outstanding Unit for Family Engagement Award. Begin having discussions within your meetings about potential nominees for awards like the Local Unit Volunteer of the Year Award or the Teacher of the Year, among others. Identify who in your team might take on the responsibility of filling out the application forms for these awards when the time comes. Stay tuned for upcoming information regarding the 2024 Arizona PTA Awards, the details for which will be released soon. As you plan for the next academic year, keep these awards in mind. Every local PTA/PTSA unit carries out remarkable work and it's important to celebrate these achievements. Make sure to highlight these accomplishments in an awards application both now and in future years.

2024-2025 Reflections Program



Let National PTA know you are participating in the 2024-2025 Reflections Program. The theme is "Accepting Imperfection." Your registration helps National PTA show the reach and impact of the program. Student winners from the local PTA/PTSA unit level have the opportunity to move up through Arizona PTA to the National PTA level. National PTA Reflections winners will be announced in May 2025 and be celebrated throughout the following year. Student participants and local PTA/PTSA units participate according to the specific forms, deadlines and guidelines required by Arizona PTA. Be sure to attend the "Student Reflections Showcase" on June 22, 2024, at the Arizona PTA Convention and join the excitement.

[2024-2025 National PTA Reflections Registration Survey](#)
(surveymonkey.com)



Benefit of Membership

Did you know as a PTA/PTSA member you have access to automobile insurance that might save you money? Members PTA can check with Farmers Insurance about this membership benefit. Maybe you could save hundreds of dollars. You can learn more by visiting farmers.com/groupselect or by calling 877-757-0346.

Teacher Appreciation Week.



Teacher Appreciation Week is May 6-10, 2024. Teachers play a critical role in the success of our children's education and lives. They inspire and guide our children. Let's make sure our teachers know how much they mean to us using National PTA's fun resources, gift ideas and by posting on social media, using #ThankATeacher. [Teacher Appreciation Week - Events | National PTA](#)



Calendar

4/20, 2024 - Arizona PTA Local PTA/PTSA Membership Monthly Reporting Date [Givebacks/MemberHub | Arizona PTA \(azpta.org\)](#)

4/21-27, 2024 Volunteer Appreciation Week [NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK - April 21-27, 2024 - National Today](#)

4/22, 2024 - Earth Day [Earth Day: The Official Site | EARTHDAY.ORG](#)

4/30, 2024 - Arizona PTA Teacher of the Month Applications Due [Teacher of the Month | Arizona PTA \(azpta.org\)](#)

6/21-22, 2024- 2024 Arizona PTA Convention [2024 Annual Convention | Arizona PTA \(azpta.org\)](#)

6/27 - 6/29/2024 - 2024 National PTA Convention (Virtual) Level Up PTA _ [National Parent Teacher Association | National PTA](#) [2024 National PTA Virtual Convention](#)

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