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QOHS PTSA Welcome Letter

Quince Orchard High School Families-

On behalf of the 2018-19 PTSA, welcome to Quince Orchard High School. We are pleased to announce we have been recognized by US NEWS 2018 as the 5<sup>th</sup> ranked high school in Maryland. Please join as we warmly welcome Principal Elizabeth (Beth) Thomas as she joins the Red Army. We also welcome our new students, parents, teachers and new PTSA officers and chairpersons.

I have one goal this year. I wish to have the largest PTSA Membership possible. We can't achieve the number #1 rank status without your help. If you aren't informed of news and activities -- you will miss out. The cost to join the PTSA is minimal, the benefits are endless.

Joining the QOHS PTSA is easy. Complete the attached membership form. You can mail or drop off the form to QOHS. Your contributions will benefit numerous student and staff events throughout the year. We proudly support Staff Appreciation, Scholarships, Academic Achievement, Staff Grants, Health Office, Local Charities, School Supplies, Community events; Every 15 Minutes, and much more. Although financial contributions are always welcome, volunteering is the best way to support the QOHS community.

PTSA Membership forms can be filled out in person during the new student orientation August 29th, 6 PM, in front of the school. Meet the PTSA President and Membership Chairpersons. We also welcome all parents to join us during Back to School Night (September 6 at 6 PM). Your PTSA fee includes membership in the National, State and County PTAs, as well as voting rights at meetings. Want to stay informed? Join the PTSA and receive Google List updates. You can attend PTSA meetings, to get the most up to date news and school events. We look forward to a great year!

*We are in need of volunteers during Staff Appreciation Breakfast, New Student Picnic and Back to School Night events. I need help selling Used AP Books and PTSA Membership. Email me if you can lend a hand.*

Sincerely,

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