

## Message from the McKenna PTA President

November 27, 2019

My name is Shanon Tranchina, and at the McKenna PTA's most recent Executive Board meeting, I was elected to the position of PTA President. Thanks to everyone that has sent me messages of support and congratulations. I am excited and honored to serve the McKenna school community in this capacity.

Please join me in welcoming Jennifer Laudisio to our PTA Executive Committee as she was elected Vice President. Together, the PTA Executive Committee remains committed to following New York PTA's mission statement: *to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.*

As we enter the holiday season, I want to thank everyone who has supported the PTA. From joining as a PTA member, volunteering your time at events, sharing PTA information, attending PTA meetings, and everything in between, your involvement is very important to maintain a strong PTA.

We are so close to reaching our goal of 100% membership, as we are currently at 95%! This year, your PTA membership contributions have allowed us to purchase 2020/2021 planners for McKenna Elementary 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> graders, and 2020/2021 take-home folders for McKenna Elementary kindergarteners, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> graders. Your involvement also contributes to the multiple school assemblies the PTA organizes throughout the year, as well as big events such as everyone's favorite, FIELD DAY! If you'd like to help us reach 100% membership, please visit our [membership site](#).

I'd love to see you at our next PTA meeting on January 13, 2019, at 7:30 PM in the McKenna Senior Center. Have a very happy holiday season!

Shanon Tranchina

President, McKenna PTA