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Dear Evans Families,

On behalf of the Evans Elementary Home & School Association, we would like to welcome everyone back for the 2018-2019 school year! We hope you had a wonderful summer and that your children are as excited to come back to school as we are!

The Home & School Association is made up of Evans parents, school staff and teachers. Our primary objective as an H&SA is to provide our school with funds, programs, resources and services that will enrich the lives and maximize the education of every child at Evans Elementary School. To meet this important objective, we fundraise!

We know that receiving multiple requests for donations throughout the year can be overwhelming, so we encourage you to research the events we have planned for this year and choose those about which you feel the most passionate. Donating is never required, but it's the generosity of our Evans community that makes so many wonderful things possible for our students.

Donating isn't the only way to help Evans and the H&SA! We are a small but busy group and depend on passionate parents to volunteer throughout the year. A special thanks to all of our volunteers from last year for all their hard work and dedication! Nothing is possible without you!

Here at Evans, we want our children to be happy and successful, and what better way than to become involved in the H&SA? In this welcome packet you'll find a list of our committees and scheduled events. Please consider joining one of these committees! The H&SA is a team effort in which we cannot succeed on our own.

We invite you to visit the H&SA website at www.evansHSA.org. Here you'll find a list of meeting dates scheduled throughout the year, fundraiser information, upcoming H&SA events, H&SA newsletters, volunteer opportunities and more! You can also join our private Facebook group for Evans families at www.facebook.com/groups/EvansHomeAndSchool.

If you would like to join the H&SA, please complete and return the enclosed Membership Form along with your \$10 cash donation to school by Friday, September 14, 2018. Even if you choose not to join the H&SA, we ask you to join our school directory by following the instructions in this packet.

We have a ton of amazing events planned for this year! Reach out to any board member for more information or come to our first H&SA General Membership Meeting on Tuesday, September 11 at 7pm in the library. We'd love to see you there!

Sincerely,

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