

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Why Join the PTA?

Joining the PTA is simply a way to say you support our school!

There are no strings attached - by becoming a PTA member you are not required to volunteer (although we hope you do) nor do you have to attend meetings (but we sure would like to see you). Becoming a member simply means you are supporting VRES and its tax deductible.

Did You Know the PTA funds

- The purchase of laptops for our Mobile Lab & other Technology (\$6,800)
- Teacher stipends to set-up their classrooms (\$4,200)
- Teacher Professional Development (not covered by FCPS) (\$3,000)
- Curriculum Enhancement via Mini-Grants for Teachers (\$3,000)
- Assemblies (\$5,000)
- Field Trips/Grade Level Events (\$3,100)
- Teacher/Staff Appreciation (\$5,000)

We also Sponsor/Plan/Coordinate:

- Back to School Picnic
- Fall Dance
- Bingo Night
- Color Run
- Lego & Passport Clubs
- Movie Night
- Summer PE Sports Camp
- Variety Show
- Volleyball Game
- Yearbook

We do all this and A LOT MORE with your help and your membership dollars. Every dollar benefits our school and enhances your child's education and experience at VRES!

Please become a member TODAY! We will not have a fall fundraiser asking you to sell stuff or make a "no fuss" contribution this year. We are focusing on the simple ways to support our school such as PTA Membership, the grocery store rebate programs, box tops and restaurant nights.