



**DHMS PTSA Membership Form  
July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021**

Parent/Guardian 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Oldest Student Name/Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian 2 (required if 2 adults membership): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**PTSA Membership Dues** (\$10 per adult and \$5 per student) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**DONATE \$ \_\_\_\_\_ today to the Phoenix Fund**, the PTSA's primary source of income (please consider a donation if you are able to contribute)

**Total Attached:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Please PAY ONLINE at [bit.ly/DHMSPTSAEZForm](https://bit.ly/DHMSPTSAEZForm) or fill out this form and make check payable to DHMS PTSA)

\*Completed forms/payment can be mailed to:

Dorothy Hamm Middle School, Attn: PTSA Membership, 4100 Vacation Lane, Arlington, VA 22207.

Questions? Please contact Susan Newton at [membership@dhmsptsa.org](mailto:membership@dhmsptsa.org).

**CONNECT WITH THE DHMS PTSA #dhmsconnected**



**Join the PTSA:** [bit.ly/DHMSPTSAEZForm](https://bit.ly/DHMSPTSAEZForm)

**Subscribe to Phoenix Post (weekly email newsletter):** Text PHOENIXPOST to 22828

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/252586794927556/>

**Twitter:** @dhms\_ptsa

**NEW! Instagram:** @dhms.ptsa

**Website:** <https://dorothyhamm.apsva.us/ptsa-welcome-message/>



August 2020

Dear Dorothy Hamm Middle School Families,

Welcome to Dorothy Hamm Middle School! The COVID-19 Pandemic continues to present many challenges to how schools educate our children. The DHMS PTSA remains committed to being flexible, to continuing to engage and inform families, and to supporting our students and staff. Even over the summer, the DHMS PTSA has stayed active by donating book cabinets to DHMS, Key ES, Kenmore MS, Randolph ES, Glebe ES, and Harvey Hall Apartments and running a grocery gift card drive for those DHMS families in need.

The theme for this year is **#dhmsconnected**. Look for this hashtag in PTSA communications, and let's work together to help keep all of our students engaged and connected during this challenging school year. Please remember that, regardless of member status, **ALL families** are welcome at PTSA events. PTSA programs and events are designed to be inclusive of all students, parents, and staff, and all voices contribute greatly and make a better PTSA. Parents, teachers, and students may volunteer for the PTSA and are encouraged to do so!

The PTSA is sensitive to the uncertain economic times, but your membership dues and donations will support the PTSA, its programs, and our students and staff, especially as we all adapt to a virtual world for the start of the school year.

- You can **join the PTSA** online by going to [bit.ly/DHMSPTSAEZForm](https://bit.ly/DHMSPTSAEZForm) or using the membership form on the reverse side of this letter – dues are a modest \$10 per parent or teacher and \$5 per student.
- If you are able to contribute, please consider a **donation to the Phoenix Fund** – the PTSA's primary source of income.
- When you join the PTSA, you can **subscribe to the DHMS PTSA weekly email newsletter, the Phoenix Post**. You can also subscribe to the Phoenix Post by texting PHOENIXPOST to 22828.

I look forward to meeting and connecting with you this year – whether in person or more likely virtually. We welcome your enthusiasm, donations, time, skills, and more! Please feel free to connect with me at any time at [president@dhmsptsa.org](mailto:president@dhmsptsa.org).

Sincerely,

Debbie Pearson, DHMS PTSA President 2020-21