

MEET YOUR PTO EXECUTIVE 2023-24

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The PTO are always here for you. If you ever need to get in touch with us, please feel free to email us.

THE ROLE OF YOUR PTO

WHAT IS THE PTO? A Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) is a partnership between the parents/guardians of students and the teachers/administrators of the school. WHAT DOES THE PTO DO? The PTO conducts fundraisers and gives the funds to the school. HOW DO WE RAISE MONEY? The PTO conducts fundraisers during the school year. The major fundraisers include a spring fair, holiday art cards, coffee, and soup orders. Events vary from year to year. WHAT DO WE DO WITH THE MONEY RAISED? The PTO members, with input from teachers and administrators, decide and vote to allocate the money raised each year. In the past, the money has been used to provide items to the teachers such as: ü Computer equipment ü Educational videos ü Projectors ü Listening centres ü Furniture ü Books ü Outdoor garden ü Phys Ed equipment ü Holiday crafts and treats for the students The money is also used to host field trips like: ü Swim ü Neptune theatre ü Ice cream social ü Field day ü Spring fair HOW CAN I VOLUNTEER? The PTO is always looking for volunteers. Without volunteers, the school equipment and field trips cannot happen. These things bring much needed resources to the classroom and provide interesting activities for the students to experience. If you're interested in volunteering for a specific event or as part of the PTO Executive, please get in touch with any of the Executive members.

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE

When you are completing fundraising forms, we need EXACT PAYMENT in either cash or cheque, made payable to Colby Village Elementary PTO. Payment and completed order forms MUST be sent in on or before the date requested on the form. Although this may seem like a minor detail, when you have volunteers coming in to count money, collecting orders, making up orders, photocopying and organizing distribution lists, etc., the process moves along much faster and efficiently when our volunteers have exact payment, and we only have to do it once. We appreciate your support in advance.