

Atascadero High School

# PTSA NEWS

October 26, 2018

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Welcome to the 2018-2019 School Year,

It has been a very fast paced start up of the school year, and it doesn't seem possible that it is already October!

We welcome several new teachers to our staff this year. They are teaching Physical Education, English, Mathematics, Physics, Social Studies, Computer Science, Theater/Drama, Special Education, and Choir. This cohort of educators is an outstanding addition to the excellent team of veteran teachers here at the high school.

Our teachers are utilizing the new 1:1 technology and approximately 95% of our students are bringing their devices each day. It is important to encourage your students to "Get Charged Up for School." This means students need to make recharging their electronic devices each night part of their routine. Teachers are employing technology in order to support dynamic instruction, academic enrichment and for purposes of assessing learning.

Construction and remodeling are progressing well. Our Band and Choir have been able to move back into the music building. The ramp which connects our lower campus/athletic fields and the upper campus should be open in a week or so. The Science classrooms are quickly taking shape. It really is amazing how quickly they are being erected. The metal and wood shops, with their adjoining classroom, are next in line as the foundations have been poured. The Science rooms and Shops are expected to be completed in time for the beginning of school next year.

The 2018-2019 school year is off to a great start and I look forward, with much anticipation, to the rest of the year.

## UPCOMING SAT

**Date:** December 1, 2018

**Registration Deadline:** November 2, 2018

**Date:** March 9, 2019

**Registration Deadline:** February 8, 2019

## UPCOMING ACT

**Date:** December 8, 2018

**Registration Deadline:** November 2, 2018

**Date:** February 9, 2019

**Registration Deadline:** January 11, 2019

## IMPORTANT DATES:

**November 12** - Veterans' Day

**November 19** - Thanksgiving Break begins

**December 18** - Semester finals begin



## ENJOY EXCLUSIVE PERKS OF BEING A PTSA MEMBER THIS FALL

As a PTA member, you advocate for children, promote parent and family involvement in schools and improve the lives of all children and families. Here are a few extra perks of membership availability exclusive to PTA members like you! For discount codes and more information, visit [www.capta.org/member-perks](http://www.capta.org/member-perks).

### **Baskin-Robbins**

Come celebrate the holidays with Baskin-Robbins! We invite PTA members to celebrate by downloading the Baskin-Robbins mobile app for special features and deals to make every trip to Baskin-Robbins a little bit sweeter. Download the app today and get a free scoop!\* Or, come in today with [this coupon](#) and get **\$3** off a cake.

### **Aquarium of the Pacific**

Take a journey of discovery through the world's largest ocean at the Aquarium of the Pacific in Long Beach. **Special Promotion:** Buy an adult e-ticket and get a child e-ticket for FREE! Now through October 31, when you purchase our special adult e-ticket, your order will automatically include a free child e-ticket. Adult e-tickets must be purchased from your Aquarium e-ticket store. Free child e-tickets are valid any day through October 31, 2018. Adult e-tickets are valid one year from date of purchase. [Buy your e-tickets now](#).

### **California Academy of Sciences**

There is so much to see at the world's only aquarium-planetarium-rainforest-living museum! The annual exhibit, Tis the Season for Sciences, includes a hands-on polar-themed exhibit and an ice rink and runs Friday November 16, 2018 through Sunday, January 6, 2019. Save **15%** on tickets for friends and family! Visit [www.calacademy.org/etickets2](http://www.calacademy.org/etickets2) and use code **CAPTA**.

### **LEGOLAND**

**PTA Family Field Trip- BEST VALUE!** More than 50% off a LEGOLAND California/SEA LIFE Hopper ticket- only **\$55** per person! Must be reserved and pre-paid by phone at least one day in advance. Call (760) 438-5346 and have your school name ready. Minimum purchase 6 tickets.

**Kids Go Free Online Offer-** Free child admission with paid adult admission offer. See [www.LEGOLAND.com/pta flyer](http://www.LEGOLAND.com/pta flyer) for details. Available only for purchase online, in advance of your visit. Use promo code **15031**. Restrictions apply.

### Shipt

Put time back in your schedule by getting your groceries delivered to your door. Get same-day deliveries on groceries and goods from Target and other stores you love in as little as one hour with Shipt. As a PTA member, you can get a Shipt membership for just **\$49** (normally \$99), and enjoy free same-day delivery for a year. Use discount code **KC589279P8C** at [www.shipt.com/offer](http://www.shipt.com/offer) to redeem your membership today!

### Urban Sitter

Searching for an after-school babysitter, date night sitter, full-time nanny or last-minute backup care? UrbanSitter is an app and site that unlocks your personal network to connect you with trusted babysitters of parents you know. Find sitters recommended by parents from your child's school, friends, coworkers and moms groups. Now, it's easier than ever to find, book and pay sitters you trust. Sign up for your PTA discount today and see sitters recommended by people you know and trust! All PTA members receive **\$35** credit for UrbanSitter with promo code **CAPTA35**. To redeem, visit [www.urbansitter.com/promo/capta](http://www.urbansitter.com/promo/capta).

### [Perks for PTA units:](#)

#### Panda Express

Panda Express, America's largest family-owned Chinese restaurant is America's favorite Chinese kitchen. Dedicated to helping our communities, Panda Express offers programs such as Panda's Pawsibilities Reading Program, School Lunch Program and Fundraising to support and give back to our communities. For more information, [download the fundraising flier](#).

### [Exclusive Member Benefits from National PTA:](#)

#### Good Housekeeping

Good Housekeeping has a special 12-month subscription offer exclusively for PTA members! For only **\$6** you'll receive an entire year of this modern lifestyle magazine featuring great, useful content for busy women and moms- such as recipes for fast, delicious meals, budget-friendly style tips, ways to improve your health and simple solutions to manage all aspects of your family life. [Log in](#) to redeem this special PTA subscription offer.

#### Hertz

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every rental, additional savings on affordable prepaid rate, special promotions in addition to your discount and FREE Hertz Gold Plus Rewards. Earn free rental days and receive expedited service!

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Atascadero High School PTSA meetings are held in the lower conference room of AHS @ 6:30

**December 3, January 14, March 11, April 1, and May 6**

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