



ALPHARETTA HIGH SCHOOL PTSA MEMBERSHIP FORM

Why Join?

PTA/PTSA is the largest child advocacy group in the country, working hard toward improving education for all students. Your membership supports this effort. This membership drive is the main AHS PTSA fundraiser and your only opportunity to receive a student directory.

Basic Information (please print clearly)

Parent(s) Name(s) _____ Home Phone _____

Email _____ Alternate Phone _____

Student's Name _____ Grade 2009-10 _____

Student's Name _____ Grade 2009-10 _____

Languages spoken at home _____

Check here if you **DO NOT** want to be listed in the Student Directory.

Membership Options

- Raider Patron** (membership for parents and all AHS students, 2 directories, 1 drawstring sports bag with Raider logo) **\$100**
- Burgundy Patron** (membership for parents and all AHS students, 2 directories) **\$75**
- Silver Patron** (membership for parents and 1 AHS student, 1 directory) **\$50**
- Member*** (membership for one person, no directory) **\$10**
- Additional Donation** (tax deductible) \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED

\$ _____

Check here if your company offers a matching donation. Company Name: _____ Office Phone: _____

* Please note that directories are only available for silver, burgundy, and Raider members.

Volunteer Opportunities

AHS strives to be nationally competitive in academics, the arts, athletics, and service to the community. It takes hard work to build quality and traditions. If you are interested in helping, please check one or more of the opportunities below.

Yes, I/we would like to assist with the following committee(s):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Evening Education Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy Life Choices | <input type="checkbox"/> Visual Arts and School Décor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Directory (Ad sales, formatting, etc) | <input type="checkbox"/> Newcomers Welcome | <input type="checkbox"/> Textbook Distribution/Return |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attendance/Front office volunteers | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent to Parent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Counseling & Career Ctr. volunteers | <input type="checkbox"/> Honors Recognition | <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Concerns |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Media Center volunteers | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Events | <input type="checkbox"/> Miscellaneous or one-time tasks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Staff Appreciation events | <input type="checkbox"/> Unity Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Food/drink donations for events |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PAT (Parents Assisting Teachers) | <input type="checkbox"/> Campus Beautification | <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure; please call me |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I own a business and would consider donating goods/services/resources. Business contact info: _____ | | |

Safe Homes

The AHS PTSA supports the national Safe Homes program. For more information, see the back of this form. **If you want to commit to having a safe home, please check the box below, fill out and sign the signature line on the back of this form.**

We would like our home to be listed as a Safe Home.

Mail Your Membership Form

Bring this completed form to Orientation or mail it to the address at right and make your check payable to *Alpharetta High School PTSA*. Thank you. Questions? Call Elizabeth Thompson, membership chair, at 770-360-9762.

Alpharetta High School PTSA
c/o Elizabeth Thompson
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Alpharetta, GA 30022





The Alpharetta High School PTSA publicly supports the national [SAFE HOMES](#) program. This program encourages communication and positive peer pressure among high school communities to discourage the use and social acceptance of alcohol and other illegal drug use among teens.

If you are interested in committing to having a safe home, please check the Safe Homes box on the membership form on the back of this sheet and return it as soon as possible. A list of parents who participate will be available to the AHS community. Signing the pledge does not legally obligate you, but we as a committee believe it does open communication between parents and it allows the AHS community to make a positive statement regarding the health and well being of our children.

As a service to all parents, we are providing a summary of the Georgia Laws regarding the use of alcohol and other drugs by our children.

- It is unlawful to furnish or sell alcoholic beverages to a person under 21 years of age; for a person to act as an agent to purchase any alcohol beverages for a person under 21 years of age; and for a person under 21 years of age to misrepresent his identity to or use fake identification for the purpose of obtaining any alcoholic beverage.
- It is unlawful to drive a car while under the influence of alcohol or drugs. O.C.G.A. 40-6-391.
- A parent may sue anyone who sells or gives alcohol to such parent's underage child without their permission. O.C.G.A. 51-1-18.

Alcohol and drugs threaten the health and safety of our children and undermine the education of students. We at AHS are committed to providing an environment that will foster the health and well being, personal development, and intellectual growth of our students.

SAFE HOMES COMMITMENT FORM

As parents, we accept the responsibility for the health and welfare of our children and believe it is time for all parents to become involved in preventing the use of alcohol and drugs by teenagers. Adult inaction can be perceived as approval by teens so we must act now. By signing the pledge we are stating that we care enough to take a stand.

- I will be home and visible during any teenage gathering at my home.
- I will not serve nor will I allow youth under legal drinking age to consume alcohol in my home or on my property.
- I will not allow the use of illegal drugs in my home or on my property.
- I will provide adult supervision for my underage child if I am out of town.
- I will welcome calls from other parents if my child is having a party; I will feel free to call the host's parents if my child is invited to a party.
- I will discuss these guidelines, the AHS conduct policies, the Georgia laws (see below) and my expectations regarding alcohol and other drugs with my child.

By careful consideration and signing of the form below I/we indicate my/our willingness to accept the responsibility for creating a healthy environment where alcohol and illegal drugs have no place.

Parent(s) Name(s) _____

Student(s) Name(s) _____

Parent(s) Signature(s) _____

Date _____