



Great Falls Elementary School PTA

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Dear GFES Families,

Welcome to the 2017-2018 school year! I would like to welcome back our returning families and extend a big WELCOME to all the new families in our GFES community. We are looking forward to a great year filled with fantastic events, community building activities, and most importantly, supporting our students and teachers, so they can continue to attain excellence in education.

Based on the generosity of our GFES families in past years, the PTA has been able to fund many exciting programs, purchase critical technologies for our students, and provide training opportunities for our teachers. Your dollars directly benefit your children.

Your generosity supports the following:

Science Enrichment
Leveled Book Library
Critical Thinking Lab
Hospitality for Staff
Science Olympiad

Art Enrichment
Technology
Reflections
Classroom funds for teachers
Community Outreach Programs

It is critical that we raise the money needed to support and enhance the many great program offerings. Once the school year begins, so does our armchair fundraiser, the Roadrunner Giving Campaign (RGC). Please consider donating \$250 per family to the RGC, which will help us get to our annual goal. This is a direct donation program where 100% of your donation goes directly to GFES PTA programs, enrichment and teacher support.

I would like to thank our 2017-18 corporate sponsors. Their generosity has given us a significant jump start to this year's fundraising efforts. Special thank you to Garai Orthodontic Specialists, James McDonald Associate Architects, CGI Home Improvement, Manhattan Pizza and Honey Baked Ham.

Thank you for your continued support. I look forward to another year of partnering with teachers and administration to provide many exciting and enriching activities. Our children and school community are successful because of YOU!

Sincerely,

Jackie Grayer
PTA President