

Middlebrook PTA Lite Messenger

Sept. 19, 2021

Middlebrook Sept. Calendar

Monday	Sept.	20	Grade 7 - Parent Open House 7:00 pm
Thursday	Sept.	23	PTA Meeting 9:30 am
Thursday	Sept.	23	Photo Day for Students - Lifetouch
Thursday	Sept.	23	Board of Ed meeting - Zoom and WHS Professional LIbrary 7:00pm
Monday	Sept.	27	Grade 8 Parent Open House - 7:00 pm

Middlebrook Six Day Cycle

Monday	Sept.	20	Day 1
Tuesday	Sept.	21	Day 2
Wednesday	Sept.	22	Day 3
Thursday	Sept.	23	Day 4
Friday	Sept.	24	Day 5

Special Announcement

Join the PTA

Joining the MB PTA is easy, online, and enables you to join all schools where you have students plus SEPTA all at one time, simplifying the process and saving you time. Show your support for our programs and activities, and gain access to our MobileArq online student directory. You also have the *opportunity to make a supporting donation at the same time*. You can access it from your desktop or through the app on your mobile device. Once you join, you can even edit your family's profile by adding additional contact information --- it's up to you.

To Join: Go to the following link, and use the code "**wilton**" (all lowercase): <u>https://mobilearg.com/.../school_directory_parent...</u>

Questions or issues joining?

Contact Membership VP Carolyn Lyon: carolynlyon@optonline.net

PTA Volunteers

We accept volunteers across all areas, including these featured positions for upcoming events. Please email Michelle Haggerty: michelle.mbpta@gmail.com .

Open Chair/Committee Positions:

- Parent at Large
- 7th Grade Activity Night (also need event volunteers)

Call for In-School Volunteers:

- Picture Day 9/23 (email <u>danaisquick@yahoo.com</u>)
- Project Adventure

Project Adventure (PA): PA is one of the few opportunities for parents to volunteer and help students literally reach new heights. PA is part of Middlebrook's physical education curriculum and offers students a chance to climb, swing, and belay on outdoor and indoor rope courses. Adults are needed to belay students and encourage them to face (and crush) rope course challenges. All volunteers are required to complete a belay training course and obtain certification (like Rock Climb Fairfield). All volunteers must also complete the school required background check.

Rock Climb Fairfield Learn to Belay Info: Learn to Belay under the careful guidance of our instructors. This 1.5 hr class, two-step course covers the following:

- Step 1: gym induction, harness fitting, belay (PLUS) instruction and practice.
- Step 2: basic belay assessment which must be taken more than 24 hours after part 1. Step two can be taken on your next visit to the gym and does not require you to book another belay course.
- Fee: Members: Free, Non members: \$45 (includes day pass and rentals)

For more info please contact Renee Rafferty <u>raffertyrenee@gmail.com</u> or Liz Massaua <u>Lizmassaua@gmail.com</u>.