

# BSGE PTA

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*Why*

## ■ Join?

By simply joining the PTA you are advocating on behalf of all children (including your own) no additional commitment required

The PTA raises funds to support the following important programs

AFTER-SCHOOL TEACHERS

IB FEES AND EXPENSES

COLLEGE COUNSELOR

BOOKS, & SUBSCRIPTIONS

MATH CLUB

ROBOTICS CLUB

MUSIC PROGRAM

SCHOOL NEWSPAPER

SCHOOL YEARBOOK

SPORTS ACTIVITIES

GYM RENTAL

*Why*

## ■ Donate?

Any amount you can give helps our school. Every dollar we raise goes into programs and services for our kids

*Why*

## ■ Volunteer?

There's a lot we can do together! Even one hour of time can help make an event great. Bring friends and make new friends

OPEN MIC

SPECIAL EVENTS

ANNUAL ART EXHIBIT

STAFF APPRECIATION

TEACHERS/STAFF  
CONFERENCES

Last year the PTA raised over \$60,000

A RECORD !

With your help we aim to beat that to help ensure your child gets the best out of BSGE

Join  
the BSGE  
Community  
TODAY

**WE WELCOME ALL FAMILIES**

(more details on the back)

WWW.BSGE.ORG

## ■ PTA meetings: Everybody is welcome

We meet once a month during the school year.

Generally on the second Tuesday of the month at 6.30 pm in the school cafeteria.

Our next meeting is **Tuesday October 9th.**

**Guest Speaker: Peter Wilson College Counselor & CAS Coordinator**

The agenda is divided into three sections:

Reports: Meeting Minutes-Treasurers report-SLT update

Principal's update-Parent Coordinator update

Guest: We will invite speakers,when we can, who can inform parents on topics relevant to the school and your child's education.

Committees: We have identified three majors areas that the school needs the parents help with, ideas and initiatives, to support the school these are:

Diversity and Retention, Fund raising and Events and Outreach to Alumni and other IB schools.

Everybody is welcome, BSGE is a great school but we want to hear from you and want you to contribute your ideas to making the BSGE the best it can be for the children's education and experience.

## ■ To Donate: Every dollar counts

The BSGE PTA is a 501(c)3 charity,that means that; All donations are TAX DEDUCTIBLE, and many companies will match charitable donations from their employees.

So PLEASE check with the human resources department at your company.

Matching is an easy way to double the impact of your contribution.

We have asked each family consider contributing \$700 per student per year. We understand that sounds like a lot of money, but consider for a moment the value you are getting, you are investing in your child's future; \$700 is roughly \$3.75 per day for one of the best schools in NY state. If you can give more great please do, it all helps. If you really can't meet the target that's fine too, give what you can. Every dollar counts.

Remember, we have two ways to give. You can donate online at: [gofundme.com/bsgefundraising](http://gofundme.com/bsgefundraising)


Or by check, made out to the BSGE PTA, either via backpack or directly in the mail addressed to the BSGE PTA c/o BSGE 34-12 36th Avenue Astoria NY 11106

Please include the form below with your check so we can issue you a letter for your tax records.

Some of our parents pay in monthly installments

by adding BSGE PTA as a payee on their online banking account.

## ■ Other Funding Resources: Free money

 Shopping through Amazon smile is a great way to earn money for the BSGE , its the same as shopping through amazon except BSGE gets a small donation from Amazon.

Just sign up at Amazon smile and choose Baccalaureate School for Global Education PTA as your charity. Or use this link <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/47-2624636>

**PLEASE VISIT THE PARENT SECTION OF WWW.BSGE.ORG**

**SIGN UP FOR UPDATES & LEARN ABOUT MORE WAYS TO GET FREE MONEY FOR THE PTA**

Donation to BSGE PTA:

PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM CLEARLY SO WE CAN SEND YOU A LETTER FOR TAX PURPOSES

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name : \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for your generous donation to the BSGE PTA**

Amount Enc: \_\_\_\_\_

