



Welcome from the PTSA at Council Rock!

The PTSA brings together families and the wider school community by sponsoring and coordinating many events and activities that will take place throughout the school year. We organize and run *School Pictures, the Council Rock Book Fair, Ice Cream Socials, Staff Appreciation Luncheon, and Hospitality events*. We also coordinate parent volunteers for the CRPS library and art room. We organize various community service and donation events to benefit our school and the Brighton community. The Brighton Central PTSA is committed to strengthening the connection between schools and families and advocates for school safety, child health, equity, diversity, and inclusion for all families, among many other issues. We hope that you will join us in these efforts.

Upcoming Events

PTSA School Calendar Sales

The Brighton PTSA school calendar is a great way to stay up to date on all Council Rock Primary School (CRPS) and districtwide events. Calendars are \$10 (cash or check) will be available at the September Curriculum Nights. When you purchase a calendar, you're supporting PTSA initiatives such as: scholarship and hardship grants, camperships, family educational programs, and many additional activities.

Backpack and School Supplies Drive

We will be collecting gently used backpacks and school supplies August 26th - September 6th. All items will be donated to children in need.

CRPS Meeting with the Principal

The first gathering is scheduled for Friday, September 13th from 9am-10am. Come meet Principal Matt Tappon, Assistant Principal Maurin Jeffries and PTSA leaders. Learn more about CRPS and PTSA and ask any questions you may have. Younger children are welcome to attend, and light refreshments will be served.

Curriculum Nights

Learn more about Council Rock, meet your child's teachers and explore the classroom. Curriculum nights are scheduled as follows:

- ❑ Kindergarten - Wednesday, September 18th 7:00pm-8:30pm
- ❑ 1st Grade - Thursday, September 19th 7:00pm-8:30pm
- ❑ 2nd Grade - Wednesday, September 25th 7:00pm-8:30pm

CRPS School Pictures

Monday, October 7th and Tuesday, October 8th. You will be sent the specific date for your child's classroom in September.

Winter Wear Clothing Drive

From October 7th-10th, we will be collecting new and gently used winter wear items (coats, hats, scarves, mittens/gloves, boots) for children and families in need.

Central PTSA community meeting dates

These meetings are open to the public and are a great opportunity to hear what is happening in each school building and ask questions of the Brighton PTSA.

September 11, 9:30am

October 16, 7pm

November 13, 9:30 am

December 11, 9:30am

January 8, 7pm

February 12, 12pm

March 11, 9:30am

April 15, 7pm

May 13, 9:30am

June 10, 9:30am

Spring Events include:**CRPS Book Fair**

To be held in April 2020. **Specific dates and times for your child's classroom will be sent home closer to April.*

Ice Cream Social

To be held in April 2020. **Specific dates and times for your child's classroom will be sent home closer to April.*

PTSA provides wonderful opportunities to get to know other families throughout the district and contribute your areas of interest and expertise through service. Please sign up to receive volunteer information using this link: [PTSA volunteer page](#) or copy and paste the following to your browser: <https://www.bcsd.org/cms/module/selectsurvey/TakeSurvey.aspx?SurveyID=118>. Signing up doesn't commit you, but puts you on the list for event communications. We are always looking for more volunteers to join us. These initiatives couldn't take place without all of us! Please contact us with any questions or ideas at crpsptsa@gmail.com. We're looking forward to a fantastic school year!

CRPS Building Chairs,
Stephanie Bush, Monica Alongi, and Lindsey Keck