



PTA Member & Staff Patrice Latimore-Mason Branch: Navy

#### **Meeting Dates**

All meetings will be at 5:30pm

Thursday 12/14/17

Thursday 2/22/18

Thursday 4/26/18

Who can Join? Anyone who believes in the Purpose of PTA: parents, grandparents, uncles, aunts, teachers, staff, students, neighbors, businesses, and community leaders.

#### HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!

Whether you celebrate Christmas, Hanukkah, or Kwanzaa we, the PTA Officers, celebrate you and your individuality. We wish you and yours the best during this Holiday Season. We also would like to thank you for your continued support.

### **Oliver Elementary**

1725 Cheryl Leigh Dr Riverdale GA 30296

**PTA** Monthly Newsletter

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Oliver Elementary School



# Happy Holldays

We would also like to provide a special thank you to everyone that made both Grandparents' Day and Veteran's Day Reception a success.



PTA Member Paula Jean Zanders Branch: Army Years of Service: 24 years

#### The Purposes of PTA are:

- To promote welfare of children
- To raise the standards of home life
- To advocate for laws that further the education, physical and mental health, welfare, and safety of children
- To promote the collaboration and engagement of families and educators

### Ways to get Involved

- in the education of children
- To engage the public in united efforts to secure the physical mental, emotional, spiritual, and social well-being of all children
- To advocate for fiscal responsibility

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

If a child's father volunteers to read in their classroom they are 90% more likely to get all A's? (-National PTA)

#### Ways to Get Involved

#### **Classroom Parent**

As a Classroom Parent you would provide the teacher with assistance in classroom projects as well as daily tasks. If interested stop by Room 22 to speak to one of our PTA Officers.

#### **Literacy Parent Assistant**

Assist our Librarian, Ms. Robinson with daily tasks. If interested stop by Room 22 or speak to one of our PTA Officers.

### Community Partner in Education

Calling *ALL* small businesses. Did you know that you do not have to be big corporation in order to become one of Oliver's Partner in Education? If you own a business with less than 30 employees you can take advantage of our Small Business Membership for ONLY \$20. If you would like to become a

Small Business Partner in Education see Mr. Moore.

#### **Car Rider Lane Monitor**

We are urgently seeking car rider lane monitors to help assist with morning arrivals. If you are interested see one of the PTA Officers in room 22. We are also asking ALL parents to help keep the car rider lane continuously moving.

#### **Eagle Rack**

Eagle Rack is up and running. Students in need of gently used school uniforms can stop by in Room 22 and obtain one from one of our PTA Officers. We are still seeking new or gently used uniform donations in sizes 4-8.

#### **Fundraisers & Events**

### **Kroger Community Rewards**Select Oliver ES PTA or 39448

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#### Y-Ties

Show your school spirit or team sport spirit by purchasing fun, curly, elastic, no-tie shoelaces. \$5 each.

#### HoneyBaked Ham Gift Cards



Prices range from \$10-\$50.

#### Chick Fil A Calendar Sale



Cost \$8.

12/1 - 12/20 25 More Membership Challenge.

Georgia PTA is challenging each local unit to get 25 more members before students hit the door for their winter holiday break.
With that being said, help Oliver PTA reach this goal. Every PTA member that recruits 5 or more NEW members will be entered in a raffle for a FREE massage.

#### **Fundraisers & Events**

(cont.) 12/4 CCPS Board Meeting 1058 Fifth Avenue, in Jonesboro, Georgia. 6-7p.

12/8/17 EWO Travel Club Showcase of Talent 5p.

12/9/17 Title I Meeting Rex Mill Middle School 9am-12pm.

12/10 Clayton County at the High Museum. Free admission for all visitors and special family-friendly programming from 1p - 4p.

12/11 - 12/15 Santa 's Gift Shop

12/12 Zaxby's Spirit Night 5-8p 7541 Highway 85 Riverdale 30274

12/14 PTA Meeting 530p All parents are encouraged to bring their favorite holiday pastry.

12/14 Art Club Meeting 5p

## Ways to get Involved

Mrs. Howard is also seeking Art smock or old t-shirt donations to be utilized during class.

12/15/17 Kindergarten & 1st Grade Field Trip

12/18/17 It's Family Night! Clayton County Library Headquarters 5-8p.

12/20/17 Travel Club Field Trip

12/20/17 CCPS Night with Hawks.

12/21/17 - 1/5/18 Semester Break

#### Coffee Talk with Dr. Ratcliff.

There will NOT be a Coffee Talk meeting this month we will resume Wednesday 1/31/18 at 830am.