

# "What Does PTSA Do at San Clemente High?"

#### Funds . . .

- Grants to the Teachers for their Classroom needs (Provided over \$12,000 last year!)
- Library Equipment and Library Resources
- School Loop & Voluntary Drug Screenings through donations.
- & helps organize Red Ribbon and Blue Ribbon Weeks
- Senior Award Scholarships 4 \$250
- End of Year Luncheon for Teachers & Staff

## Organizes . . .

- Teacher & Staff Appreciation Events
- Reflections National Arts recognition and achievement program for students
- Will be helping to coordinate the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration for 2014-2015 year

#### Produces ...

ENews weekly from Principal Halt & PTSA with all important info for you to know that week.

### Manages . . .

& Stocks the Triton Town Student Store

## "Why Should I get Involved?"

- More than 85 research studies indicate that kids do better when parents are involved: Grades are higher, Test Scores improve, Attendance increases!
- You'll know more parents that can help you through the challenges of raising teens today with great ideas on how to navigate the academic process at school.
- You'll begin to know the teachers and Administrators that can help you when you have a question.
- It shows your child that they matter to you and school matters for their future!

### Provides ...

- Volunteers at Registration & Book Distribution, and Phone & Copy Room Assistance.
- Emergency Preparedness Kits and supplies for 120+ classes
- Parent & Student Enrichment programs – ie. Journey Safe, Heartfelt Cardiac Screenings, English & Math Boot Camp, What is Common Core, Superintendent Q&A, Teen Drug & Alcohol Information.
- A Student Directory for parents
- A place for parents to voice concerns & discuss solutions, interact with Principal and Activities
  Dir., and where great ideas and information is shared through monthly PTSA meetings.
- Lobbies the School Board & the State on issues that concern us.
- Support for the Wellness Center on Campus
- Liaison to Military Families, Special Needs Families, English Learners, and Ed. Foundation.

## "How Do I get Involved?"

- First, sign up for Enews! A weekly communication that will tell you things you need to know and what is coming up.
- Second, attend PTSA Meetings! You'll love how informed you'll be and learn things that you wouldn't anywhere else plus have access to our Principal and Activities Director.
- Third, volunteer to help! There ALWAYS something to do!