



Dear Kindergarten Parents,

The Glider Parent Faculty Association (PFA) would like to welcome you to Glider Elementary School! The membership of the PFA is open to all parents/guardians of Glider students, teachers, and other interested community members.

On the following pages of this packet, you can read about the PFA's contributions to Glider. The PFA fills a lot of roles in the school. Because school budgets have gotten smaller, the PFA provides funds so that our kids can have essential school experiences, like field trips and assemblies. Last year, the PFA provided funds so that a dedicated group of teachers could start a theater program.

We fundraise to provide school enrichment activities, but that's not all we do. The PFA organizes fun, community-building events like the Family Movie Nights and the Cultural Harvest Festival, too.

As a new parent to the school, you'll be learning a lot in the next few months. Joining the PFA makes this job a little easier. We provide an excellent opportunity for parents to meet, get comfortable with the school, and help provide a great education for our kids. We also have a lot of fun in the process!

The PFA needs volunteers for many short, easy events and activities. If you want to volunteer for some of larger events, we have those too! We appreciate any contributions to our activities. So please fill out the Volunteer sign-up form in this folder!

If you have a special talent for anything (sports, theater, music, etc.), please share it with the school! As mentioned above, many of the school athletic or arts programs are provided by the PFA or dedicated parents and teachers, so we need people to keep stepping up.

We love to see new faces, hear new ideas and have even more helping hands. So please accept this as your invitation and opportunity to join a great group of involved parents and faculty!

Sincerely,

The Glider PFA

