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| **October - Maple Hills PTA Newsletter** Welcome Back Edition |
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**The Chirp!**



**Important Dates**

**October 1**Brown Bear Car Wash Ticket Sales Begins (Ends Oct. 14)

**October 3**Watch D.O.G.S – Donuts with Grown-Ups

**October 7**Picture Day

**October 10**Reign Soccer Game

**October 13**Restaurant Night at Jay Berry’s

**October 15**
General Membership Meeting

**October 17**
**Regular School Day**

**Get PTA Events emailed to your inbox**. Sign up: MapleHillsPTA.Com

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| **Welcome back to a new school year!** I’m excited to kick off another year of learning, growth, and community. The PTA is here to support our students, teachers, and families through events, programs, and resources that make our school such a special place.As we begin the year, I’d love to invite you to **join the PTA and remind you that your membership must be renewed annually**. Your membership makes our PTA possible! To join or renew: <https://maplehillspta.givebacks.com/shop>. Thank you to those that have joined.Mark your calendars for our first General Membership Meeting,**Wednesday October 15th at 7:00 pm**, in the library at the school. We hope to see you there! Here’s to a wonderful year ahead!— Heather Stiles, PTA President |

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**PTA General Membership Meetings – Save the Dates!**
**October 15, 2025 | January 21, 2026 | April 22, 2026**
7:00–8:00 PM
Maple Hills Elementary Library

**All are welcome** - you don’t need to be a PTA member to attend, share your ideas, and join the conversation.

**Get Your Seattle Reign Tickets!**

Join your Maple Hills friends and family for a fun night of soccer at
**Lumen Field** as we cheer on the **Seattle Reign**!

**Date:** Friday, October 10th
**Time:** 7:30 PM kickoff
**Location:** Lumen Field, 800 Occidental Ave S, Seattle, WA 98134

Tickets are just **$25 each ($29.12 with fees)**, and **$5 from every ticket
goes directly to Maple Hills PTA**! Parking passes are also available for **$36.04**.

We have a **special Maple Hills section in the 100 level seats.**

Purchase your tickets and parking passes here:

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| A person standing in front of a traffic cone  AI-generated content may be incorrect.Safer Crossings for Maple Hills EaglesThe Maple Hills PTA, in partnership with the Maple Hills Community HOA, is excited to share that we were awarded a **$300 gra**nt to improve safety in our school zone!With this grant, **we purchased bright crossing flags** for the SE 152nd crosswalk near the school, helping students and families be more visible when crossing. In addition, a **tall lit safety cone** will be available for use at other marked crossings around the school to further enhance visibility and safety.We are grateful for the partnership and support that made this possible and look forward to seeing these new tools in action to keep our Eagles safe! |

**Volunteers Make It Happen!**

We’ve got amazing events planned and need **YOUR** help, especially for Reflections, Fall Celebration (Nov. 7), BINGO & Pizza, Yearbook, Advocacy, and FACE Chairs.

**Sign up at Volunteer Central**



If you would like to volunteer or have any questions, please email volunteers@maplehillspta.com or onetimeevents@maplehillspta.com
To see more opportunities to help.

# Fun Fundraising Opportunities

**Jay Berry’s Café**
Mon, Oct 13 | 4–9 PM
16341 Renton-Issaquah Rd SE
Mention *Maple Hills Fundraiser*—20% donated to PTA!

**Drum Roll Wine** – Adults Night Out
Sat, Nov 1 | 4–9 PM
911 S 3rd St, Renton
Tastings, wine, snacks (outside food ok).
25% of to-go bottles donated—great holiday gifts!

**Chipotle – Issaquah**
Sat, Dec 6 | 4–8 PM
775 NW Gilman Blvd
25% donated when you:

* Show flyer (paper/digital)
* Mention fundraiser
* Or use code **H9GNQ9P** online/app

# Watch For Upcoming Events

**BINGO and Brews (Adult BINGO Night)**

BINGO & Brews. Join us on Wednesday, January 28th for a fun night out for parents, playing BINGO, winning prizes, raising money for our school, and enjoying a delicious menu of food and beer/cocktails! More info coming soon.

**Read-A-Thon**

4/20-5/1/2026. Our Goal: To raise money for our school library and Eagle Reader program. We'll have lots of fun reading activities that coordinate with Read Week, put on by Ms. Stempson. The school will work together to fundraise and earn school-wide prizes.

**Shout Out to Tipsy Cow!** Thank you all who came out helping us to raise over $500.00!

Can’t wait to see you all at the next Restaurant Night!

# Reflections!

**Reflections** is a National PTA arts recognition program that helps students explore their own thoughts, feelings and ideas, develop artistic literacy, increase confidence, and find a love for learning. **This year’s theme is “I Belong!”**

The Maple Hills Elementary PTA is proud to offer support for students interested in participating in the Reflections program.

Stay tuned for additional information coming home, reach out to ArtDocents@maplehillspta.com with any questions!