



Welcome to State Bridge Crossing Elementary School! We are so excited to have your family become a part of our community!

You have chosen a fantastic school that will provide your child/children with a great education, a warm and caring environment and a place where they will have lots of fun along the way while they are learning.

The SBCE PTA plays a significant role here and we wanted to provide you with some information about how we do that! This brochure will provide you with information of the wide variety of programs and events that the PTA either coordinates or assists the school with throughout the year. We think it is important for you to know what the PTA does and if you choose to become a member, how your contribution is used.

Contact us if you have any questions by emailing us at [SBCE\\_PTA@outlook.com](mailto:SBCE_PTA@outlook.com)

### Executive Board & Committee Position Descriptions

Co-Presidents  
Treasurer  
Recording Secretary  
Parliamentarian

### VP of Academics

- Scholastic Reading Program: Work with the librarians in rewarding the kids who earn points using the online Scholastic Reading Program purchased by the PTA. Update the race board as the kids progress throughout the year and give out awards to the top earners at the end of the year.
- Media Center: Help the librarians with creating a sign-up genius at the beginning of the year for volunteers for the school's book fair, checking out books and shelving books all throughout the year.
- Mini-Grants: Take the applications from the teachers who are applying for mini-grants with the PTA. Lead the committee in selecting and awarding the mini-grant recipients.
- Science Force: Coordinate and execute a schedule for hands on science fun that follows the curriculum for each grade. Work closely with the STEM lab teacher and Curriculum Support Teacher throughout the year.
- Read to Succeed: Work with teachers in submitting student reading logs to Six Flags Theme Park for a chance to earn a free ticket to the park.

### VP of Finance

- Book fair: Work with Scholastic in organizing the annual PTA book fair. Organize displays, inventory and coordinate volunteers to assist with sales.
- Family Portraits: Organize and manage the table at Sneak Peek for the family photo event held at the beginning of the year.
- Membership/ MySchoolAnywhere: Organize the annual membership drive at the beginning of the school year. Update the PTA MySchoolAnywhere site with membership information.
- Gratitude Committee: Send thank you cards to companies, organizations and other donors for their donations to our school.
- Box Tops: Coordinate collection and contests of Box Tops to raise money for SBCE.
- Spirit wear: Coordinate the ordering and sale of all spirit wear school items.
- Yearbook: Oversee the creation and distribution of annual school yearbook.

### VP of Community/School Support

- Room Rep Coordinator: Help guide room parents with coordination of classroom volunteers and activities. Work as a liaison between room parents, teachers and the PTA.
- Landscaping: Maintain or coordinate the maintenance of the school grounds during the school year. (Not done by Fulton County during the school year!)
- Vision & Hearing Screening: Coordinate the volunteers for this day to help with the 3rd grade vision & hearing screening conducted by the school nurses.
- Friday Breakfast: Coordinate the sign-ups & volunteers for the four breakfasts we do for the teachers and staff in our school.
- Teacher Appreciation: Plan and coordinate teacher/staff luncheons throughout the year and organize teacher appreciation week.
- Newcomer's Committee: Hold a breakfast to welcome new families to our school at the beginning of the year. Coordinate volunteers and tours for the Kindergarten registration at the end of the year. Put together welcome packets for new families.
- Community Outreach: Social media coordination and website management.

### VP of Family Events

- Bingo Night: Organize and coordinate volunteers to this very popular and fun family night held in our school cafeteria.
- Movie Night: Put together a fun evening of watching a family movie held outside in the back field of the school.
- Fall Family Fun Day: Organize and coordinate volunteers and vendors for this major half day event held on a fall weekend day outside in the back field of our school.
- All Pro Dads: Plan and execute a morning breakfast and activity for our dads and their children. Held 4-5 times a year.
- Field Day: Work with the PE teachers in coordinating volunteers and managing the time for this fun school wide event.
- 5th Grade Finale: Organize and leading the party and planning committee for the 5th grade student's year end events.
- Communications: Put together email blasts and signs to advertise all our family events.

### PTA Donations - Where Does Your Money Go?

In lieu of additional fundraisers (i.e. candy sales, wrapping paper, magazines sales, etc.), the PTA encourages support through one of our PTA memberships or Friend of the Bobcat. Your monetary donations support all the students and teachers and is partially tax deductible!

### PTA Donations - Where Does Your Money Go? (Continued)

As a result of your generosity, the PTA provides these and other numerous programs and services to State Bridge Crossing Elementary:

- IXL / LA Program - A math/language arts program
  - Scholastic Reading Program - Reading program encouraging students to read and earn prizes
  - Nearpods - Interactive classroom devices and programs
  - Mini-Grants for teachers for customized class programs, equipment, electronics and supplies
  - Field Trips including Diamond Del, the Teaching Museum, Zoo Atlanta
  - STEM lab support and supplies
  - Science Force - a hands on lab that supports the science curriculum for each grade.
  - Teacher stipends for classroom supplies at the beginning of the year.
  - Family events such as Bingo Night, Movie Night, Fall Family Fun Day and All Pro Dad
  - Teacher Appreciation luncheons and breakfasts
  - Clinic Support
  - Landscaping of the school grounds during the school year (Not done by Fulton County)
  - Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports awards
- and many more....

