<u>Smithfield Middle School</u> <u>PTSA News</u>

Thank you so much for your support of your PTA. Through our Spirit Wear fundraiser last year we were able to provide **3,979.65 worth of Grants** for our teachers and staff for the 2015-2016 school year.

Get your Raider Spirit Wear!!!

The SMS PTSA will be selling the <u>newly designed</u> Raider Spirit Wear shirts and hoodies as well as PTA memberships during the back to school events listed below. We will accept cash, checks, and credit cards.

This is the only PTSA fundraiser scheduled for the year.

Most of the funds raised are used to purchase classroom supplies and teaching supplements that assist our faculty and our students. The funds also help to host two activity nights for all students as well as a Raider Buck store each six weeks. The store is a student incentive program to reward them for their hard work in the classroom.

August 10	7th and 8th Grade schedule and Trust card pickup
August 19	6th Grade Raider Roundup
August 23	Meet the Coaches
August 25	PTSA Association Meeting: 6th Grade Meet the teacher
August 30	7th and 8th Grade Meet the Teacher

Thank you for your support! SMS PTSA

Volunteers:

BISD is making changes to the volunteer application process. With the new background check we are giving a greater level of protection to all BISD students and events on BISD campuses. We are thankful to have a leadership that is continually looking out for our children.

Please take a few minutes to fill out the application before school starts. **Everyone volunteering needs to fill out this new application**. By completing this early you will be ready to volunteer when the school year starts.

New Volunteer Application

Thank you! SMS PTSA If you are interested in volunteering for SMS please send your email address to:

smsptavolunteer@yahoo.com

Other ways to support Smithfield Middle School PTA:

Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program: go to <u>www.tomthumb.com</u> and link our school number (4306) to your Tom Thumb Reward Card.

Shoparoo: Go to <u>www.shoparoo.com</u> and sign up to send in your receipts with the app on your phone. It's super easy!

Box Tops: Please turn in your box tops to the front office. The money we make from this goes directly to help provide grant money for our teachers and staff.

Please see the school website for the PTA calendar of events.