

Ramapo High School 331 George St, Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417
Ramapo APTS - Association of Parents, Teachers & Students www.rhsapts.org

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Dear Freshman Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to Ramapo and the Association of Parents, Teachers & Students – a.k.a. the APTS!

Our first meeting of the 2018-2019 school year is scheduled for **Monday, Sept. 17th @ 7:00 PM** in the Auditorium – it will include a Freshman Parent Information Session to welcome you to the school. Superintendent Beverly MacKay, Principal Travis Smith, Assistant Principals Mike Mancino and Claudia Dargento, Guidance Supervisor Jennifer Perry, Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Articulation Dan Sutherland and Director of Student Personnel Services Mike Marano plan to attend and will provide valuable information.

Our goal is to have all 900+ families join the APTS this year -- membership dues are only \$30.

Why join and support the Ramapo APTS?

- Be informed about what's going on at Ramapo. Our monthly meetings are packed with information. After the initial membership drive, only members will receive our weekly emails and reminders.
- APTS provides teacher grants to enhance your student's learning experience. Last year, APTS grants supported several class trips, in-class projects and a weeklong diversity initiative. Along with Indian Hills PTSO and the Wyckoff Municipal Alliance, we also hosted a presentation by Sarah Panzau – survivor of a horrific drunk driving accident.
- APTS awards over \$7,000 in scholarships yearly to seniors who are APTS members.
- Membership includes access to our membership directory available online in printable form as well as a subscription to the Paperless PTO Mobile App. We have eliminated the printed directory as the online version can be printed and the App provides greater flexibility in accessing member information.
- Eligibility to win a parking space at graduation for senior families who are members. The chances of winning increase each year you join.

Please join the APTS and access our Summer eMailer on the APTS website at www.rhsapts.org.

We look forward to serving as your APTS Co-Presidents. We know we can accomplish great things if we all work together. **We hope to see you on Monday, September 17th starting at 6:30pm for refreshments/meeting begins at 7pm.**

Sincerely,

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