

MIDDLETON PTO NEWS

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OCTOBER PTO MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 6:30 PM (virtual)

We'll be meeting virtually to hear updates about the current state of things at Middleton and all of the events and activities parents need to know about the 2020-21 school year. For privacy reasons, zoom link will be provided on our private [Facebook page](#) or can be requested by [email](#).



MIDDLETON 2020-21 STUDENT DIRECTORY

FREE - provided by the Middleton PTO

This year we will have a new option for a student directory. Enjoy the directory all year long to help plan birthday parties, playdates, or meet other Middleton families. As a reminder, teachers are not allowed to give out contact information for students. Please sign up as soon as possible so all can enjoy the benefits of the directory. You can add as much or as little as you want for contact information.



To join:

- Visit the link on our [Facebook page](#) (if you're not on facebook, please send us an [email](#)). **For privacy, we do not post this link on our website.**
- Click on "Register Login"
- Scroll down to "Create Account"
- Create your personal account
- After confirming your email, register your information in "Family Information"
- Add your child in "Add Student" and remember to save all updates.
- To add additional children, select "I have another Student"
- Select "Yes" to confirm you'd like your information in the Directory and Save.

That's it! To access the Directory, select Directory from the drop-down Menu. Now you can....

- Download the Membership Toolkit app to have access from your phone.
- Update your information anytime.
- Filter by grade, teacher or your starred favorites

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YEARBOOK PHOTO SUBMISSIONS

Whether you are hybrid or VLA - the 20/21 yearbook would love your First Day of School and Transition Day photos - or really any photos that you think would be good for this year's book. We have a new company this year and a new way to upload photos.

- **Prepare your photos for upload.** The photos should be either JPEG or TIFF. If an HEIC picture on your iPhone, please convert to JPEG before uploading as the HEIC photos won't work. A site Jostens recommends for doing this is <https://imazing.com/heic/download>

- **Log into the image site:**

<https://images.jostens.com/415533936>

If it states that the user ID is not recognizable, input: **415533936**

- **Click on Add Photos**

You can add multiple photos at the same time.

-Once the photos upload, tag one of the children in the photo and enter the grade. If there is more than one child, you can add the other child in the description.

-Also, please add in the description what the photo is and any other info that you think might be relevant. For example: 1st Day of School; Katie Jones; 4; Bestler; Segura. You can copy and paste that description between lines if more than one.

- **Click submit and you are done!**

Only submit photos that you have the rights to submit. We will trust that you have permission to submit the kids that are in the photos that you are submitting. If the photo is copyright by another photographer, you will need to also send the release to middletonyearbooks@gmail.com



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RESTAURANT NIGHTS



Monday, October 12, 5-7 pm

Culver's Night

Culvers generously donates 10% of their profits from these nights right back to our PTO. For our first few Culver's Nights this year, we are encouraging drive thru or takeout only to encourage social distancing.

Tuesday, October 27, 4-8 pm

Davanni's Night

Middleton will receive 20% of your total order before sales tax. Not good on delivery, but you can call ahead and **present this flyer** at the time of pickup.



BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION



Box Tops for Education will look a little different this fall. There will be no collection of clipped box tops, and all box tops will be submitted **electronically via the app**. They now also offer the option to email digital receipts from online shopping to have those counted. We appreciate all box tops that are submitted to help support our school and our amazing staff and teachers.

Email Samantha Pantenburg with questions.

SUPPORT THE PTO GENERAL FUND

Historically, the PTO has requested donations from families during its sale of student planners, spirit wear, and binders during school assessments. Unfortunately, parents (including the PTO board) are not allowed in the building due to the new Covid-19 safety protocols.

The PTO budget and sponsored events will be modified as we figure out new ways to support our teachers and students. We know that the PTO will have expenses associated with technology, software licenses, supplies, winter gear, and other miscellaneous needs throughout the year. We ask that you consider donating via this secure site to ensure that we have the funds to support our Middleton community during this school year.

To donate, please **click here**.



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