



SOUTH LAKES HIGH SCHOOL PTSA NEWSLETTER

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Your Connection to South Lakes High School

September 2010

CHANGES IN 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR

PARKING and Student Drop Off has changed. Parents should use the flagpole side drop off area. Student parking will be located on the stadium side of the school.



STUDENT DIRECTORIES will be \$7 this year. Due to school budget cuts, we can no longer provide this service for free. With a PTSA membership, you can receive a directory at a discounted rate of \$5. Learn more about the advantages of a [PTSA membership](#).



If you would like to place an ad in the directory, please contact directory-ads@southlakesptsa.org by September 15th.

BEING GREEN

In an effort to be environmentally friendly (and save money too), the newsletter will be sent home in a condensed version. A complete version will be online at www.southlakesptsa.org.



NEW STUDENTS!

Welcome incoming freshman and new students to South Lakes! **New student orientation will be held September 2nd from 9am to 12:15pm.** Students should bring their schedules with them to the Orientation. Buses will be provided from feeder elementary school at 8:30am. Buses will return to the elementary schools at 12:30pm.

PARENTS GET INVOLVED

We hope that you will join us for the **PTSA PARENT VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION** to learn how you can get involved at South Lakes! **September 2nd, 7pm in the SLHS Lecture Hall.**

The first **PTSA MEETING** of the year will be on **September 15 in the Media Center.**

For a list of volunteer positions and descriptions, [click here](#).

LUNCH

Student lunch can be purchased for \$2.75. Students may bring a check to the Cafeteria before school or during lunch. You can also purchase lunch online to www.myLunchMoney.com. Those who receive free or reduced lunch must apply each year. For more information about school breakfast and lunch programs, [click here](#).

The School Nutrition Association has named Virginia's Fairfax County the 2010 District of the Year in School Nutrition.



DID YOU KNOW?

You can access many of your child's **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FORMS ONLINE** and fill them out on your computer? [Click here](#) for forms.

A booklet of **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS** was sent to new students. If you would like to access that information online, [click here](#).

Remember to **RELINK YOUR REWARDS CARDS** (Giant, Harris-Teeter, Safeway), so South Lakes can receive credit for your purchases. For more info [click here](#). Share this information with co-workers, neighbors, and family members by printing and distributing our rewards flyer located at our PTSA website.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

September

- 2 Freshman Orientation 8:30am
- 2 Volunteer Orientation, 7pm
- 7 First Day of School
- 15 PTSA meeting 7pm, Media Center
- Directory ads deadline
- 29-30 Underclass pictures
- 30 Back to School Night 6:30pm

October

- 11 Columbus Day—no school
- 13 PSAT at SLHS early closing
- PTSA meeting, 7pm Media Center
- Mid-Oct [Reflections](#) submissions due (theme: "Together We Can")

See **PTSA website for the full calendar:**

www.southlakesptsa.org

