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Tennessee PTA Tip to Tip Tour



105th

Annual Convention April 20 & 21, 2018

Delegate Registration Packet

The Millennium Centre
2001 Millennium Place
Johnson City, Tennessee

Message from the Tennessee PTA President

Get onboard to attend the 105th Annual Convention of the Tennessee PTA: Tip to Tip Tour. Join the caravan of members as we embark on this journey of learning, networking and advocacy. Remember, convention is an excellent training opportunity and a **legitimate** expense for your PTA/PTSA. Plan to be renewed, revived and enlighten as we garner our strength in our voices for the children and families we serve.



Get ready to participate in relevant and intentional workshops that will help you gain momentum in concentrated areas that affect our youth, our community and our world. This will be a condensed, fast-paced, to the point convention. While you learn together, you will participate in meaningful workshops, effective breakout sessions and impactful networking with participants from Tip to Tip. We are honored this year to have Denise Sultz, National PTA Secretary-Treasurer, joining us as our National PTA Representative.

Friday's events include a General Session, two (2) Workshop Sessions, a chance to visit with the Exhibitors and the Awards Banquet! Saturday begins with more workshops, a General Session, Breakout sessions and Student Awards. Please register with the Carnegie Hotel **prior to Monday, March 19, 2018** to take advantage of the discounted room rate! Get onboard and mail your completed registration form, together with your PTA check made out to the Tennessee PTA, to the State Office.

Thank you for all you do. Together we will make a difference in the lives of the children and families of Tennessee.

Cheryl Floyd
Tennessee PTA President

National PTA Secretary-Treasurer

Denise Sultz was elected as National PTA Secretary-Treasurer at the July 2017 Convention. She previously served on the NPTA Board of Directors under Past Presidents Chuck Saylor, Betsy Landers, and Otha Thornton and is looking forward to continuing her service to National PTA. She has served as a NPTA Field Service Committee member and a Team Lead and Parent Educator on the CCSI Grant Committee. Denise is also the current Membership Chair of Kansas PTA. She is the Immediate Past President for KPTA and served as their President Elect, Vice President of Extension Services, and Vice President of Member Services. Denise has also served as the chair of the Kansas PTA Nominating and Leadership Development Committee, the Audit Committee, the Health and Wellness Committee, and twice as Convention Chair.



Denise is Co-President of Shawnee Mission Area Council in the Shawnee Mission School District. She has done extensive work at council and local levels ranging from chair of her Council's School of Instruction (yearly officer training) through President, Vice-President and Treasurer of her local units. Her favorite memory is when the PTA President of her oldest child's middle school came to her house to ask her to be involved. That ask was all it took.

Outside of PTA, Sultz was an ambassador and participant in the Kansas City Corporate Challenge, which is one of the largest city-wide corporate athletic competitions. She also enjoys playing bells in a church's handbell choir and can often be found with a Sudoku puzzle open on her phone. Sultz has a bachelor's degree in Management and Human Relations and an associate's degree in Business. She uses those each day in her day job as a Staff Accountant. She and her husband David are parents to Keri (Jeff), Lori, and Rob. They have also rescued three furry friends into their family: Mollie the dog and her cat sisters Twist and Callie.

Tentative Schedule

Friday, April 20, 2018

- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. - Registration
- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. – Tour Guide Greeting
- 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. General Session I
- 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. – Registration
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Visit with Vendors/Boutique
- 2:10 p.m. – 3:10 p.m. Workshops
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. – Workshops and Breakout Sessions
- 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. – Vendors/Boutique

Awards Banquet – Science Hill High School, Grand Topper Hall
To Be Announced

Saturday, April 21, 2018

- 7:20 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Registration
- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Breakfast – Full
- 9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Workshop and Breakout Sessions
- 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. General Session II
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Breakout Sessions

Student Awards Celebration – The Millennium Centre Ballroom
2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.



Registration Steps

1. Complete the Registration Form

Fill out the registration form included in this packet for each delegate. Your current 2017-2018 membership card and Voter Delegate Card* **must** be presented at convention to verify voting eligibility. Additional registration forms can be downloaded from www.tnpta.org.

2. Return the form to the Tennessee PTA

Payments for registration and meal functions must be submitted with your registration form.

Registration forms received without payment will not be processed.

- Early Bird Complete Pre-Registration forms must be received in the State Office on or before **March 2, 2018**.
- Final date for all Pre-Registration is **Tuesday, March 30, 2018**.
- All others will be considered On-Site Registrations.

3. Mail to:

Tennessee PTA
1905 Acklen Avenue
Nashville, TN 37212

Please contact the State Office at 615-383-9740 or email ptastateoffice@tnpta.org, if you have any questions.

Deadlines and Fees

Early Bird received by March 2, 2018

SAVE \$20 — Register as an Early Bird!!

Only for Complete Pre-Registration **\$180**

Complete Convention Pre-Registration

Received March 5 – March 30, 2018 **\$200**

* Convention Registration

* Friday Breakfast and Lunch

* Friday Awards Banquet

* Saturday Breakfast and Lunch

Friday Pre-Registration

\$130

* One Day Convention Registration

* Friday Breakfast and Lunch

* Friday Awards Banquet

Saturday Pre-Registration

\$90

* One Day Convention Registration

* Saturday Breakfast and Lunch

Banquet

\$ 40

Banquet - Table for Six (Reserved)

\$240

On-Site Registration

Complete Convention Package **\$225**

Non-PTA **\$275**

Friday Registration **\$150**

Saturday Registration **\$100**

Tip to Tip Tour fee (round trip transportation) **\$100**

Voting Delegate Card

All PTA members are invited and encouraged to attend convention. Each local unit will receive one Voting Delegate Card for the President and one Voting Delegate Card for every **50** members or a fraction thereof, as of March 1, 2018.

To be eligible for Voting Delegate cards, membership dues must be received in the Tennessee PTA State Office **on or before March 1, 2018**. Per #Article XIV, Tennessee PTA State Convention, Section 2: *No delegate is allowed to represent more than one local unit and must have been a member of this local unit at least thirty (30) days prior to convention.*

*In the absence of your Voting Delegate Card, a letter signed by your local unit/council president will be accepted at the Registration Table.

Hotel Reservations

Accommodations for the 105th Annual Convention will be at:
Carnegie Hotel
1216 W. State of Franklin Road
Johnson City, TN, 37604
423-979-6400

The negotiated PTA rate is: *Single/Double: \$119.00*

To guarantee you receive our discounted rate, make your reservations by Monday, March 19, 2018

To book online go to: Please check the Carnegie Hotel website for more information: <http://www.carnegiehotel.com/>

To call the hotel and book your reservations: 423-979-6400 or call toll free: 888-757-8277. Confirmation code is 1804TNPTA

Reservation information:

Please identify yourself as part of the Tennessee Parent Teacher Association in order to receive the special group rate.

Guarantee Policy: A credit card or one night's advance deposit will be required to guarantee a reservation.

Please plan to pay for your hotel expenses by using a PTA check and presenting your Tennessee Department of Revenue Certificate of Exemption to qualify for tax-exempt status.

Convention Center

The Millennium Centre
2001 Millennium Place
Johnson City, Tennessee 37604
Adjacent to the Carnegie Hotel

"Friends of PTA"

"Friends of PTA" may purchase a three-line advertisement to be placed in the 2018 Convention program.

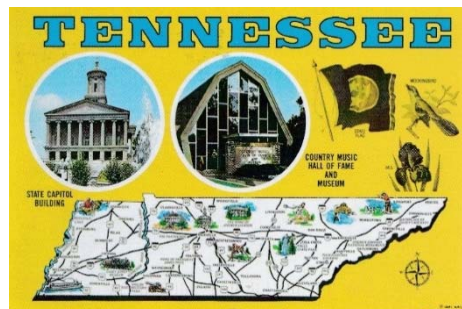
The cost is \$25 per ad and is limited to three lines, not to exceed 25 words.

Individual and/or groups may submit their name(s) and a note of support for their PTA and/or leadership. Councils may consider placing a congratulatory ad for their President. Local PTA/PTSAs may wish to place an ad expressing their appreciation to their school, Principal, teacher(s) and/or support staff.

To purchase your ad, please send your name, telephone number, check of \$25, and your three-line ad to:

Tennessee PTA
1905 Acklen Avenue
Nashville, TN 37212

Ads must be received in the State Office on or before Tuesday, March 30, 2018.



Tennessee Tip to Tip Tour Transportation

Cline Bus Motor Coach Provider

Pick-up – April 19th, 10:00 pm CST; East Win Christian Church, 4350 Hacks Cross Rd, Memphis

Pick-up – April 20th 1:00 am CST, Clark Memorial United Methodist Church, 1014 14th Avenue North, Nashville

Arrival – The Millennium Centre adjacent to the Carnegie Hotel, Johnson City, Tennessee

Departure – April 21st at 3:30 pm EST, The Millennium Centre, Johnson City, Tennessee

First Debarck – April 21st 7:00pm CST, Clark Memorial United Methodist Church, 1014 14th Avenue North, Nashville

Final stop, April 21st 11:00 pm CST, East Win Christian Church, 4350 Hacks Cross Road, Memphis

"Tentative Schedule – Actual times may vary slightly"

Friday Menu

Executive Continental Breakfast

Assorted pastries/Danish, bagels and cream cheese, sliced fruit, boiled eggs, yogurts, bottled juices, assorted hot teas, soft drinks, regular and decaf coffee and bottled water

Saturday Menu

Millennium Breakfast

Fresh sliced fruit, Country ham, Sausage, Bacon, Breakfast potatoes, Scrambled eggs, Grits or Oatmeal, French Toast or Waffles, Biscuits and Gravy. Freshly Brewed coffee, hot tea selections, and assorted Morning Juice selections

Lunch Enjoy the Special Chef's Selection

Two entrée buffet selection

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Two entrée buffet selection

Enjoy continuous breaks with snacks and all day beverage service



Banquet*

Chicken dinner with roasted potatoes and assorted roasted vegetables. Salad and two choices of dessert

* May be purchased separately for those not attending Convention.

** Should you have special medical or dietary needs, please contact the state office before March 30, 2018 to let us know your needs. **
Tennessee PTA
615-383-9740 or ptastateoffice@tnpta.org

Tennessee PTA 105th Annual State Convention Registration Form

April 20-21, 2018 Johnson City, Tennessee

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ONE FORM FOR EACH PERSON REGISTERING

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Name of Local Unit PTA _____ National PTA ID Number _____

Home Address _____ T- Shirt Size (circle): Sm Med Large XL 2XL 3XL

City/State/Zip Code _____

Daytime Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

Emergency Contact Name _____

Emergency Daytime Phone _____ Emergency Evening Phone _____

Check all that apply:

- Life Member National PTA
 Life Achievement National PTA
 Council President – current year
 TALL Member
 Honorary Life Member Tennessee PTA
 Life Achievement Tennessee PTA
 Local Unit President – current year
 First Convention

REGISTRATION FEES / PAYMENT INFORMATION

Early Bird received by March 2 — Only for complete Pre-Registration	\$ 180.00	\$ _____
Complete Convention Pre-Registration: received by March 5 – March 30, 2018	\$ 200.00	\$ _____
Friday Pre-Registration (includes Awards Banquet ticket)	\$ 130.00	\$ _____
Saturday Pre-Registration	\$ 90.00	\$ _____
Tip to Tip Transportation Tour (<i>Motor coach riders only</i>)	\$ 100.00	\$ _____
Banquet	\$ 40.00	\$ _____
Banquet - Table for Six	\$ 240.00	\$ _____
On Site Registration - Complete Package	\$ 225.00	\$ _____
Non-PTA Complete	\$ 275.00	\$ _____
On Site Friday Registration (includes Awards Banquet ticket)	\$ 150.00	\$ _____
On Site Saturday Registration	\$ 100.00	\$ _____
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED		\$ _____

**** Should you have special medical or dietary needs please contact the State Office by March 30th. ****

*To take advantage of Pre-Registration offers, your completed Registration form, including your membership unit name and payment must be received in the State Office on or before **March 2nd for Early Bird and March 30th for the rest.***

Remit to: Tennessee PTA, 1905 Acklen Avenue, Nashville, TN 37212

No refunds will be given.

If you are unable to attend after registering, you may transfer your registration to another member at no charge.

Additional copies of this registration form can be copied or downloaded online at: www.tnpta.org



Banquet

“TABLE FOR SIX” Reservations

Friday, April 20, 2018



NAME OF LOCAL UNIT/COUNCIL _____

CONTACT PERSON _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER(S) _____

ADDRESS _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

You may reserve a “Table for Six” for the Banquet by using this form - you must attach your check for \$240.00*. Should you have fewer than six in your party, please contact a local unit in your area and encourage them to share a “Table for Six” with you.

*Please mark the name with a # of anyone who is receiving their banquet tickets through one of the convention package deals. Then subtract \$40.00 for each individual banquet ticket purchased through the convention package deals from the total “TABLE FOR SIX” cost.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

WE CAN ONLY RESERVE SEATING FOR A “TABLE FOR SIX” - ALL OTHERS ARE OPEN SEATING.