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Oceanside SEPTA

145 Merle Avenue, Oceanside, NY 11572

What is Oceanside SEPTA?

Oceanside SEPTA is a Special Education Parent Teacher Association, whose members include: parents, caregivers, teachers, and therapists of exceptional children as well as other staff and members of the Oceanside community. SEPTA is special because we celebrate so much diversity in our group. Our exceptional children include Special Needs, Medical Needs, Gifted & Talented, 504 Accommodations, IEP's, and Advanced Placements. We sponsor workshops, speakers, and events that cover a variety of topics and issues that concern our exceptional students and their families and their inclusion in our community. SEPTA keeps abreast of recent educational legislation that affects our students. We are here to support our children, to support other children, to support ourselves, to support our families.

Why Oceanside SEPTA?

Why not?! We are our children's biggest advocates and through PTA we connect with other voices to make us stronger. SEPTA recognizes that students have a broad range of learning styles and abilities and aims to support existing or innovative programs so each child's educational experience is maximized. We also lend our ears because it is something we all need; people who understand and support one another. SEPTA is not one school; SEPTA represents ALL the schools in our district.

Please visit our website at www.septaoceanside.com. There you can subscribe to our email list and you can email our SEPTA presidents directly. For membership information, please contact our Vice President of Membership, Mark Simshauser, at 516-660-4501. We hope you join us and we look forward to a great year in the Oceanside School District.

- Yes, I would like to become a member of Oceanside SEPTA.
- No, I do not want to be a member; but I would like to make a contribution.

Name _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Your Child's Name _____

Your Child's School # _____ Their Teacher's Name _____

(*Attention Teachers: Please indicate that you are staff and which school you work in.)

Membership is only \$11 per family member. Businesses can join SEPTA for an annual fee of \$25.

Please make checks payable to **Oceanside SEPTA**.

You can mail this form and payment to **Oceanside SEPTA, 145 Merle Avenue, Oceanside, NY 11572** or send it to your child's school in an envelope marked: SEPTA Membership, or sign-up at any SEPTA Meeting!

Email: info@septaoceanside.com or Mark Simshauser, Vice President of Membership at msimshauser@triumphcf.com Or call Mark at 516-660-4501.