

**TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL FUNDRAISER
2017-2018 THS PTO**

Dear Travis Family:

Travis High School prides itself on having an overall educational curriculum that rivals any school. However, maintaining this standard of excellence requires financial resources beyond the amount received from the district.

Previous fundraising events relied primarily on food sales at lunch. Due to Nutrition rules, we must supplement this program through what we call the **Tiger Fundraiser**. This fundraising program allows each family to donate money directly to the Travis High School PTO through a tax deductible¹ contribution. One hundred percent of your donation goes directly to fund classroom and school enhancements. ***No other fund-raising program offers this!*** Working ***with*** THS administration and teachers, your generous donations provides and funds programs and services for students and teachers.

Using funds that were raised last year the PTO was able to purchase the following:

- **Monetary Contributions to the Activity Fund** – providing classroom supplies not funded by the district
- **Teacher Luncheon** – hosting two teacher appreciation luncheons, one in the Fall, one in the Spring
- **Teacher Appreciation Week** – hosted luncheon plus a variety of food items every day of this special week
- **Senior Breakfast** – hosting this event to celebrate all graduating Seniors
- **Y.E.S.** – supporting the Youth Expanding Services program

This year, we would like to use a portion of this funding to make some much needed enhancements to THS by painting walls with school colors, updating the marquee, as well as other beautification projects across the campus.

The PTO's goal for 2017 is to raise \$25,000 through the Tiger Fundraiser. This fundraiser that was temporarily interrupted by Hurricane Harvey is back on 'Tiger' track. We hope all our Travis families are safe. **We greatly appreciate any size donation because we are striving for 100% participation from our THS families this year!**

We have enclosed a **Tiger Fundraiser Form**. You may send **Cash or Check** (made out to Travis PTO) **to the Front Office or you may donate online via Paypal**. To donate online, login in to your Paypal account and use TravisHSPTO@gmail.com and specify the amount to donate.

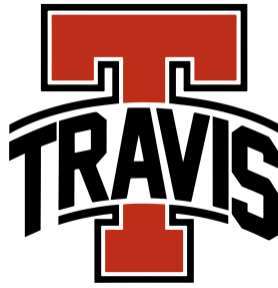
Thank you for your support. We are looking forward to another fantastic year at THS and want you to be a part of it! Any questions, please contact us at TravisHSPTO@gmail.com.

Julie Díaz
Principal THS

Liz Rodríguez
Fundraiser Co-Chair

Mary Martínez
Fundraiser Co-Chair

¹THS PTO is a 501 (c)(3) organization. Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.



**TIGER FUNDRAISER FORM
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_____ \$500 and above – donation includes school marquee recognition

_____ \$250

_____ \$100

_____ \$50

_____ **\$25 (average donation per Tiger Family)**

_____ Other \$_____

_____ *Corporate Matching \$ _____; Company Name: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

Email: _____

For tax receipt of \$50+

Check # _____; Cash \$ _____

Student(s) Information:

Name	Grade	Name	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Parent's Employer Matching Program:

If your company has a donation matching program and you would like to ask them for their support, please do the following:

1. Obtain any required donation matching paperwork from your company's HR department.
2. Send or drop the paperwork off at the Travis HS Front Office attention to the Travis PTO.
3. Fundraiser Coordinator will complete the paperwork and send it to your company.