



**September 26, 2014**

**WELCOME TO THE 2014-15 SCHOOL YEAR from the NICOLET PTSO!**

The first Nicolet PTSO meeting was held on September 18<sup>th</sup>.

Thanks to those who were able to join us to start off the new school year.

New PTSO officers were elected.

2014-15 Nicolet PTSO Executive Board:

- President - Mary Beth Mills
- Vice President - Piper Melkonian
- Treasurer - Jill Johnson Miller
- Co-Secretaries - Robin Arenzon and Sharon Shapiro

Please go to the new Nicolet PTSO facebook page and like us <https://www.facebook.com/NicoletPTSO>

Thank you to those who shopped at Campus Colors and supported Nicolet PTSO's fundraiser.

**HOMECOMING - Volunteer opportunity:**

Join us in supporting the 2014 Homecoming events. Student Council needs PTSO volunteers to bake and 6-8 volunteers to help with the carnival booths on Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup>: (5:45 – 7:30pm) Volunteers please contact Mary Beth Mills at [marybethmills3@gmail.com](mailto:marybethmills3@gmail.com). Thanks for getting involved in PTSO and supporting your students and teachers! Don't forget to support the Homecoming activities planned through the week of October 5th - 11th. Don't forget the Nicolet Foundation Friendraiser Tailgate before the homecoming game: [http://www.nicolet.us/cms\\_files/event\\_attach/408301/tailgate\\_knight.pdf](http://www.nicolet.us/cms_files/event_attach/408301/tailgate_knight.pdf). Homecoming details can be found here: [http://www.nicolet.us/cms\\_files/resources/homecoming.pdf](http://www.nicolet.us/cms_files/resources/homecoming.pdf)

**NEW NICOLET PTSO FUNDRAISER:**

Our current PTSO fundraiser is the Nicolet Knight window decal cling sales. Please purchase your window decal cling for only \$5 and support your PTSO. Share the Nicolet pride by placing a window decal cling on the inside or outside of your car window or storefront! They are available in the office or online via our webpage <http://www.nicolet.us/families/ptso.cfm>.

**PARENT EDUCATION SERIES:**

Nicolet is collaborating with REDgen, a North Shore organization teaching parents, students and educators balance and management. Check it out <http://www.redgen.org/> and <http://www.nicolet.us/families/redgen.cfm>. On October 22, join Nicolet at the event entitled Fostering Resilience: Building Resilience in Children and Teens, sponsored by REDgen, 7:00pm at Nicolet in the Auditorium.

**NICOLET PTSO MISSION:**

The Nicolet PTSO benefits the parents, teachers, and students of Nicolet through raising funds via PTSO membership dues (still only \$15), grad gram sales, and our new Nicolet Knight window decal cling sales (only \$5). The PTSO sponsors events including Homecoming and Prom Activities, Student Dances, Cocoa and Cram Study Sessions, Merit Awards, Spirit Award, Teacher Appreciation, School Gifts, Senior Breakfast (which may be a lunch this year), and more.



**SAVE THE DATES:**

➤ **OCTOBER 15th, Wednesday, 7-8:30pm, RM B113:**

**Coffee with the Superintendent** – Parents and community members are invited to come share ideas about district initiatives, legislative action, and how to improve education for all Nicolet High School students.

➤ **OCTOBER 23rd, Thursday, 6pm, RM B113:**

The next PTSO meeting has been moved to October 23<sup>rd</sup> due to a conflict with Parent Teacher conferences on October 16th and 17th. Please mark your calendars and plan on attending. All are welcome! A PTSO meeting is a great way to be informed about events, decisions for funds and joining committees. Meet other parents, administration, faculty representatives from guidance and teacher's association, Foundation and School Board representatives, committee members, and Student Council. Detailed minutes of PTSO meetings will be approved and available at the following meeting and posted on our webpage.

Thank you for your support and please contact us with any questions. Remember, **P**arents put the "P" in **P**TSO. We look forward to a successful year!