

## March Madness

Thank you to everyone who attended our Annual Life Membership Banquet at Southfork Ranch. We had a great turnout to honor some amazing volunteers, staff and community members from across our school district. I'd like to give a special thank you to our guest speaker, Karen Slay, Immediate Past President of Texas PTA, for joining us that evening. Her remarks on the ABCs of PTA have inspired so many of our PTA leaders. Our 3<sup>rd</sup> VP of Membership, Angela King and her wonderful Banquet Committee volunteers did a fantastic job of organizing the entire event – congratulations on a successful evening!

Many of our PTAs are beginning the process of selecting their leaders for next year. Now is a great time to reach out to some of your younger or incoming parents and encourage them to get involved. It's also a great time to schedule welcome events and prepare for your Spring Membership Drive. By holding welcome events now, new parents and new students will feel more comfortable starting the school year in a new environment, and it's also a great way to reach out to them and get them involved early!

As we approach Spring Break and the final quarter of the school year, our PTA lives always seem to feel a little hectic with all of the fun spring events and planning that goes into them. I hope all of our PTA leaders will find some time to relax and take some time for themselves. You are all doing amazing things at our campuses and I know you will all finish out the year strong.

Let the March Madness begin!

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