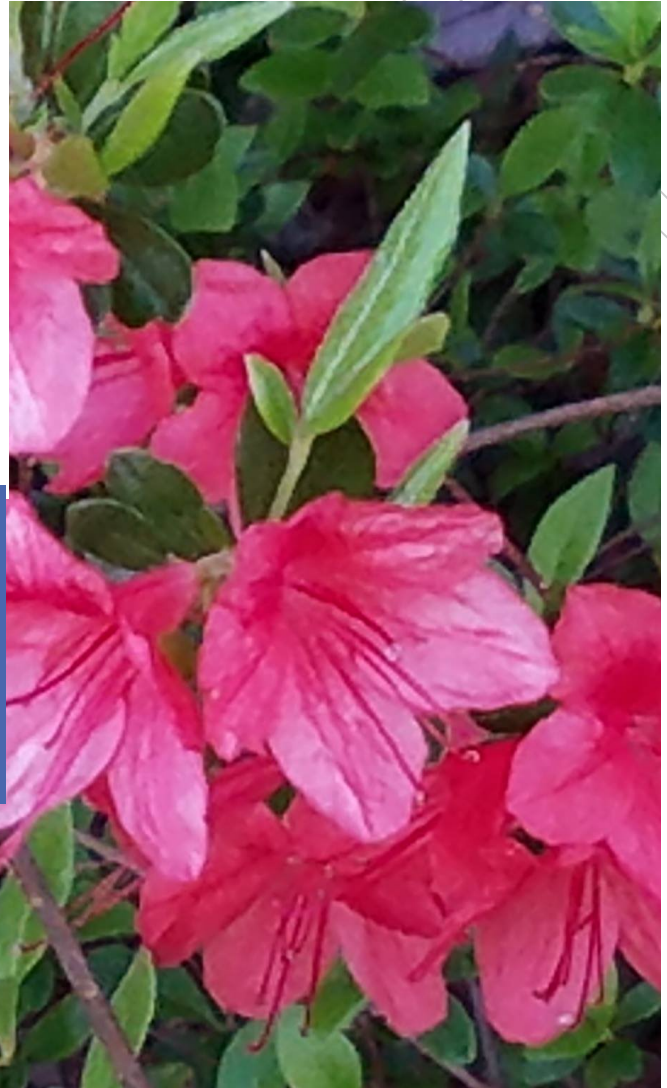




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Yorktown HS PTA Meeting

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Secretary: Kellie Stewart

PTA Other Business

PTA Board and Chairs

- a. **Treasurer's Report:** Dan Sennott, PTA Treasurer & Dana Milburn
- b. **Upcoming Events, Volunteers Needed for some**
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I. Welcome:

Dana Milburn, PTA President

WELCOME





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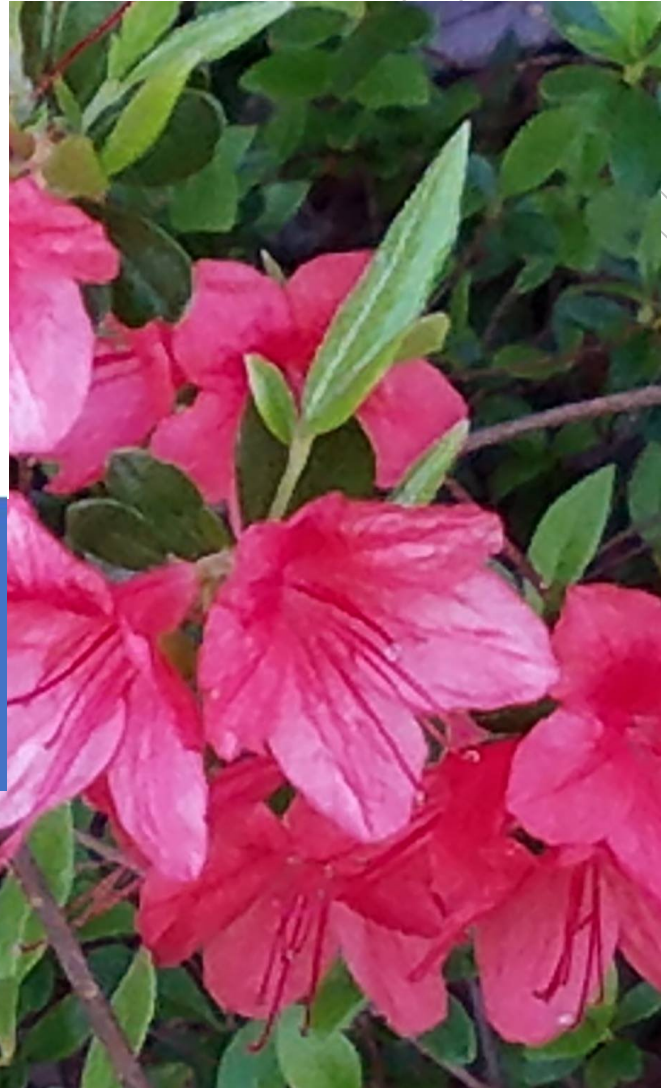
Q & A

With Ms. Diaz-Torres
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 - b. **May 20 (Fri): "Yorktown Hall of Fame" Induction Ceremony** (HOF Committee requests PTA volunteers)
 - c. **May 27 (Fri): Popsicle Party**
 - d. **May is Mental Health Awareness Month – working on end-of-month panel**
 - e. **June 2 (Thurs): Turning 18 – What You Need to Know about Rights, Responsibilities, and Skills Your Student Needs**
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(<https://www.theessaycoaches.com/>)
- c. **Committee Chairs' Openings for 2022-23**
- d. **PTA Committee Reports**
 - a. **Berrin Ozbilgin, Graduation Party Co-chair:** updates
 - b. **Thanks to Amy Westhoff for Spring Fling Dance and Rabia Oubenadi for Teacher and Staff Appreciation Luncheon!**
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Dan Sennott & Dana Milburn
Treasurer
Treasurer's Report

Upcoming Events – Volunteers Needed!

Sign-up Links, Flyer and Ticket Links Will Be Posted in Chat



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See YHS PTA Newsletter for Details

YHS PTA VOLUNTEER LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES 2022-23

- * Art Show
- * Graduation Party
- * Hospitality
- * 9th Grade Representative
- * Science Fair
- * Social Work Liaison
- * Teacher Grants
- * Vision Screening (usually held by a 10th grade parent)
- * We tried to add these chairs this year, per other PTA's:
 - * Teacher rep
 - * Latinx parents/guardians
 - * Directory (includes finding an app)
 - * Middle school liaisons

PTA is both a noun and a verb, and it's also fun! Please contact Jamie Pilot, our Volunteer Coordinator, if you're interested in filling one of these important roles!



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**Berrin Ozbilgin, Amber Kemp, and Debbie
McCrery, Graduation Party Co-chairs:**
Update on Graduation Party

PTA Committee Report





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Senior Picnic

Tents/games, volunteers needed

Graduation Yard Signs?

Cost \$3,300 plus volunteers last year

Honoring our Seniors





Julie Halferty

PTA Secretary

Approval of April PTA Meeting Minutes



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements: See YHS PTA Wee Newsletter for further Helpful Info c the Following!



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- **No-frills fundraiser: Please ask your company to match your gift – free \$\$ for our PTA!**
- **Link your Amazon and Harris Teeter accounts – free money for the PTA every time you shop!**
- **Our thanks to all who help make our PTA work, whether you’ve volunteered their time, demonstrating that PTA is both a noun and a verb, by donating funds, linking accounts, joining the PTA, and/or volunteering your time!**
- **More special topic Newsletters like the College Edition? Let us know! (Mental Health Edition likely.)**
- **Ways to get involved – see next slide.**



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Take advantage
of what PTA can
offer you and
your family!

PTA offers something for everyone, as little or as much as you wish; membership not required. You're invited to do any or all, and invite your friends:

Subscribe to our Weekly Newsletter for helpful news/info and occasional important YHS/PTA/APS activities/events/resources.

Attend our meetings: Monday, 7:30 p.m. meeting/7:00 informal discussion (Membership not required, except to vote.)

Final Meeting: June 6

Watch for our events for parents/guardians/families, and students.

Visit the PTA Website for news, info, and resources for parents/guardians and families.

Take our Surveys, give us your thoughts at meetings, and/or by e-mail.

Get involved – we would love your input and help!

- **Join the PTA**
- **Volunteer** your time and talent, and/or
- **Donate to our “No Frills Fundraiser”** and/or **link your Amazon/Harris Teeter accounts**

Feel free to e-mail any questions/thoughts/comments.



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YOUR
THOUGHTS

Your Thoughts on how YHS PTA Can Help:

Dana Milburn and PTA Board

With our remaining time, we'll take your thoughts/suggestions. You're welcome to write to Dana or other Board members if we run out of time for everyone's suggestions, or if you prefer to e-mail.



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THANK YOU
See you June 6!

