

The OCEAN LAKES HIGH SCHOOL PTSA
“DOLPHIN DOLLARS” Program

Dear OLHS Parents and Supporters,

The PTSA’s ability to fundraise at OLHS is limited. We are very fortunate to have MANY active groups, individual classes, and school organizations. Most of these groups have fundraising projects during the year to support their many activities. As a PTSA we have always tried to respect those organizations and not hold conflicting fundraisers.

OLHS used to host the AAU tournament in the summer, which traditionally allowed the PTSA to raise \$3000 selling concessions. After 2005, however, this event was moved to another city. That left OLHS PTSA funds coming from several other sources, but the total has not been enough to underwrite the 10 Scholarships awarded to graduating seniors, the Reflections program, Big Chill (parent shadow day) & Founders Week, Teacher & Staff Appreciation events, the Volunteer Reception, the Dolphin Dash, and a host of other areas the PTSA supports at Ocean Lakes.

“Dolphin Dollars” was launched two years ago to help fund the PTSA programs, and it has grown each year! With your help, it will continue to be successful. Rather than sell or buy anything this year, please consider just donating to “Dolphin Dollars.” If each family could donate as little as \$5.00, the Dolphin Dollars would successfully fund the 2009-2010 operating budget *with no selling required!* A list of donors (names only) will be published in each PTSA newsletter. If you have a business and would like to make a donation of \$100 or more, we will include a business-card-sized advertisement to acknowledge your donation.

We do *not* want to hurt membership. Membership is a very important number when it comes to the advocacy work of the PTSA. Therefore, if you must choose, make sure you have squared away your and your student’s membership first, especially if your student is a senior this year.

Since the OLHS PTSA is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization, your donation is completely tax deductible! Your cancelled check is your receipt. We thank you in advance for your continued support of the PTSA.

The Parent Teacher Student Association of Ocean Lakes High School

“Dolphin Dollars” Donation

Name (s) for Newsletter Publication: _____

Amount Donated: ___ \$5 ___ \$10 ___ \$15 ___ \$20 ___ \$25 ___ \$35 ___ \$50 ___ other

Check Number: _____ ** Business Donation: ___ \$100 ___ other **(Include a business card.)**

Please make your check payable to OLHS PTSA and deliver it to the main office at school, or mail it to OLHS PTSA, 885 Schumann Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23454.

**** “Membership Fees” and “Dolphin Dollars” donations can be included in one check!**