

The PTA Executive Board
Would like to invite you to attend
The Re-organization meeting and Pot Luck Dinner

June 13, 2011

7:30 pm

At

The Lopatcong Middle School Cafeteria

Bring a dish and meet the new Executive Board Members.

Make some new friends and join us in doing great things for our children and our school.

Come bring new ideas, fundraising ideas, fun night ideas, etc.

Get information on Committees and meet Committee Chair people.

Please RSVP to Russa Nollstadt 908-387-1559 or Ruskevumac@verizon.net

What is PTA? Why join PTA? The number one reason to join the **Parent Teacher Association** is to benefit your child. In doing so, you also help your school. But there are many more PTA advantages:

- **Get Connected.** There's no better way to know what's happening in your school.
- **Discover Great Resources.** The PTA offers a variety of programs designed for parents as well as students.
- **Tap into a Network.** PTA functions are opportunities to meet other parents and teachers, building rapport and discussing issues that are on your mind. You can share ideas, concerns, and experiences.
- **Watch Yourself Grow.** By volunteering with your PTA, you put your skills and hobbies to use for a noble cause—your child and all children in the community.
- **Speak Up.** PTA can be a way for you to more effectively suggest change at your child's school.
- **Witness Improvement.** By getting involved at your child's school you'll be part of the solution, helping make positive changes. Local PTAs play an important role in fundraising to provide building improvements, curriculum-based programs, and social events.
- **Be a Role Model.** By becoming a PTA member, you'll be demonstrating to your child the importance you place on education.