



# Great Neck South High School PTSA

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Susan Elliott, Principal  
Great Neck South High School

## PTSA President's Welcome

Welcome to the start of the 2016-17 school year at Great Neck South High School. I am very happy to be starting out my term as PTSA President with the support of the PTSA Executive Board and with all of you. Please reach out to me or any member of the [PTSA Executive Board listed here](#) - in person or by email - and let us know your questions, concerns and ideas. You can contact us at [info@gnschs-ptsa.org](mailto:info@gnschs-ptsa.org). To learn more about the PTSA visit our website at [gnschs-ptsa.org](http://gnschs-ptsa.org).

The goal of this PTSA newsletter is to highlight information that we think will be useful to you, to help keep you informed about what is going on at school. We plan to e-mail a newsletter to all of you about once a month. For information whenever you need it, we encourage you to check the [School's Website here](#), in addition to our [PTSA website](#).

As a parent/guardian of a GNSHS student, you are part of the PTSA. I encourage you to attend PTSA meetings, where you will learn a lot about the school; and attend Board of Education meetings and UPTC meetings, whenever you are able, to learn more about the district. By doing so, you will become a more informed member of our school and our district. All PTSA, UPTC and Board of Education meetings are on the [District Calendar](#). You are welcome to attend these meetings. I look forward to seeing you at PTSA meetings.

Meanwhile, please "like" the Great Neck South High School PTSA on [Facebook](#). Please contact me with any questions.

Regards,  
**Miriam Kobliner**, PTSA President

**PAY YOUR PTSA DUES**



**2016-17 SOUTH HIGH CALENDAR**

**GUIDANCE DEPT.**



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## South High in the News

Newsweek ranks South High #38 in nation and #1 in Long Island.

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## Clubs & Activities

South High offers over 60 clubs and activities which students are encouraged to join! 9th graders and new students will attend a Club Activities Fair on September 9th.

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## Teacher Websites

[VIEW HERE](#)

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## School Map

Click to view the newly revamped school map!



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## Fall Athletics Schedule

Click to view:



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## Musical Auditions



Every November, South High puts on a full length musical, complete with pit orchestra. This year's musical is "**The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee**".

**Tue. 9/6:** Acting and Dance auditions

**Wed. 9/7:** Vocal auditions

**Thu. 9/8:** Musical callbacks

[VIEW AUDITION MATERIAL](#)

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## A Freshman's Guide to SHS

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New to South High? Feeling overwhelmed? Here's a quick overview of South High Life, frequently asked questions, teacher and sophomore advice, and myths and rumors of South High.

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## Important Dates

(all events are at South High unless otherwise noted)

- **9/6, 7:30pm:** Gr.12 Parent/Student College Meeting
  - **9/7:** Gr.12 Senior Class Group Photo
  - **9/12, 2:45pm:** SDMC Meeting
  - **9/15, 7:30pm:** Financial Aid Night
  - **9/15-9/16:** Photo Days Gr.9-11
  - **9/19, 8:30pm @ South High:** Board of Ed Meeting
  - **9/22, 5:45pm:** ESL Parent Meeting
  - **9/22, 7pm:** Open House
  - **9/26, 7:30pm @ North High:** [UPTC](#) Kick-Off Meeting
  - **9/29, 7pm:** Gr.9 Parent Meeting
  - **9/29, 7:30pm:** Gr.10 Parent Meeting
  - **9/29, 7:45pm:** PTSA Meeting
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The Great Neck South High School Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) serves as an advocate for the education and general welfare of students attending Great Neck South High School (GNSHS). We foster communication and cooperation among the faculty, administration, students, parents and alumni of GNSHS. Our PTSA encourages parent involvement in activities to support GNSHS while promoting and celebrating the diversity of the GNSHS Community.