

# Patrons of the Arts and Activities

Supporting Students in the Arts and Non-Athletic  
Activities in the Prior Lake-Savage Schools



Dear Friend of the Community,

Each year more than 1,000 Prior Lake-Savage Area School students participate in arts and non-athletic activities. Many of these students participate and have earned recognition at the State and National levels. With talent overflowing among our youth, the school district budget cannot meet all the needs of our rapidly growing programs. Since 2007, the Patrons of the Arts and Activities (PAA) has been helping with much-needed attire, equipment, instruments, technology, and other needs critical to providing high-quality programs for all students in the Prior Lake Savage Area Schools.

Some of the many ways PAA has recently supported students include:

- Need based scholarships for middle school students to attend camps and arts educational opportunities (Recently, a music festival in Wisconsin-MS Band, a Timberwolves Game National Anthem performance- MS Choir)
- Purchased New/Used band instruments for both the middle and high school programs
- Purchased Computers and equipment for Robotics programs and HS Choir
- Funded 2 additional coaches for the Speech team- due to increased enrollment
- Helped send the Percussion Ensemble to the Midwest Clinic International Band and Orchestra Festival (first MN High School since the 1970s)
- Helped send numerous students to state and national competitions, and much more!

As a local business, you play a vital role in keeping our community strong. That is why PAA is reaching out to you with an exciting opportunity to demonstrate your commitment and support of the more than 1,000 students participating in our activities. PAA is hoping you will consider providing support to keep these programs thriving!

Please take a close look at the enclosed PAA Partnership Opportunities, which will support our programs and allow you to connect with these families in new ways.

Just imagine having your logo listed in event programs, your business name announced at concerts and events, your company's ad displayed on our social media, and the electronic display boards in front of the auditorium just to name a few possibilities. Your business name will be in front of thousands and reflect your support of our students.

On behalf of PAA and all the students in arts and activities in Prior Lake-Savage Area Schools, thank you for your support and commitment to our community. We hope you will reach out to Jeff Marshall, Activities Director, at [jmarshall@plsas.org](mailto:jmarshall@plsas.org) or the PAA Executive Board at [plhspaa@gmail.com](mailto:plhspaa@gmail.com) with any questions about these exciting opportunities.

Sincerely,

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PAA President

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