

## **Bell Elementary PTSA - President Role Description**

The president/co-president is responsible for overseeing and leading all facets of the organization (organizational chart below). This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- 1. Work closely with the executive board to develop and execute on strategic plans (e.g., mission, vision, and goals)
- 2. Provide organizational leadership delegate responsibility, empower others, and provide the needed support for each board member to executive on their respective responsibilities.
- 3. Ensure compliance, governance, and fulfillment of responsibilities outlined in the following:
  - i. Washington State PTA Uniform Bylaws (which conforms to National PTA Bylaws),
  - ii. A.G. Bell PTSA Standing Rules
  - iii. Washington State PTA Standards of Affiliation Agreement
- 4. Facilitates all board meetings and general membership meetings
  - i. In the case of Co-Presidents only one may preside at a meeting
    - ii. Presiding President has no vote
    - iii. Plan the meeting agendas with the PTSA Secretary, utilizing input from others.
- 5. Oversees all communications from the PTSA (e.g., newsletters, website, flyers, etc.)
- 6. Set the PTSA calendar for the year working closely with the administrative team
- 7. Liaison between the executive board and principal of the school
- 8. Be knowledgeable of basic parliamentary procedure
- 9. Be aware of and utilize resources from the PTSA Council, State PTA, and National PTA
- 10. Works with the VP of Membership to ensure incoming officers information is entered into the State PTA database (Member Planet)
- 11. Attend leadership training offered by the Council, Region, and State PTAs and encourage other members of the PTA to attend
- 12. Serve as an ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee
- 13. Assure that the unit participates in the election of the Lake Washington Council Board, the Region 2 Director, and the State Board
- 14. Attend all Lake Washington PTSA Council General Meetings or send a delegate in his/her place
- 15. Promote a positive image of the PTSA within the community
- 16. Lead a Board Retreat in July or August



- 17. Organize end-of-year thank you gathering for all Board Members and Committee Chairs
- Oversee the following committees/persons:
  Communications, Financial Review, Nominating Committee (recruit members only), Awards, Legislative Representative, and Parent Education
- 19. Maintain the President notebook (digital and printed) and pass it on to the incoming President with instructions

