

# MENDHAM HIGH SCHOOL PTO

**Welcome to the PTO...an important resource to help guide you through your families High School years.**

**Our mission is to provide parents with a framework of support and information about the HS experience. We seek to help you navigate the transition and challenges that can arise. In addition, we fund gifts for the educational development of our children.**

**By joining the PTO, your membership helps to fund a host of benefits that can be experienced by all members, including:**

- ❖ **Our monthly programs that rotate between mid-day and evening presentations. 2016/2017 topics may include:**
  - **FAFSA (College Financial Aid) information session**
  - **Information Session with Superintendent Mr. Ben David.**
  - **SAT Bootcamp**
  - **Substance Abuse – Insight into drugs in our area. Identifying the signs.**
  - **Power School/Naviance – guide for parents**
  - **Helping Teens Handle Stress and Anxiety**
  - **Teen Drivers – AAA Legal Update for parents.**
  
- ❖ **School Gifts: In 2015/2016 the PTO helped to fund equipment for STEM classrooms and the Library, as well as a new speaker system for the gym.**
- ❖ **School Scholarships for Graduating Seniors**
- ❖ **Arts programs including the annual Evening of the Arts and Battle of the Bands.**
- ❖ **Project Graduation**
- ❖ **Teacher Appreciation Events**

**Your Registration and \$25 Membership Dues unlocks the benefits of our programs, so join us and take advantage of this great resource.**

**Registration is easy – go to our website: <http://www.mhspto.com> and click on Registration. Then follow the instructions to register and pay your membership dues. In addition we offer a Membership directory app for \$10.**

**We look forward to meeting you in September.**

*Janet Serafin/Susan Sullivan*

**PTO Co-Chairpersons**