



Hamasdegh PTA Weekly Newsletter

October 10, 2019

Dear Hamasdegh Parent,

A big shout out to our amazing parents who help set up the church hall for lunch, supervise the students during lunch and clean up after lunch each and every Sunday. Last Sunday's volunteers included *Rita Deurdulian, Tanya Juskalian, and Medea Melkonian*. Your efforts are much appreciated! Please [sign up](#) to be a lunch duty volunteer this Sunday.



Donate a snack for October Pizza Day! If your family would like to donate a healthy snack (e.g., fruit, Gogurt or any other nut free, allergy free treats) for October Pizza Day (October 27), please email us at hamasdeghpta@gmail.com. We and the kids thank you!

Be a Room Parent! Thank you to *Talar Vartanian* for volunteering to be a room parent for 4th grade! We are so close but still need room parents for 5th and 7th grades. If interested, please email us at hamasdeghpta@gmail.com or reach out to one of the PTA board members. Learn more about room parent program [here](#).

Need your input! Hamasdegh PTA is planning a gift wrapping fundraiser in November-December when you can drop off your boxes and let the PTA do your gift wrapping. How likely are you to utilize this service? Submit your answer [here](#).



Kindergarten

About Me

Hello! My name is Noushig Tatarian and this is my second year of teaching Kindergarten class at Hamasdegh School. I was born and raised in Syria and moved to the United States in 1995. I had the honor of attending Hamasdegh Armenian school for 2 years and graduated in 1998. I am a mother of 2 boys: Hrugh (7) and Razmig (3). In my spare time, I love spending time outdoors with my husband and kids or turning our living room into a party room and dancing to our favorite Armenian songs like Yarkhushta. I am looking forward to a great year ahead with my wonderful students.



A few of my favorite things

Color:	Yellow	Armenian dish:	Sarma & dolma
Season:	Summer	Armenian movie:	Gyank u griv
Animal:	Birds	Armenian book:	Zartok
Restaurant:	Cheesecake Factory	Armenian singer:	Sevak Amroyan
Store:	Amazon		

Did You Know?

- While Hamasdegh families are the core PTA members, PTA membership is also open to teachers, grandparents and other community members who want to support the PTA. Become a [PTA member](#) today.
- Hamasdegh School will hold a parent meeting in the church hall this Sunday, October 13, at 10:00 AM. All parents are invited to join the meeting to find out the latest school updates and raise any concerns.
- Hamasdegh School is excited to offer Ծիլ Դասարան - Little Sprouts class for children under 4 years old, starting this Sunday, October 13, 2019. This class runs from 9:30 AM (starting in church) until noon. Children must be toilet trained to enroll. Help us grow our school community! If you know a family who might be interested or who would be a good fit for our community, we ask that you share this information with them.

Important Links

- [Join the PTA](#)
- [Get Involved! Join a committee](#)
- [Complete the parent survey](#)
- [Amazon Smile](#)



*Hamasdegh Armenian School PTA
invites all Pre-K, Kindergarten, and 1st Graders
to an after school
FREE Fall Field Trip*

*Enjoy pumpkin painting, crafts, a walk through the Jurassic Park house,
viewing Halloween display, eating popcorn, and drinking apple cider*

Sunday, October 27, 2019
1:15 pm and 2:15 pm
(for those with older school kids with dismissal at 2:00 pm)

American Plant Pumpkin Patch
5258 River Rd, Bethesda, MD 20816
(there are 2 locations, this one is nearest our church, ~1.2 miles)

Notes:

- Parents are responsible to drive to American Plant
- All community children welcome
- One group at a time will paint pumpkin
- Free admission; pumpkins are for purchase
- Weather permitting, no rain date
- Overflow parking at Whole Foods across the street

PTA EVENTS - SAVE THE DATE!!

October 20, 11-11:30am	Gratitude Tree
October 27, after school	Students receive Halloween treat bags
October 27, 1:15-3:00pm	American Plant Pumpkin Patch

[Full Calendar of Events \(pdf\)](#)

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