Brentwood Middle Families,

We want to welcome you to the 2023-2024 school year! We, Elisa Romans and Halie Fisher, will be serving as the PTO Co-Presidents for the Brentwood Middle School PTO Board this year. We are excited about the opportunity to serve this amazing school community with a year that is sure to build the future of Brentwood Middle School on the inside and out. We firmly believe that a well-equipped school facility is essential for fostering academic excellence and creating optimal learning experiences. We are thrilled that the school construction project is moving forward and will provide our students with state-of-the-art classrooms, recreational spaces, and other enhancements for their educational journey.

We envision this year will be full of growth on many levels for the future of BMS. We hope we have your collective enthusiasm and support even amongst the construction that will be taking place throughout the year. We know our Brentwood community takes immense pride in its commitment to provide a nurturing and conducive learning environment for our children and their future.

BMS is growing and flourishing, offering more opportunities and expanding its educational impact on our community as a whole. We are excited about this year's Mission Possible. Funds raised during this fundraising campaign will provide students with technology, equipment, materials, and programs beyond what WCS funding can provide. We will also be able to help fund new projects for the new facility being built. Last year, our Mission Possible campaign raised over \$95,000 for our school! These contributions made a big impact for our students. We were able to:

- Provide instruments and equipment for the BMS Viking Band Department
- Provide new equipment for the Theatre Department
- Pay for After School Tutoring and Homework Club
- PBIS Parties, Grade Level Socials, Teacher Appreciation Luncheons and Hospitality Carts throughout the year
- End of the year ceremonies and awards
- Continuing education conferences for teachers
- Funded Camp Viking, Back-to-School Kickoff, End of year events, and beautification of school grounds
- Purchase of Viking full sized mascot for school events Parent Teacher Organization

This year our Mission Possible goal is \$100,000 which will maintain the current programs listed above plus help add exciting updates to our new facility!

We kindly request your support in helping BMS execute these fundraising initiatives. We believe that the entire school community will need to assist in this endeavor. We cannot do this huge task without every single one of our families. Together we can help raise the necessary funds, build our school communities future and share a sense of unity with a purpose of seeing that THE FUTURE IS NOW!

Please visit our BMS PTO website www.ptobms.org. It is a great resource for PTO related items and the Student/Family Directory as well as the ability to make online payments for events throughout the school year. Please also visit the volunteer tab and let us know ways you'd like to serve this year. If you have any questions about volunteering, let us know. We'd love to have you!

Please note that you will have the same login and password as last year. 6th grade families use the same login and password used in elementary schools. We encourage everyone to login and update their family information on the PTO website. Every parent is invited to be a part of the PTO. There is no fee to be a member of the Brentwood Middle School PTO as we want all families to have access to the resources. However, you will need to update your information annually as well as set-up a profile if you have not already done so in a prior school year. All of the PTO board members are listed on the website and are here to help you.

We are looking forward to working with you this year! Please reach out to us anytime at bmspresident.37027@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Elisa Romans and Halie Fisher Co-Presidents BMS PTO