



Alternative High School Parents Association

Parents / Guardians,

The Parents Association would like to **welcome** new and returning students and staff to the start of the 2024-2025 academic school year. A new academic year brings with it many new opportunities for the association to continue to be involved in the Alti community and support the students and staff to make this year great! New students and staff will see, as we already have experienced, the supportive community that Alternative High brings to your student's lives.

Get Involved By:

- Attend meetings
- Sign up for emails
- **Donate** your bottles to Alti Parents Association at [SkipTheDepot](#)

How We Support Students

The Alternative High School Parents Association plays an important role in strengthening the school programming throughout the school year. The association's main source of financial support for the students occurs during a two-day casino volunteer event every 18-months. This year, the Parents Association will be volunteering at the **Deerfoot Inn & Casino on November 22 & 23** (Friday/Saturday). We will be discussing this at the upcoming meeting and sending more details in the next Parents Association newsletter.



Connect With Us

The association plays a key role in the school community and we want to ensure that we can continue to support the student population in the year ahead. It is a tremendous opportunity that students and families have to come together in the school community of Alternative High. The work of the Parents Association does not require significant, specialized skills or a dramatic investment of time. However, **it does require membership**. We hope you can attend the **September 17th Alternative High School Parents Association meeting**. Watch for an email notice or visit the [Parent Society webpage](#) for meeting details.

We are unable to contact you directly without your consent and must rely on the Alternative High School office staff to send information to you. Please consider sending us your email contact information so that we can update you on how this money gets spent and any other upcoming events. We feel that the more parents that are involved, the more voices we hear, and the more representative our group will be. Legally we are an entity separate from the school and require you to sign up for these updates. **Please complete the "[Permission for School Council and Parents Association to Contact Parents/Guardians Directly](#)" form** and return it to the main office or send your name and email to ahs.pa.president@gmail.com to receive **(very few) updates in the future**.

Sincerely,
Shelley Barter
President, Alternative High School Parent Association