

**Greater Pittsburgh Montessori Society**  
**School Membership Application 2019-2020 Membership Year**

**Join us** in our mission to further the education of Montessori professionals, to educate parents of children who attend Montessori schools, and to increase the general public's awareness of the principles of Montessori education, while increasing your school's visibility in the greater Pittsburgh area.

**Schools have two ways to become a part of the GPMS community!**

***Friends of GPMS Sponsorship***

This is a membership level for schools and other Montessori-related businesses.

**Benefits** of being a Friend of GPMS include:

- School listing on the GPMS website, with a link to your school's own website
- Free employment ads on the GPMS website
- Free advertising on the **new** GPMS Facebook page, including featured posts and announcements
- Written acknowledgement of your sponsorship at GPMS events
- Opportunities to pass out promotional materials at GPMS event
- A featured article in the GPMS newsletter
- Invitations for parents of GPMS member schools to attend select events for free

A Friend of GPMS Sponsorship is \$100.

***Professional Memberships for your staff***

This is a discount program for your school to help your staff members to connect with the local Montessori community. **If you join by September 15**, you may purchase a Professional Membership at a discounted rate of \$25 per person, saving \$5 each. After September 15, your membership will be \$30. By providing Professional Memberships for your staff, they will receive the following benefits:

- Discounted (or even waived!) GPMS workshop registration fees
- Opportunities to network with other area Montessorians
- Sharing of resources with the greater Pittsburgh Montessori community
- GPMS voting privileges

Professional memberships are open to administrators or directors of Montessori schools, certified Montessori teachers, Montessori interns and assistants or aides in Montessori schools. Memberships and sponsorships run from September 1, 2019 to August 31, 2020.

Please mail the completed application, plus check or money order for the total amount of sponsorship and membership fees made out to the **Greater Pittsburgh Montessori Society**, to  
GPMS, 950 Perry Highway, Pittsburgh, PA 15237

Questions? Email Sarah Jimenez at [Gpmstreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:Gpmstreasurer@gmail.com)

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School: \_\_\_\_\_

Administrator/Director: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Web Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email (please print clearly!): \_\_\_\_\_

Choose one or both ways below for your school to be a part of GPMS:

**Friends of GPMS Sponsorship**

Sponsorship is \$100 for a school or Montessori-related business. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Professional Memberships (Special discount of \$25 each, if you join before September 15)**

# of memberships \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25 postmarked before September 15, after \$30 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach a Professional Membership form for each staff member, or a separate sheet with the following contact information for each: name, position, home address, home phone and email address.**

This is important to ensure that all GPMS members receive the full benefits of membership.

**Total Due (Sponsorship fee + Professional Membership fees) \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

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**Thank you for joining the Greater Pittsburgh Montessori Society!**

**GPMS is working for you!**