

Dear Greater NW PTK Chapter Advisors,

My name is Jessica Supinski and I am serving as the new Phi Theta Kappa Greater NW Regional Coordinator. I have met many of you already, and I look forward to meeting more of you in the months to come! Here are some important updates from me and from PTK Headquarters:

**Spring Scholarship Deadline:** This deadline has been extended to May 17 at 5:00 PM CST. Students can apply here: <https://www.ptk.org/scholarships.aspx>

**Spring Induction Ceremonies:** Many chapters are hosting spring induction ceremonies. Please share photos with me via email and/or to the regional Facebook public group “Greater Northwest Region – Phi Theta Kappa.

**Chapter Honors In Action/College Project Scores:** You should have received these scores from PTK headquarters last week. If you have any questions, you can contact Erica Bold, PTK Membership Services Specialist for Division IV at [Erica.Bold@ptk.org](mailto:Erica.Bold@ptk.org).

**Five Star Chapter Plan:** The 2019 Five Star Chapter Plan is updated on the website. It now lines up with the Five Star Advisor Plan. The progress report link should be active this week, so you can see as chapters set goals and achieve them. <https://www.ptk.org/programs/fivestarchapterplan.aspx>

- Level One: Membership
- Level Two: Engagement
- Level Three: Regional Involvement
- Level Four: College Project
- Level Five: Honors in Action/International Involvement

**2019 Hallmark Awards Wrap-up:** PTK staff have shared that, in regards to the Hallmark Awards Program, they are continuously looking to improve. Your feedback matters! Please send any suggestions or feedback to Jennifer Stanford ([Jennifer.Stanford@ptk.org](mailto:Jennifer.Stanford@ptk.org)).

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**PTK Catalyst Photos:** You can access photos at: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/ptkcatalyst>

**Summer Membership Invitations:** Please consider inviting eligible members to join during the summer months. Even if there are few people are on campus, joining in the summer gives those new members a head start on membership benefits, like exploring the website/connecting with our online community). It’s another opportunity for students to join, which will maximize your chapters’ chances of earning REACH Rewards. If you have any questions, you can contact Erica Bold, PTK Membership Services Specialist for Division IV at [Erica.Bold@ptk.org](mailto:Erica.Bold@ptk.org).

Please note: summer enrollment does ***not*** have a negative impact on REACH as REACH Rewards are calculated on an annual basis. Unfortunately, Golden Opportunity Scholarships are ***not*** available during summer enrollment.