

The Solon Early Childhood PTA Newsletter: www.secpta.net

The Solon Early Childhood PTA is a unit of the Ohio Parent Teacher Association (PTA), organized for the parents of preschool age children (birth-5) regardless of what school the child will attend. Expectant parents are also welcome.

We always welcome new members from Solon and the surrounding communities. If you are the parent of a preschool age child or infant, we have something for you!



While our website receives the extra attention it needs, we will be reverting back to paper sign-ups for the March General Meeting. Please see the sign-up procedures description in this newsletter for instructions on how to sign up!



MEMBERSHIP REMINDER

Our new membership year started on July 1, so for more fun with SECPTA, please renew your membership for 2018-2019! You can register online at www.secpta.net/register. If you previously had an online SECPTA account, you will be asked to log-in first. Have questions? Email Lydia at membership@secpta.net

Notes from the SECPTA President:

KRISTEN'S SECTION

I always feel a touch guilty about how happy I am to see February end! March brings with it a (sometimes false) promise of spring, and warmth, and sun, and boy am I longing for those things! I also love our springtime activities with SECPTA. The most important one is our annual fundraiser. This year boasts an amazing theme (hellooooo 80's night!) and lots of great prizes, as well as a yummy dinner, a dessert bar to make any 80's kid happy, dancing, and fun with friends! But more than just a fun night, our fundraiser is a vital part of meeting our annual budget. We try very hard to provide exceptional value to our members, ensuring you get the most bang for your buck! If events aren't free, they are deeply subsidized, and this is one way we accomplish that. So, I hope you will join us and invite your friends, neighbors, and family (this is definitely not a members only event!). Let them see how cool we are :) Details can be found in this newsletter and on our website (which is also where you can purchase tickets!). I hope to see you all there for a totally tubular night! #yaysecpta

Kristen

president@secpta.net

SECPTA GENERAL MEETINGS

SECPTA General Meetings are held once each month and are a place to socialize, build community, learn something, and meet new people. The meetings are open to the public, free of charge, and do not require an RSVP. Complimentary child care and pizza are offered at every meeting. If you have any questions, please feel free to e-mail us; otherwise we're looking forward to getting to know you at one of our General Meetings!

Jennifer Frazier, VP of Programs and Tina Soric, Chair of Programs
programs@secpta.net

March's General Meeting and Program: Library Resources

Tuesday, March 19th at 6:15 pm

Solon Community Center, 35000 Portz Parkway

Join us for our general meeting and to meet with representatives from the Cuyahoga County Public Library and the Twinsburg Public Library!

Sue Kirschner and Amy Hirsimaki, representing the Cuyahoga County Youth Literacy and Outreach program, will present the library's Bookable and Toy Library collections as well as inform us of resources available to our families through the library system. Kaitlin Walker, representing the Twinsburg Public Library, will speak about storytimes, upcoming events, and other library resources of interest to families with young children.

Schedule:

6:15 pm	Arrival, refreshments, event registration
6:30 pm	Business meeting
6:55 pm	Cuyahoga County Public Library Presentation
7:20 pm	Twinsburg Public Library Presentation

All general meetings include complimentary childcare in a room immediately adjacent to the meeting room as well as pizza. This year's childcare will be provided by a combination of adults and teens from On Your Toes Dance Studio.



SAVE THE DATE!



April General Meeting on Tuesday, April 23rd at 6:15 pm
Workshop with Personal Stylist Megan Moran from the Style Foundry

APRIL ADULT OUTINGS

MOMS OUTING



Crafting Day In

Saturday, April 13th at 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Join us for a **MOMS** crafting day in at a members' home! Bring your own craft project to work on (the one that's been sitting to the side waiting for you to find the time to work on it...) and enjoy great company and conversation for an afternoon break! Enjoy some coffee or tea while you catch up on photo organization, baby books, knitting, painting, any sort of project you can think of! **Cost: FREE** If you have any questions, please email adultoutings@secpta.net.



DADS OUTING

Forest City Shuffleboard

Sunday, April 14th at 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Shuffle on down to Forest City Shuffleboard for the next **DADS** outing! Come hang out for the afternoon and sharpen your shuffleboard skills with the other Dads of SECPTA! **Cost: \$5**. If you have any questions, please email adultoutings@secpta.net.

COUPLES OUTING



SECPTA Fundraiser at Grantwood Golf Course

Saturday, April 6th at 6:30pm

In lieu of a couples outing this month, we will be rocking the night away at the SECPTA Fundraiser at Grantwood Golf Course in Solon! More information in this newsletter. **This is NOT a couples only event!** To purchase your tickets, visit www.secpta.net! **SAVE THE DATE: MAY COUPLES OUTING! Join us for a Party Bus downtown on Friday, May 3rd from 6:00 pm - 11:30 pm!**

...AND DON'T FORGET ABOUT THESE MARCH OUTINGS:

On **Friday, March 15th**, the **MOMS** of SECPTA will be going to **Condado Tacos**!

On **Saturday, March 23rd**, the **DADS** of SECPTA are watching **March Madness at BW3 in Aurora**!

On **Saturday, March 9th**, the **COUPLES** of SECPTA will be going to an **Escape Room**!



SECPTA's Coffee Club:



Spring has sprung, and bees are humming! We're having a Coffee Club party, and hope you are coming! On **Thursday, April 4th from 9:30-11:30am** we will meet at Martina Galarza's house in Solon. We will enjoy some great conversation, as well as, coffee and delicious breakfast treats. Crafts and play time will be enjoyed by the kids. Hop on over for some spring fun!



Save the date for the next Coffee Club:

Step right up and join us for a Carnival Coffee Club celebration! Save the date for our last coffee club on **Wednesday, May 29th from 10:00am – 12:00pm** at Solon Playground and Pavilion. Please notice the time change!



FITNESS



SECPTA Moves! Fitness Challenge

Join us for a fun fitness challenge with a purpose. **We have set up a team on the Charity Miles app to track the distance we walk, run, or bike.** For every mile, the app makes a donation to the charity of our choice! You can track your miles when you walk/run outside, on the treadmill, or chasing the kids around the house. As a team we will try to reach our goal and keep each other motivated. **This challenge is free and open to all members of any fitness level.** Together we have traveled over 75 miles! Keep it going and watch Facebook for any walking meet-ups! **To join the challenge, email fitness@secpta.net.**



2019 SECPTA T-Ball is Coming!!

Registration is going to open Tuesday, March 26th and close Friday, May 3rd. Registration will solely be online. Cost is \$25 per child and each child will get a t-shirt.

Practices and games will be Tuesday nights from 6:30-7:30 pm, beginning Tuesday, June 4th and run through Tuesday, July 16th, with a rain date of July 23rd. Kids will need to wear sneakers (no cleats) and will need a mitt.

If you have questions, please email Maya at tbball@secpta.net.

****Please note, a 2018-2019 membership
in SECPTA is required to play.****

Check out SECPTA Book Club!

SECPTA Book Club meets once a month and members get to recommend and vote on the books we read. Request to join the **SECPTA Book Club Facebook group** to keep up with the latest information. Contact Jenna at bookclub@secpta.net for more information.



SECPTA FOODIE CLUB

Come learn from Chef Cat as we explore the kitchen!



This class is great for people who don't cook much but would like to start, people who cook but need a confidence booster, as well as people who have been cooking for years but just want to refresh the basics. Chef Cat will give a hands-on presentation, guide the class, and will divide everyone into small groups for dish item execution.

The class will run approximately 2.5 to 3 hours, with a community meal in the end.

Sign up at the March General Meeting or email Martina at foodieclub@secpta.net.

Sunday, April 28th at 3:30pm, Cost: \$30, Martina's home

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MEMBER SPOTLIGHT!

To help SECPTA members get to know each other, we're featuring brief profiles of members on our private Facebook page.

And, we'd like to feature **you and your family!**

If you are willing to be featured, please email **answers** to the following questions and a **photo** that can be posted to membership@secpta.net.

- Who is in your family?
- Where do you live?
- Where are you from (and when did you move to this area if you moved?)
- Is there something interesting about yourself or your family that you'd like to share?
- What activities are you excited to do (or already do) with SECPTA?

Featured members will be entered in a raffle to **win a \$10 gift card** (to Mitchell's Ice-Cream or Target, your choice!). [Congratulations to our January Member Spotlight winners: Jamael Szucs and Becky Kastner!](#)



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SECPTA Playgroups

Check out Playgroups if you'd like to meet and hang out with SECPTA friends!

- **Playdates** open to all SECPTA members! We meet at local locations a few times a month.
- **Organized Playgroups** are assigned by kids' ages/availability and meet at local locations/member's homes. Email Kristen E. at playgroups@secpta.net to sign up at any time. See below for this year's playgroups schedule, ages listed are averages. Groups typically meet 1st & 3rd week of each month. Sign-up sheet at the end of this newsletter!



Upcoming Playdates:

(more info on "SECPTA Playgroups" Facebook Page)

- **Tuesday, March 12th: 10:30am-12:00pm, Toddler Sensory Playdate**, Chagrin Falls Library downstairs room, hands-on activities led by PTA mom & teacher Chelsea Peterson-Misseldine, enjoy playground afterwards, ages 0-2.5, \$2/family.
- **Tuesday, March 12th: 10:30-11:30am, KinderRealm Hike & Craft Playdate**, Liberty Park Nature Center, ages 3-6, no cost, dress appropriately.
- **Thursday, March 14th: 6:30-7:30pm: Evening Baby Science Explorers** at Twinsburg Library, Ages 0-3, no cost but pre-register on library website.
- **Tuesday, March 19th: 9:00-10:00am, LL Bean Craft & Storytime in Tents**, no cost, pre-register online at LL Bean Legacy Village website.
- **Saturday, March 23rd, 11:00am-12:30pm, Amphibians for Kids Playdate** at Liberty Park Nature Center, no cost.
- **Tuesday, April 9th, 10:30-11:30am, KinderRealm Hike & Craft Playdate**, Liberty Park Nature Center, ages 3-6, no cost, dress appropriately.



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Welcome SECPTA Adventurers!



Access to fun, age-appropriate field trips is one of the many great benefits that members of SECPTA are provided.

The 2018-2019 Field Trips Committee is hard at work planning some fantastic outings and we hope that you will join us!

The members of the Field Trips Committee are:

- Jamie Routman (Chair)
- Renee Burr
- Kate Gagne
- Rose Kemmerling
- Tina Soric

Our committee's goal is to provide fun, kid-friendly activities and events to help keep you and your family busy! Many of our trips are subsidized, so you can do things with your family you've always wanted, but maybe found too costly. Other trips provide access to places and events that only large groups are afforded. Come with us and enjoy outings with your children and the camaraderie of other SECPTA families!

We are always open to ideas and suggestions, especially at the beginning of the year, when we still have openings in the schedule. Please e-mail any trip suggestions you may have to fieldtrips@secpta.net.

Looking forward to meeting you on a SECPTA field trip!

Jamie Routman
Field Trips Chair
fieldtrips@secpta.net

IMPORTANT FIELD TRIP POLICIES

SIGN-UP POLICY:

Field trip sign-ups are FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE. Sign-ups will be accepted in the following order:

1) BOARD MEETINGS:

As a privilege to Board members, sign-ups will be made available to members at monthly board meetings starting at 7:45 pm. Sign-ups will conclude at 8:00 pm at the start of the Board Meeting.

2) GENERAL MEETINGS:

Sign-ups will begin at each General Meeting at 6:15 pm. A line will form outside the meeting room and Field Trip Forms will be collected and numbered. Following the conclusion of the meeting, the Field Trips Committee will process forms and email confirmation, along with a total and a link to pay. Payment can be made via credit card or check. Payment in the form of a check can be made out to SECPTA and must be sent to Treasurer, Sarah Leiby, at:

P.O. Box 391354
Solon, OH 44139

3) AFTER GENERAL MEETINGS:

Once the sign-ups at general meetings are complete, you may sign up by e-mailing the designated Field Trips Coordinator for each particular field trip. (name@secpta.net).

Once you have confirmed a reservation (*some trips may be booked*), you will receive an email with the total payment due and a link to pay. If paying by check, please send payment to the Treasurer, Sarah Leiby, **payable to SECPTA, including the trip title(s) in the Memo line.**

P.O. Box 391354
Solon, OH 44139

Payment should be received prior to the event date. ***Please note that no one is officially signed up until his or her name is on the sign-up form and payment is received.***

*Please note if the field trip(s) you are interested in have sign-up deadlines. After these deadlines, we cannot accept any further sign-ups or additions to the waitlist. We apologize for any inconvenience.

PAYMENT POLICY:

Online payments will be accepted via credit card at secpta.net/fundme. Any checks are made payable to SECPTA. Refunds will not be issued for any ticketed events unless the ticket can be transferred to another SECPTA member. Refunds will not be issued for "no-shows" who do not provide 24-hour notice of cancellation.

WAITING LIST POLICY:

The Field Trips Committee will make their best effort to accommodate all members who have an interest in attending field trips in one or more of the following ways:

WAITING LISTS CREATED - Waiting lists will be created for all "full" field trips. Members will be contacted if spots become available.



INCREASING TICKET NUMBERS - If there is an overwhelming demand for a particular field trip, the committee will make their best effort to accommodate members by increasing the tickets/spots available. Please understand that some field trips have a limited amount of space/tickets available, and an increase may not be possible.

ADDITIONAL DATES SCHEDULED - If there is an overwhelming demand for a particular field trip, the Field Trips Committee will make their best effort to schedule additional dates if possible.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

In order to minimize SECPTA's expense for "No-Shows," and out of courtesy to your fellow SECPTA members, it is imperative that you contact the designated Field Trip Planner, via provided contact email or phone, at least 24 hours prior to the event so we can fill your spot with another member.

Attendance will be taken at all field trips.

No refunds will be given for "no-shows" who have not given 24-hour notification of cancellation. We will be sending at least one reminder e-mail prior to each trip in an effort to minimize no-shows.

Each trip coordinator will make it clear the best way to contact them if you are not going to make it to an event, especially at the last minute. Please also remember that many trips are subsidized, so a "free" trip to you may not have been free to SECPTA.

ILLNESS POLICY:

Children and/or parents should not attend any SECPTA events if they exhibit any of the following symptoms: Diarrhea more than once within 24 hours of the event; severe coughing; difficult or rapid breathing; yellowish skin or eyes; redness of the eye or eyelid including discharge, eye pain, matted eyelashes, burning or itching; temperature of 100 degrees Fahrenheit or higher; infected skin patches; unusual spots or rashes; unusually dark urine and/or gray or white stools; stiff neck with an elevated temperature; sore throat or difficulty swallowing; vomiting within 24 hours of the event; evidence of untreated lice; scabies, or other parasitic infestations.

LOOKING FOR NEW IDEAS AND MEMBERS!

As we already stated, our committee is continually looking for new ideas for field trips. If you have any leads for future events or are interested in joining the committee, please e-mail us (fieldtrips@secpta.net). Your help is always appreciated!!

FACEBOOK

Please "like" SECPTA on Facebook for reminders about field trips sign-ups and other useful SECPTA info!

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please email fieldtrips@secpta.net to contact us for general questions or suggestions. For trip-specific questions, please email individual Field Trip coordinator as listed in the newsletter for each trip.





APRIL FIELD TRIPS



4/2/2019 (Tuesday) Young Chefs Academy

Bring your little one to enjoy a fun, hands-on cooking event at Young Chefs Academy! Your young chef will make a recipe from scratch, doing all the mixing, measuring, and preparation involved in making...strawberry shortcake! Best of all, at the end, the children will eat what they made and take a copy of the recipe home.



Time: 5:00-6:00pm
Location: Young Chefs Academy, 28500 Miles Rd. Solon
Cost: \$5 per child
Ages: 2+
Contact: rose@secpta.net
Sign-up Deadline: 3/28/19

4/6/2019 (Saturday) Snapology Junior Engineers and LEGO city

Children will build fun and simple models using DUPLO® blocks. By playing with and manipulating the models, they experience pulleys, levers, gears, wheels, and axles while exploring energy, buoyancy, and balance. Students will also explore different things found in their communities to create a combined city! Limit of 30 kids.



Time: 9:00-10:30am
Location: Snapology of Cleveland Discovery Center, 3365 Richmond Rd, Suite 238, Beachwood
Cost: \$5 per child
Ages: Ages 3-5
Contact: Fieldtrips@secpta.net
Sign-up Deadline: 4/1/19

4/7/2019 (Sunday) Let the Good Times Roll!

Who's ready to continue the flashback weekend and take your kids along for the ride with a roller-skating outing? We'll head to Chagrin Valley Roller Rink for open skating, movin' and groovin'! Kids price includes admission and skate rental. Adults get free admission and discounted roller skate rentals. We'll need a headcount for all those who plan on coming.



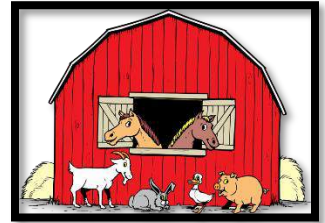
Time: 2:00-5:00pm
Location: Chagrin Valley Roller Rink, 7151 South Main St. Chagrin Falls
Cost: \$5 per child; Free admission for adults; \$2 adult skate rental
Ages: 3+
Contact: rose@secpta.net
Sign-up Deadline: 3/30/19

4/10/2019 (Wednesday) Rising River Farm

Come see what life is like on the farm! Children will get to visit and feed the animals as well as learn how to care for them.

Time: 10:30-11:30 am
Location: 6618 Chagrin River Rd, Solon, OH 44139
Cost: \$5 per child
Ages: All
Contact: renee@secpta.net

Sign-up Deadline: 3/27/19



4/13/2019 (Saturday) Spring Egg Hunt at Primrose School

Join us for a morning filled of fun at Primrose School, including egg hunt, story time, crafts, relay races and a snack. Egg hunt be held outside at 10:15 am, so be sure to dress for the weather!

Time: 10:00am-12:00pm
Location: Primrose School 32995 Solon Rd, Solon, OH 44139
Cost: FREE
Ages: All ages
Contact: fieldtrips@secpta.net

Sign-up Deadline: 4/6/19



4/14/2019 (Sunday) Junie B. Jones

Outspoken, precocious, lovable Junie B. Jones stars in a colorful, funny, fast-paced musical about new friends, new glasses, sugar cookies, the annual kickball tournament and other various first-grade angst-ridden situations. Follow her adventures as she writes down the story of her life in her "Top-Secret Personal Beeswax Journal."

Time: 2:00pm
Location: Ohio Theatre, Playhouse Square
Cost: \$7
Ages: 3+
Contact: tina.soric@secpta.net

Sign-up Deadline: 3/28/19



****This is a ticketed event. No refunds will be given for cancellations or no-shows unless tickets are purchased by another family on the waitlist****

4/3/2019 - 4/22/2019 IX Center Indoor Amusement Park

I-X Indoor Amusement Park is jam-packed with over twenty acres of rides, games, food and attractions all under one roof with FUN for the whole family. Tickets are good for one of following dates: 4/3/2019 - 4/22/2019 (Park is Closed: April 8 – 10, April 15 & 16)



Time: Hours vary by date. Please confirm at <https://ixamusementpark.com/plan-your-visit/park-hours/> for specific date you plan to attend!

Location: One I-X Center Drive Cleveland, Ohio 44135

Cost: \$13 per ticket (ages 3 and under are free)

Ages: All

Contact: renee@secpta.net

Sign-up Deadline: 3/29/19

****This is a ticketed event. No refunds will be given for cancellations or no-shows unless tickets are purchased by another family on the wait list.****

4/20/2019 (Saturday) Candy Scramble

Join us for Twinsburg's fastest dash for candy! Meet the Easter Bunny, take photos, and gather as much candy as possible. It's BYOB, Bring Your Own Basket! Please arrive 15 minutes before your scheduled age group. Ages 2-4: 11:30am, Ages 5-8: 11:45am



Time: Varies by age, 11:30 overall start

Location: Twinsburg Fitness Center 10084 Ravenna Road

Cost: Free

Ages: 2-8 years

Contact: tina.soric@secpta.net

Sign-up Deadline: None

4/28/2019 (Sunday) Preston's HOPE Playground

Come join us for an afternoon of fun and outdoor play! The fully wheelchair accessible playground has several different zones including a miniature town & train.



Time: 12:00-2:00pm

Location: 26001 S Woodland Rd, Beachwood, OH 44122

Cost: Free

Ages: All Ages

Contact: kate.gagne@secpta.net

Sign-up Deadline: 4/14/19

Do you know a SECPTA member who could use a friend? Did they just have a baby? Is a medical issue taking away their time and attention?

HELPING



HANDS

If so, please let us help them! The Helping Hands Committee looks forward to preparing a home-cooked meal for a fellow SECPTA member who may need the extra hand! Whether it is for a new mother or a family going through a tough time, we are here to help.

Also, if you would like to join the Helping Hands Committee, please contact Tru for more information. We are always looking for new members!

E-mail Tru at helpinghands@secpta.net to begin a meal delivery service or to join the committee.

JOIN SECPTA'S BABYSITTING CO-OP

Need to get to the dentist without the kids? Need a date night with your spouse?
Want some time to run errands alone? Then check us out!

Babysitting Co-Op meeting

March 10th from 7:30-8:30pm at Emily Gallagher's home

Email emily.gallagher@secpta.net for address and to RSVP!

This meeting is open to new and current co-op members!



Thank you to all our 2019 fundraiser sponsors!



If you'd like to learn more about
sponsorship opportunities
for this year's sponsor,
please e-mail Michelle at
waysandmeans@secpta.net.



2018-2019 Playgroup Request Form

Thanks for your interest in SECPTA Playgroups! Playgroups are organized based on child's age and availability, and meet at member's homes or at a location of choice. Please provide the following information and submit the form to Kristen Eschmann at playgroups@secpta.net (you can scan and e-mail the document, take a cell phone picture and e-mail it, or copy/paste the information into an e-mail). Feel free to contact Kristen for any questions, comments, or ideas you may have.

Parent Name(s): _____

Cell phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Child(ren) who will be participating in the playgroup:

Name: _____ Age: _____ Male / Female

Name: _____ Age: _____ Male / Female

Name: _____ Age: _____ Male / Female

Please mark an X through days and times when you **cannot** meet with a Playgroup. If you have a preference for a day/time to meet with a Playgroup, please indicate your first, second, and third preference for playgroup times by writing a 1, 2, & 3 in the appropriate boxes.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Morning							
Afternoon							
Evening							

Would you be willing to be the group's leader (responsible for communicating with the SECPTA Playgroups Chair and providing immediate support to the group, as needed)? Yes / No

How do you prefer to communicate with other Playgroup members (circle all that apply)?

Text / Email / Private Facebook group

How frequently would you like to meet with a Playgroup? _____ time(s) per month

Currently involved in the Babysitting Co-Op? (Yes/ No) Are you interested in a Babysitting Co-Op Playgroup? (Yes/No)

Please provide any additional information that might be relevant to your Playgroups experience:

Parent Name(s): _____

Email Address: _____

Child Name(s) and Age(s): _____

SIGN UP SHEET
APRIL FIELD TRIPS

Tues 4/2 Young Chefs _____ kids @\$5 \$ _____

Sat 4/6 Snapology _____ kids @\$5 \$ _____

Sun 4/7 Roller Skating _____ kids @\$5
_____ adult rental @\$2 \$ _____

Wed 4/10 Rising River Farm _____ kids @\$5 \$ _____

Sat 4/13 Primrose Egg Hunt _____ kids @Free \$ FREE

Sun 4/14 Junie B. Jones _____ tickets @\$7 \$ _____

Sat 4/20 Candy Scramble _____ kids @Free \$ FREE

Sun 4/28 Preston's HOPE _____ kids @Free \$ FREE

Various IX Center _____ tickets @\$13 \$ _____

TOTAL FIELD TRIPS \$ _____

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Member Name: _____

PAYMENT FORM

Moms Outing:

-Crafting Day In: \$ FREE

Dads Outing:

-Forest City Shuffleboard: _____ @ \$5 \$ _____

Couples Outing:

-80's Night SECPTA Fundraiser: ONLINE REG.

Foodie Club:

-Cooking with Chef Cat: _____ @ \$30 \$ _____

Field Trips: \$ _____

TOTAL DUE: \$ _____

paid by CASH/Check # _____

paid by ONLINE (circle one)