

Volunteer and Fundraising Commitment

Parents are responsible for participating in 10 hours of volunteer work during the school year. There is a \$25 charge per uncompleted volunteer hour.

Parents are responsible for a fundraising commitment of \$400 per family annually. The obligation can be met by obtaining sponsorships for major fundraisers, selling Spring Benefit tickets, or combining these options. The amount of unmet fundraising commitment will be billed to the family on the first statement following the Spring Benefit.

Ways to Meet Volunteer/Fundraising Commitment:

No free time, No problem! We understand it's Okay!!

- \$25 to class mom for parties throughout the year
- Alternative opportunity to bring enough silverware, Capri Sun, juice boxes, etc., for the year.
- It can be given to the class mom at the beginning of the year OR as the parties happen, but it must be given to the class mom three days before the party to allow for time to order and pick up items.

After Regular School Hours:

- Spirit Nights (Panera, Sweet Frog, HWY 55, Zaxby's)
- Christmas Sing-along
 - Two people at the event get there one hour before to set up cookies, plates, napkins, and drink options and make sure items remain stocked during the event (refill napkins, plates, etc.)
 - Two volunteers will run the raffle table with school iPad usage for cards during the event and collect cash for raffle tickets.
- Spring Benefit
 - 2-3 people to go early to set up tables with any decorations that we may have
 - Before the event and at the school, set up the board with the number of tickets sold
 - At the event, two people at the door checking people in, one person at the raffle table to answer questions and assist, one person selling the raffle tickets, four people to help with numbers as they are called, two people to help with cleaning up afterward
- Maintenance
 - Classroom items that need to be fixed or updated (i.e., a broken vacuum, a wheel that fell off a bookshelf, tightening the strings on the art stand)
 - Outdoor items that need assistance (e.g., the fence around the dumpsters, power washing the building, maintaining the picnic tables, sanding the gaga pit, adding sand to the sandbox area)
 - Miscellaneous items needed to help the school run (e.g., changing light bulbs, putting up the mailbox, placing the street numbers on the building, installing a flag pole, etc.)

Ideas for during school hours:

- Arts and Crafts
- Art to Remember (help Erika Warren)
- Class Projects (these are throughout the year)
- Items to raffle for Spring Benefit Auction (each class used to make a project that we would then raffle at the spring auction)
- Cardz for Kidz
- Special Events
 - Book Fair (running the register on Grandparents Day, helping the kids pick out appropriate books, restocking the books as they sell)
- Field Day (set up, clean up, assist with the games)
- Food Drive (take donations to the Food Pantry or help to fill the Blessing Boxes; coordinate with the donation location with their most needed items; set up a box in the main drop-off area of the school, etc.)
- Classroom Helpers
 - In-class sub (when teachers have a doctor's; help lead teachers when assistant teachers have a planned vacation)
- Gardening helpers (planting, weeding, watering, working with students, etc.)
- Christmas Sing-along
 - Two people to pick up cookies from the school on the morning of the event and take them to the event location.
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