

HSA NEWS

July 2018



I hope everyone is having a nice, relaxing (albeit hot) summer! The new school year will be upon us soon and with that comes lots of volunteer opportunities for all families. Everyone is already a member of the HSA and we work hard to help make the school year both enjoyable and exciting for students, teachers and parents. This year the HSA will be doing things a bit differently than we have in the past. After several communications with Dr. Southworth last year, we have implemented some changes to get more involvement from everyone for the upcoming school year. Attached you will find a copy of the HSA re-launch. Each grade will have one event and one fundraiser (with the exception of eighth grade due to their class fundraising efforts throughout the year) to execute during the school year. The HSA will guide you through the process and will have all the contacts and other pertinent information needed to successfully execute each event and fundraiser. We will be using the homeroom parent of each grade as a point of contact but anyone can choose to chair a particular event. (By chairing an event and seeing it through from start to finish, you will successfully meet your required volunteer hours for the year.) If you are unable to help with the events and fundraisers for your particular grade, you are more than welcome to help out with another class' event or fundraiser. We are looking to get as much family involvement as we can! If you have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out to me. I am looking forward to a fun filled year!

Starla Hampton

President, HSA

UPCOMING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

7/12 Fall Festival Committee Meeting 6:30 at SMS- The Fall Festival is a fun filled day where families come to the Church grounds to play, socialize, eat and... have fun!! It is time to start planning for this year's Fall Festival! We are looking for someone to chair this year's Fall Festival committee as well as volunteers to help plan and make this a fun day for all!

Please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Heather Levasseur at heather.levasseur@yahoo.com to sign up.

HSA MEETING

Our next HSA Meeting is August 16th at 6:30PM in Goulet Hall. Everyone is welcome. Join us to discuss ideas for upcoming events and fundraising ideas or to ask any questions you may have! We would love to see you there!

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Home & School Association Re-Launch

The HSA is being re-organized for the 2018-2019 school year. Each class will now be responsible for planning, organizing and providing volunteers for an event and a fundraiser, with help from the HSA Board. Each family is still responsible to complete their assigned volunteer hours and if there is a schedule conflict with your "class" activity, you are more than welcome to volunteer during an event more convenient to your family.

	<i>Event</i>	<i>Fundraiser</i>
<i>Kindergarten</i>	<i>Ice Cream Social (May)</i>	<i>Candy Sale (Easter/Valentine's Day)</i>
<i>1st grade</i>	<i>Back to School Playground Meet & Greet</i>	<i>Yankee Candle (Fall)</i>
<i>2nd grade</i>	<i>Family Christmas Night (looping w/3rd grade)</i>	<i>Fundraiser of your choice</i>
<i>3rd grade</i>	<i>Trunk-or-Treat (looping w/2nd grade)</i>	<i>Easter Flower Sale</i>
<i>4th grade</i>	<i>Pasta Supper (looping w/5th grade)</i>	<i>Butter Braid (Spring)</i>
<i>5th grade</i>	<i>Little Shoppers (looping w/4th grade)</i>	<i>Mother's Day Flower Sale</i>
<i>6th grade</i>	<i>Social Event of your choice (ex. Yard Goats game, Hockey Game, Beer Tasting, etc.) (Looping w/7th grade)</i>	<i>Poinsettia Flower Sale (Late Fall)</i>
<i>7th grade</i>	<i>Family Day (September) (looping w/6th grade)</i>	<i>Taste Book Fundraiser (Fall)</i>
<i>8th grade</i>	<i>Grandparents Day</i>	

We will be relying on the Homeroom Parent in each grade for the 2018-2019 school year as a point of contact between the HSA and the classroom families. Our main objective is to get more involvement from our school families.