

SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

There are many opportunities to share your gifts and talents in the St. James School system. This includes the Grade School, Early Childhood Center and Infant and Toddler Center. To inquire further about how you can assist you can contact the following:

St. James Grade School: Michele Bell 476-3513

Early Childhood Center: Michelle Muckensturm 476-9490

Infant and Toddler Center: Kristi Nowles 476-7567

Anyone volunteering in any capacity involving the children is required to undergo a Criminal History Record Check and attend the Diocesan Child Protection Program.

ANNUAL FUND

The Annual Fund Drive generates capital needed for the school's special needs. The coordinator of the drive assigns team leaders, tracks donations and sends thank you notes. Volunteers assist the coordinator. Contact Michele Bell 476-3510.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The members of the association include parents who provide support for the student athletes and coaches at St. James School. The association raises funds throughout. Meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. Contact Don Dintelman 476-9363.

CAFETERIA HELPERS

Volunteers are needed to supervise and assist students during the lunch hour and wash tables after lunch. Lunch hour is from 11:15-12:20. Any time is appreciated. Contact Michele Bell 476-3510.

CHALKBOARD NEWSLETTER

The school newsletter is published two times per year to keep parishioners, alumni and friends informed about school events. Volunteers are needed to write articles and prepare publications for mailing. Time commitment of 3-5 hours each mailing is requested. Contact Maribeth Keeven 476-1176.

PARENT STUDENT ASSOCIATION

PSA is a service organization dedicated to supporting the school and teachers through special events and fundraisers. Projects include the Book Fair, the SCRIP program, etc. Volunteers are needed to help with all PSA sponsored activities. PSA meets at 7:00 p.m. on the 4th Monday of the month during the school year. A time commitment of 2-3 hours per month is requested. Contact Michele Bell 476-3510.

PLAYGROUND HELPERS

Volunteers are needed to supervise recess from 11:30-12:50. Any time is appreciated. Contact Michele Bell 476-3510.

RECYCLING

Volunteers are needed to assist in recycling projects such as Campbell Soup labels, Box Tops for Education and soda can tabs. Proceeds from recycling projects benefit the school. Contact Michele Bell 476-3510.

SCHOOL BOARD

The school board functions in an advisory capacity for the school administration. The board is responsible for developing and implementing the budget (with approval from the Finance Committee). Members are elected and serve a three-year term. Nominees need not have children enrolled in school to be nominated. The board meets on the 2nd Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

SCRIP

Volunteers are needed to sell SCRIP after weekend Masses. The SCRIP purchaser gets the full value of the gift card and the school receives a percentage of the total. Revenue from this program supports St. James School. Contact Shelly Adams 476-3974.

TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

The Technology Committee supports technological needs of the parish, school and Early Childhood Center. Members meet monthly and host various fundraisers throughout the year. Time commitment varies. Contact Patti Kenetski 476-7511.