

## Committee Descriptions

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade Year End Events:** Help plan yearend activities for 6<sup>th</sup> Grade class.

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade Legacy Project:** This is a permanent art project produced by the 6th grade class and left behind at Fernwood as their legacy to the school.

**Art Docent:** Facilitate art projects in the classroom utilizing suggested lesson plans and materials.

**Assemblies:** Work with teachers and staff to select music, plays, authors and hands-on assemblies for student enrichment.

**Bingo/Raffle Night:** This is one of Fernwood's most popular events - and its fun to put on as well. Assist with set-up, tear down, organizing prizes/donations, selling Bingo cards and concessions.

**Book Fair:** Help set up and take down this annual event that raises money for our library. Schedule volunteers to work the cash register and assist with Family Night. This event usually occurs the week after Thanksgiving.

**Box Tops/Labels for Education:** Collect Box Tops/Labels for Education throughout the year and send them in for money for our school. Have fun organizing class competitions and rewards. This position is easy to do from home.

**Bulletin Board/Binders:** Maintain our office bulletin board with current PTSA information and decorations. Ensure committee binders are up to date and are returned at the end of the year.

**Directory:** Prepare student directory.

**Fundraising:** Help committee chairs circulate flyers, process orders, and sort/distribute product.

**Golden Acorn Committee:** Solicit nominations and present Golden Acorn awards to outstanding volunteers. Includes last year's winners plus three other volunteers.

**Ice Cream Social:** Help with setting up and handing out ice cream treats at this fun back-to-school event.

**Jr. Achievement Program:** Teach business and real-life skills in your child's classroom, using provided materials and scripts.

**Library Volunteer:** Help out in the library during the school day. This includes checking books in and out and re-shelving books.

**Popcorn:** Help out with Popcorn Days; usually once a month.

**Recycling (Ink Cartridges/Cell Phones):** Collect and turn in recycled cell phones and ink cartridges to raise money for our school. This position is easy to do from home.

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**Reflections:** Facilitate student entries for this fun national PTA fine-arts contest. Distribute entry forms, collect submissions, coordinate judging and present awards.

**Safety:** Work with Fernwood staff to help keep our kids safe! Maintain emergency supplies, and coordinate drills and disaster preparedness efforts.

**School Beautification:** Help keep our campus looking beautiful! Coordinate with school and PTSA to find a day to clean up the campus. Organize volunteers to help, focusing on Community to donate time and materials.

**School Spirit Sales:** Help spread Fernwood pride! Select and order Fernwood apparel, pencils, and other novelty items to sell throughout the year.

**Science Fair:** Promote the science fair by creating posters and certificates, mentoring students, and helping with pre-planned activities the evening of the science fair. No scientific knowledge or background required. Curiosity and a sense of adventure preferred.

**Social Services:** Help collect and distribute items for a canned-food drive, coin drive, clothing drive or other worthy community events.

**Spaghetti Dinner:** Coordinate a fun evening of people and pasta with pizzazz!

**Staff Appreciation/Sunshine:** Have fun showing Fernwood teachers and staff how much we appreciate them by organizing fun treats and activities throughout the year! Keep up-to-date on changes with our staff and families at our school. Send cards and notices to acknowledge significant accomplishments or concerns.

**Variety Show:** Show off our talented students! Follow the steps in the Variety Show notebook to produce this fun, once-a-year event.

**Watch D.O.G.S.:** Dads Of Great Students. Calling all dads, uncles, and grandfathers! Here's your opportunity to be a positive influence to Fernwood students by monitoring recess, lunch, or reading with students to name a few activities.

**Welcome Wagon:** Recognize families coming to and leaving Fernwood. Coordinate volunteer bus riders to help our incoming kindergarteners.

**Yearbook:** Collect pictures and information throughout the year, and compile them in the student yearbook. Help facilitate school picture days.

**Year End Event:** Coordinate a fun event to celebrate the end of the year.

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**Field Day:** Help out with one of the many fun activity stations. May be required to get wet! (June)

**Picture Day:** Assist photographers and prepare students for their pictures. (September)

**Health Screening Day:** Assist school nurse with Vision and Hearing screening. (October)

**First Day Packets:** Help assemble packets that are sent home on the first day of school. (August)