

# Oakhurst PTA Volunteer Opportunities

Want to help, but you don't know how? We have many volunteer opportunities to fit your schedule whether you're a stay at home parent, grandparent, or a 40 hour a week working parent. We hope that we can count on you to help keep our programs and events going. Below is a list of volunteer opportunities, along with a brief description, where we can use your gift of time. Just check off the areas in which you may be interested in helping and complete the bottom of this form. A committee member will contact you with more information. Have your student place this paper in the PTA envelope in their room. Thank you in advance for your dedication to children.

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>SPIKE</b> – Our wonderful and successful literacy program that promotes reading every day. We need people who can come in once a month during the day, usually the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday, and help count calendars and distribute prizes <b>Program Chair – Rena Tuttle</b> <b>Your time: A little over an hour a month</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Fundraising Help</b> – We need help at various times throughout the year when our fundraisers are due, to count the orders and help distribute products and prizes. Fall Fundraiser Sept 8 <sup>th</sup> – 22 <sup>nd</sup> . Cookie Dough Fundraiser – TBA. <b>Program Chair – Krista Pincince</b> <b>Your time: 1-2 hours per fundraiser</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Winter Festival</b> – Our <b>BIGGEST</b> family event of the year!! This fun event will be in early December and we need <b>A LOT</b> of help running various games, events and food stands. Lots of day and evening time slots available! Everything from decorating to clean up. <b>Program Chairs – Krista Pincince and Nicole Heath</b> <b>Your time: 1-4 hours</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Hospitality</b> – This is a great opportunity to say “Thank You” to the wonderful staff that works at Oakhurst. PTA hosts luncheons throughout the year to show our appreciation. You don't even have to cook; we love donations of soda, paper goods or decorations. Of course, cooks are always needed. <b>Program Chairs – Tabitha Connell and Erika Thornsberry</b> <b>Your time: dropping off a donation the month of the luncheon</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Grandparent Lunch Week</b> – (October 17 – 21 <sup>st</sup> ) This is a wonderful week where the children get to invite their grandparent, or special person, to eat lunch with them. We need help during a specified lunchtime to seat, fill up drinks and clean up. <b>Program Chair Needed</b> <b>Your time: about 1 hour</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Box Tops and Campbell Soup Labels</b> – We need help counting and bundling box tops and labels to earn money for our school. This can be done at home at your convenience. <b>Program Chair Needed</b> <b>Your time: about 1 hour a week, you pick the time.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Field Day</b> – This spring activity is held in conjunction with our P.E. department. Kids play fun games during the first part of the day. It is a 3-day event with two grades per day. <b>Your time: a little over 2 hours</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Mustang Publishing</b> – This award winning program allows our young budding writers to write and publish a book all on their own. We typically have over 250 writers submit a book and we need help to type and scan those books. Training will be provided. <b>Program Chair – Kristy Sherwood</b> <b>Your time: About a ½ hour per book</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebrations</b> – Calling all 5 <sup>th</sup> grade parents! Send off our graduates with a great remembrance of their grade school days. There are 2 events, the big all day celebration and the 5 <sup>th</sup> grade breakfast. Both of these events will be held in June. <b>Program Chairs - Charlene Ptacek, Robin Reed &amp; Janis Mauro.</b> <b>Your time: A morning or afternoon shift</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Talent Show</b> – This fun night showcases some of our budding dancers, musicians and comedians. The show is held on March 16 <sup>th</sup> with preview night March 1 <sup>st</sup> . We need volunteers to work backstage and along with the committee chair. <b>Program Chair – Kelly Hunt</b> <b>Your time: 1-2 hours</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>T-shirt Delivery</b> – We can use help at the beginning of the school year collecting orders and distributing T-shirts. <b>Program Chair – Nicole Heath</b> <b>Your time: 1 hour a day, you pick the day</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Mother/Son Night – Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup></b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Daddy/Daughter Dance – Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup></b> Help needed with setting up, decorating, running the various activities and clean up <b>Program Chairs Needed For Both of these Events</b>

Yes, it is okay for PTA to contact me about additional volunteer opportunities.

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Teacher/Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions about PTA volunteer opportunities, please contact our Parent Representative,  
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