

VOLUNTEERS

The Greenwood Elementary Volunteer News You Can Use

Upcoming Events

Read A Thon

Oct 31st - Nov 14th

A fantastic events to foster kids' love of reading and the PTA's main fundraiser. We need parents to make this happen. Being at the school is not required. Contact Bobby at mccpta@greenwood-pta.org

Book Fair

Nov 3rd-4th & Nov 9th-11th

We need volunteers to run the book fair as well as set up and take down. Look for a sign up link this week on Facebook and school communications.

Craft Night / Shop 'til You Drop

Nov 15th & 16th (at night)

A favorite family fun night! Parents are a big part of the smooth running of this event every year. Drop a line to Erin at ecruane@comcast.net, Alison_M_Leary@mcpsmd.org or Audra at audras2001@yahoo.com



Welcome!

Welcome to the Greenwood Volunteer Newsletter. In this space we'll periodically highlight the volunteer opportunities available in our school community. Currently our most immediate needs are for the Read A Thon and Variety Show.

Variety Show

The Variety Show is a grand Greenwood tradition! Help make this event happen. There's many parents willing to help and many hands make light work, but we need an Executive Producer to run the show! This person would coordinate the different parts of the preparation by steering the ship toward showtime. There's many people every year handling all aspects of the show and we need you to tie it together. Contact Bobby at mccpta@greenwood-pta.org if you'd like to help.



Current Openings

The PTA is looking for individuals with a big heart to fill a few positions.

Membership coordinator shadow

Work with the current coordinator and take over next year

Birthday board

Arrange the birthday board in the main hall

Int'l Night Shadow

Work with the current coordinator and take over next year

Schoolkidz

Coordinate the order and distribution of school supplies

Advocacy

Interested in the meat and potatoes of education policy and funding? The County PTA does a lot of advocacy work including testifying in front of the Council and in Annapolis as well as communicating concerns to the school board. Contact Bobby at mccpta@greenwood-pta.org if you'd like to be more involved.

Reading Room Volunteers

Greenwood Reading Specialist Mrs. Myers is looking for volunteers during the day to help in the reading room with organizing and filing books. There's also a new reading program that has lots of boxes of books that need to be opened and organized. If you have time to donate during school hours and would like to help out please contact Mrs. Myers at Jennifer_M_Myers@mcpsmd.org

5th Grade Parents

Thanks to Michelle Lacey and Helma Irving for taking on the 5th grade recognition ceremony committee! Every year it takes lots of parents to pull this off. They're currently looking for parents to take on some of the organizing duties. Have a 4th grader and are interested for next year? No problem! We'll gladly give you something to do. Contact Helma at helma.irving@comcast.net or Michelle at nativenyer@comcast.net.

Yearbook

The Yearbook braintrust is always looking for a helping hand. Any pictures you take or any small job you do is greatly appreciated. Contact Maryellen at maryellen.zack@gmail.com or Cheryl at cfkrahe@yahoo.com

Read to Me Talk to Me

An excellent program for our Kindergartners to help them along with their reading. Spend 20 minutes every 2 weeks helping them pick out books to read at home for extra enrichment. Contact your Kindergarten teacher if you'd like to help.

Halloween Parties

Be sure to look out for correspondence from your room parent regarding the upcoming Halloween parade and party on October 31st. Any help that can be given is always appreciated by the people who put in the time and effort to make this event a good one for our students. If you'd like to volunteer for the alternate party in the Media Center, please contact the school office.

Class Volunteers

Many teachers appreciate a hand doing various tasks in their class during instruction time. Contact your child's teacher to find out about opportunities.