

Family Service and Volunteers

Parents make many sacrifices of time, talent and treasure to provide the gift of Catholic education to their children. A commitment of 10 hours of volunteer service is requested annually. It is each family's willingness to work on school projects that contribute to the success of our schools and promotes a greater sense of community among our parents. If you prefer not to volunteer your time, we request that you submit a fee of \$25.00.

Throughout the school year, you will receive communications from our school offices about volunteer projects, events and opportunities. Every project and event held benefits your students. Every parent who volunteers strengthens our school family.

We appreciate how busy parents are, and welcome additional family members who may want to volunteer on your behalf. Please note that **all** volunteers who will be working with our around our students must complete Virtus, Protecting our Children Training, prior to volunteering. Your school office can direct you on how to locate, register and attend the training.

Here are some of our major events and volunteer needs:

BCACS Administration Office

Assist with BCACS projects and mailings

- **BCACS Annual Fund Drive** Committee work, prepare mailings
- **Alumni Club** Promote alumni relations with the school through activities such as class reunions, Homecoming weekend and other social events and publish a semi-annual alumni newsletter
- **Superfest (Fall)** Weekend Festival with a wide variety of jobs ranging from setup, manning booths and cleanup
- **Cereal City BBQ Festival** Held in late Spring with a wide variety of help needed from setup, manning booths and clean up

Building/Grounds Maintenance

Assist our maintenance department with school and grounds upkeep

- **Grounds, lawn work** Assist with upkeep of landscaping and grounds at St. Joseph and St. Philip schools
- **Painters** Projects inside and outside of schools

BCACS Athletics

Assist with events and sporting events

- **Admission Gate Attendants** Sell tickets at the gate for home athletic events
- **Big Red Golf Outing** Held annually. Planning event and dinner, recruiting tee and green sponsors, selling tickets
- **Coaching** Coach or assist with a variety of sports
- **Concessions** Prepare and sell concessions at athletic events
- **Sheila Guerra Golf Outing** Semi-annual event. Planning event, selling tickets
- **Drawdown (Casino Night Fundraiser)** Annual event. Planning, setup and cleanup of event, sell advance tickets and work event
- **Paul Bauman Invitational Baseball Tournament** Volunteers needed day of event
- **Carrie Adams Volleyball Tournament** Volunteers needed for gate and concessions

Parent Organizations

- **BCACS Moms and Dads Clubs** Help with annual events, teacher appreciation, fundraising and special projects which benefit our schools
- **BCACS Band Boosters** Support is provided for our Band Programs through fundraising and providing volunteer assistance

School Support

Assist office and teaching staff with projects and activities

- **Computer Classroom Aide** Assist elementary students in computer lab
- **Library Volunteer** Shelve books and assist students in library
- **Lunchroom Assistant** Help serve meals and wash tables with elementary and middle school students
- **Girls on the Run** Assist and monitor elementary girls in activities and exercise, promoting health and fitness.
- **Junior Achievement** Assist with organizing or instructing Junior Achievement lessons to students in K-12th grade
- **Playground Supervisor**

After School Enrichment Club The After School Enrichment Program offerings fluctuate as student's interest's change and grow. Most sessions run for 4-6 weeks one or two times per week. Here are some of the programs that have been offered:

- Sign Language
- Chess
- Cookie Decorating
- Yoga
- Volleyball
- Piano
- Spanish Club
- Bricks for kids (legos)
- Cheerleading
- Literature
- Basketball
- Art Club

If you have a talent or skill that you'd like to share, please contact your child's school administrator to learn more.