



## OWL PTO Volunteer Opportunities:

OWL PTO wants your time and talents! Volunteer on your own, with a friend, or offer to do part of a job and we'll pair you with another volunteer. If you'd like more information about any of these volunteer opportunities please ask!

Contact Theresa del Rosario [delrosario.theresa@gmail.com](mailto:delrosario.theresa@gmail.com) or Traci Hildebrandt-Smith [wheezus@mindspring.com](mailto:wheezus@mindspring.com) with any questions and to volunteer.

### ▪ Fall Family Gathering--Decorations Coordinator

Help spiff up our tables at the Fall Family Gathering (Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>). The OWL Fall Family Gathering is a relaxed event that includes dinner for purchase, a cakewalk, the Outward Bound Student Service Auction and Craft Sale, and lots of time to hang out and enjoy the company of fellow OWL families. We need volunteers to inventory our table coverings and buy and/or make simple centerpieces with the budget provided. This can be as simple as buying small pumpkins or flowers for each table, and/or you can repurpose lots of items already owned by the PTO. ***\*Volunteers must be available to decorate the tables at the Harriet Island pavilion on October 8<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM. Student helpers will be ready to assist you.***

Committee Chair: Mary Beth Leone-Getten, [leone-getten@visi.com](mailto:leone-getten@visi.com)

### ▪ Give to the Max/Direct Appeal Campaign

Help us build on the incredible success of last year's campaign and meet this year's increased fundraising goal. Coordinate annual appeal via direct mail and on-line on November 12, 2015, during GiveMN's Give to the Max Day.

Committee Chairs: Mary Beth Leone-Getten, [leone-getten@visi.com](mailto:leone-getten@visi.com) and Theresa del Rosario, [delrosario.theresa@gmail.com](mailto:delrosario.theresa@gmail.com)

### ▪ Box Tops/Labels for Education

Box Tops and Campbell's Labels for Education are easy ways for our school to make hundreds of dollars a year! Publicize the programs to the school community then collect, process, and submit to meet the deadlines of each program. Coordinate enthusiastic student helpers as needed.

Committee Chair: Debra Raysor, [debra.raysor@state.mn.us](mailto:debra.raysor@state.mn.us)

### ▪ Coffee Sales

Another easy fundraiser that earns OWL up to \$4/pound sold on something many folks are buying anyway. Help organize and staff Velasquez coffee sales at school events and through paper orders before the holidays. Process and fulfill orders.

Committee Chair: Theresa del Rosario, [delrosario.theresa@gmail.com](mailto:delrosario.theresa@gmail.com)

- **OWL Spiritwear**

Research vendors, organize design submissions, select styles, price a variety of items from t-shirts and sweatshirts to hats and other OWL logo items. Publicize the sale. Manage orders, payments and fulfillment.

**Committee Chair: Ginger Carroll, [gingersnapcarroll@gmail.com](mailto:gingersnapcarroll@gmail.com)**

- **Teacher Appreciation**

Thank our amazing teachers via our annual potluck for teachers during winter conferences—publicize and organize donations, prep and clean up at event. Participate in planning another teacher appreciation gift/event in the spring.

**Committee Chair: Jennifer Jacoby, [jennijacoby@yahoo.com](mailto:jennijacoby@yahoo.com)**

- **Dining Out for OWL**

Research, schedule, publicize restaurant fundraisers to benefit OWL approximately 3x/year.

**Committee Chair: Beth Kellar-Long, [bkellarlong@gmail.com](mailto:bkellarlong@gmail.com)**

- **OWL Beautification**

Update the outdoor planters seasonally. Organize watering/maintenance of the planters. This task can easily be done after school hours. This project could expand to include indoor plants if funds and volunteer commitment are available.

**Committee Chair: Holly Windingstad, [hollywindingstad@gmail.com](mailto:hollywindingstad@gmail.com)**

- **Theater Refreshments**

Organize the sale of refreshments during our fall and/or spring plays. Schedule volunteers, buy supplies and organize/set up/oversee the refreshment sale at each night of the play's run: December 9-11, 2015 and March 23-25, 2016, 7-10 pm.

**Committee Chair: Leslie Dwight, [ldwight129@gmail.com](mailto:ldwight129@gmail.com)**

- **Grant Programs**

Manage the OWL PTO Program Grant program, including publicity, collection and prep of applications for process at PTO meetings, follow-up with applicants.

**Committee Chair: Leadership Team**

- **Raffle-O-Rama**

Work on our spring fundraiser including work securing permits, managing publicity, organizing raffles and auction items, set-up and tear-down, working with school staff to coordinate the community dinner at the event, etc.

**Committee Chair: Mary Beth Leone-Getten, [leone-getten@visi.com](mailto:leone-getten@visi.com)**

- **OWL PTO facebook group**

Update the OWL community in a timely manner with all the latest news and happenings of the school community.

**Committee Chair: Leadership team with contributions from all**