

St. Mark School Home and School Association (HASA)

The Home and School Association of St. Mark School functions to:

- Help parents, school administration, and faculty develop a mutual understanding and appreciation of the mission of Catholic Education as lived in this Catholic School within the Archdiocese of Baltimore.
- Provide programs and processes that engage the School families in spiritual, educational, outreach, social, legislative, public relations, service, and fundraising activities that further the mission of the School.
- Develop supportive systems for communication and service to the local Catholic School

How to stay informed:

1. Visit the HASA website at <http://hasa.stmark-school.org/>
2. Join our HASA e-mail notification list by sending a blank email to stmarkhasa-subscribe@yahoogroups.com
3. Attend our HASA meetings, which are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month (6:30-7:30pm) in the Coakley Room of the Parish Center.
4. Friend St. Mark Hasa on Facebook.
5. Direct HASA questions to hasa@stmark-school.org or Events4HASA@gmail.com.

How to get involved:

Volunteers make our school successful. To participate as a parent volunteer, you MUST be *STAND* trained. The *STAND* application takes about 1.5- 2 hours to complete online: <http://childsafeducation.org/baltimore-archdiocese.html>

User name: stmarkcatonsville password: archabl

PLEASE COMPLETE:

Name:	Preferred Phone Number:	
Email:	Youngest Child's Name:	Homeroom:

The following is a list of committees and activities that rely on your help to make our efforts successful. Please review the list and check off the committees you would like to join or those about which you would like more information. **Please return the completed form to Kate Allen c/o Noah Allen, 2B by 9/22/11.**

✓	2011-12 HASA Committees & Activities
	4th of July Parade: Brainstorm theme, help build float and arrange student participation for Catonsville's Parade.
	Barnes and Noble Night: Help is needed to solicit teacher participation and to set schedules.
	Basket/Bag Bingo: Help need for set-up/tear-down, during event runners, and managing raffle/food tables
	Business Partnerships: Explore possible opportunities available through school/parish families
	Career Day: Parents are encouraged to come & speak to the students about their professions.
	Christmas Bazaar: Coordinate vendors and arrange for set up/tear down and food/beverage needs.
	Christmas Kits Fundraiser: Catalog fundraiser. Volunteers needed to help set up and distribute purchased items.
	Classroom Parent Coordinator: Provide yearlong assistance/guidance for those who volunteer to be classroom parent.
	Cultural Events: volunteer coordinating cultural activities/demonstrations in an assembly atmosphere
	Fall Festival: Volunteers needed for shifts at games, raffles and food/beverage stands.
	Family Fun Night - Bingo: Help with set-up, clean up and various duties throughout the night.
	Family Fun Night - Movies: Help with set-up, clean up and various duties throughout the night.
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	Family Literature Night: Help plan games & activities to foster the love of reading
	Father/Daughter Dance: Advertise, coordinate site/date & other event arrangements.
	Fitness Volunteer: support the PE department's fitness goals with walk/run/jump-a-thons
	HASA Distribution Coordinator: Sort/stuff weekly pouch with HASA/School handouts. (Thursday AM)
	Hospitality: Arranges teacher luncheons and coordinate snacks for Grandparent's Day.
	Hot Dog Day: Volunteers help prepare and serve hot dogs to the students. *Designated day subject to change*
	Ice Cream Day: Volunteers sell ice cream treat at lunch. * Designated day subject to change*
	Legislative Watcher: Report on BOAST tax-credit and other legislative issues effecting Catholic education.
	Lion's Luau: Volunteers needed for various sub-committee's to host HASA's biggest yearly fundraiser.
	Lunch Duty: Parent volunteers needed to supervise students in the Cafetorium for the lunch periods.
	Math and/or Science Family Fun Night: Help with set-up, clean up and various duties throughout the night.
	Middle School Lunch: Volunteers are needed to come in on Fridays to sort and distribute pre-purchased lunches.
	Monster Dash: Assist with duties related to 5-K race and family-fun walk.
	Mother/Son Bowling: Advertise, collect sign up materials, arrange event details
	PAIR – Parent Academic Instructional Resource: Support teachers in the classroom by fulfilling volunteer requests.
	Pancake Breakfast: Assist with set-up the night before, to serve in a variety of capacities the day of the event.
	Parent Education Series: Coordinate speakers, reserve meeting space and publicize meetings.
	Pizza/Dessert Kit Sale: Potential Catalog fundraiser. Volunteers needed to organize, place orders, distribute kits
	Plant Sale: Volunteers to help with set-up early in the morning, manning tables throughout the day as students shop.
	Playground Duty: Parent volunteers are needed to supervise students during recess.
	Restaurant Nights: Sponsored nights a couple of times a year providing percentage of sales to St. Mark.
	Poinsettia Sale: Collect orders, arrange for delivery and distribution of plants for pick-up.
	Santa's Workshop: Assist students with Christmas shopping as well as set-up/clean-up and manage food/beverage sales.
	Scholastic Book Fair: Help set-up; help children select/pay for books. Times vary during and after school hours.
	Supply Coordination: Procurement and delivery of classroom and seasonal items various times throughout the year supplied by Home and School Association.
	Telephone Directory: Edit/Update previous directory and prepare camera-ready file for publication.
	Uniform Exchange: Coordinate dates, site and collection of gently used uniforms for quarterly sale.
	Weekly Pizza: Parent volunteers needed on Thursdays to distribute pizza for student lunches.

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