

Committees

Committee Chair(s)

Seasonal/Time Sensitive Committees

Armchair Fundraiser

Danielle Burgos/ Susan Finerelli

(Direct fundraiser for school needs. Send out information to promote fundraiser and help tally money).

BINGO

Bel Hanson

(Assist in planning and soliciting support and prizes for this BIG family fun event in February or March). Money from this event usually goes in full or part to Teacher Appreciation Week events.

Book Fair

Karen Smith

(Help support our Scholastic Fall Book Fair Oct 7-11 and Spring Book Fair March 16-20, 2020. Many volunteers are needed to support these book fairs. Over 50% of all purchases go directly back to our White Oaks Library).

Box Tops

Kumutha Lane

(Collects and counts box tops for money back to our school. Over \$1300 was raised 2018-2019). Thank you Kumutha!

Fall Festival

Christina Eagle/VACANT co chair

(First time to have this back on our school property in years! Sure to be a full fun day and grand reopening for our school. Meetings will be beginning of school year til the event in October. Some planning will happen over the summer).

Gobble Grams

VACANT

(Week before Thanksgiving, send out a flyer, sell and deliver Thank you notes to staff and friends with treats attached).

Parent/ Child VIP Breakfast (formally Muffins with Mom)

VACANT

(Spring Event TBD. Create this morning with a special date with Mom or mom figure, kids and muffins).

Multicultural Night

Sandra Guaqueta/Bo Flinner

(April 17 is the event, committee meets starting in January with White Oaks Staff for this school wide event).

Original ArtWorks Sales

VACANT

(Coordinate original pieces of Art created by each student with help by our Art teachers. Work with Original Arts Company to sell items like t shirts, magnets, cups made from our children's art).

Reflections Art (Sept/Oct) Michele Linett/VACANT co chair
(submission of personal art-painting, writing, video,etc- for a national PTA contest.
There is a different focus/topic each year).

Spirit wear Sales VACANT
(help sell spirit wear at events and distribute to the classrooms or at school as needed).

Spring Picnic Christina Eagle/VACANT co chair
(Join creating a fun White Oaks Spring Picnic – usually our last school-wide event of the year)!

Veteran's Day Breakfast VACANT
(This Chairperson and committee members help coordinate the beloved Veteran's Day breakfast with White Oaks Staff for November. Committee meets a few times before the event in November).

Year long Committees

Advocacy Shaw Skurnick
(There are many topics within school advocacy, so come join in what matters to you. This year was a first for this committee and Shaw coordinated to have our Fairfax County School Board representatives come to a PTA meeting).

Clubs/Activities Jamie Markogiannakis

Copy Room assistance for PTA flyers and School needs
(send us your email if you are able or willing to assist with making copies for PTA school wide or classroom needs on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursdays during the day)

Emotional Wellness Committee Sheelagh Cabalda/Kelly Grant-Hakim
(Our Emotional Wellness committee was a brand new committee in 2018-2019 and they have provided monthly wellness events and will continue to do so in 2019-2020! Come join this dynamic group with lots of wellness plans. Here are some of the events they ran this year– Family Wellness nights, Parent talks with Rachel Bailey, Red Cross Training for Military families, Mental Health First Aid Training by Fairfax County, School Beautification, and more).

Membership Danielle Burgos

Military Support Committee Lyra Luna
(Brand new committee to support current and incoming military families in our area).

Movie Nights VACANT
(We had free movie nights last year almost every other month. We would love to do this again but need support to plan the movie choice and manage the crowd if we want to see this continue for our White Oaks Families)!

SEPTA Sandra Guaqueta/Michele Converse
(Have a child with special needs or interested in learning how to support more? Special Education PTA is a committee ready to grow, learn and share more about what our county has to offer and how we can support our school more).

Spirit Nights VACANT
(Coordinate with local businesses for periodic fundraising socials for our PTA and White Oaks families).

Teacher and Staff Appreciation Andrea Marquina /VACANT co chair
(Join this caring and efficient team who plan support and appreciation to our staff throughout the year and especially in May during Teacher Appreciation Week)!

Room Parent Coordinators Andrea Marquina/Jen Kang

School Supply Kits Danielle Burgos

School Volunteer Needs VACANT

WATCH DOGS Joey Eom
(Join White Oaks Dads/Father figures in supporting volunteerism in our school).

Website Danielle Burgos/Susan Finerelli

Welcome/Social Committee VACANT
(Provide a welcome to families coming in. Create socials for families ...or just adults for a parent night out.)

Is there something missing at our school that you have run or wanted to see at our school? BRING IT! Contact Sarah at wopta.president@gmail.com.

