

### 2009 - 2010 Committees and Chairpersons

President		Bernadette Schwartz Denise Mendenhall
Vice President		Karen Partridge
Recording Secretary		Geri Fenton
Corresponding Secretary		Kandie Dougherty
Treasurer		Diana Johnston
After School Programs	Coordinates the after-school extra-curricular activity class sessions held at BWE in the fall and spring of each year	Vicki Maldia Kathy Mole Lisa Greenberg
Apples for Students	Encourages and assists BWE families in registering their grocery shopping card via the Internet. Purchases of registered participants are tabulated and the grocer donates a portion back to BWE. The funds are used to support activities such as assemblies or acquisitions of items for the school.	Wendy Hendricks
Assemblies	Researches, recommends and schedules assemblies for the enrichment and entertainment of our children. Provides a written recommendation of assemblies for the upcoming school year, including cost, content information and grade level appropriateness.	Rebecca Haywood
Birthday Book Program	This program provides an opportunity for students and families to donate books to the BWE library in honor of someone such as a child, student, or family member. Families are notified by letter prior to the date of the child's birthday (or half-birthday for summer birthdays).	Tammy Glorioso
Box Tops for Education	Coordinates the collection and accounting of Box Tops coupons from General Mills products. BWE receives \$0.10 for every Box Top submitted.	Michelle Zotter Lynn Kovalchik
Caring and Family Support	Assists and supports the BWE community through the direction of the guidance counselor when severe, life altering events create an extraordinary need. This committee focuses and directs all charitable giving projects including monthly collections of food, clothing and school related items. Working with Student Leadership, they coordinate school-wide service projects.	Lenore Guarnieri Natalie Donaldson

Child Check	This volunteer-manned program quickly identifies when a student doesn't arrive at the school in the morning. If a child, who is a participant in the program, doesn't arrive at school in the morning and there isn't a message on the Child Check phone line, then the volunteer will call phone numbers provided at the beginning of the school year to verify the absence.	Jennifer Drazga
Directory/Membership	Coordinates the annual membership drive and collects and organizes the information to be included in the annual student directory.	Meghan King
Environmental	During Earth Week and at other times during the year, this committee plans and organizes environmentally focused programs for the classrooms. They also collect ink cartridges and cell phone batteries as well as providing assistance and maintenance of the pond, bird feeders and Patriot Garden.	Hilary Falo Peggy Ambrose
Field Day	Works with the Principal and teachers to organize and provide volunteers for all games and activities for Field Day, an annual opportunity for the children to celebrate the warmer weather through games and other fun activities, held near the end of the school year in June.	Nancy Humes Maura Nicotra
Fall Fundraiser	Coordinates and manages the Fall Fundraising drive. This fundraiser generates the majority of the PFA budget each year.	Sharon Cannella Jeanne Randig
Holiday Shop	Provides the children with an opportunity to shop for reasonably priced holiday items for family and friends in early December. Fifth graders serves as "elves" to assist younger children with shopping. This committee selects products to be offered and coordinates the event.	Kathy Osten Lauren Todd Linda Bortmess
Homeroom Parents	Responsible for recruiting one or more parents to serve as Homeroom Parent for each class. Holds an informational meeting for the parent volunteers and provides guidelines for the holiday parties. The Homeroom Parent(s) then coordinate volunteers and facilitate planning the two classroom parties of the year on December 23 and February 12.	Kim Baierl

Hospitality	Plans, organizes and hosts snack tables at various school events and activities throughout the school year. Responsible for setting up, cleaning up and obtaining supplies.	Tina Dollard Barb Shafran
Log House	Maintains the Log House, a bit of history here on our school grounds, so that it will be in good condition and usable for generations to come. Assists with fund-raising directed specifically toward the Log House.	Kathy Lagnese
Market Day	Facilitates participation in the national Market Day , a monthly fundraising program that provides quality foods at a value, while returning a percentage of the purchase price to our school. Responsible for distributing order forms and information before each monthly sale, collecting money, setting up for order delivery and organizing volunteers to help.	Ann Frank
Newsletter	Publishes the monthly PFA newsletter by coordinating with PFA Committee Chairpersons and the Principal to obtain school and PFA news. Sets deadlines, edits, designs and produces the newsletter.	Anne Mlecko
Publishing Center	Organizes volunteers to help the teachers and staff members publish works created by the students at our on-site publishing center.	Cindy Pecora
Sarris Candy Sale	Coordinates and manages the sale of Sarris candy in the spring.	Sharon Cannella
Spirit Wear	Throughout the school year, this committee promotes school spirit by providing opportunities for students and parents to order NA Tiger themed clothing items.	Patty Marsico Alisha Hipwell
Spring Flower Sale	Coordinates the sale and distribution of flats, pots and hanging baskets of flowers as a service to our school community.	Wendy Hendricks
Shoebox Science	Develops, organizes and restocks as needed shoebox-sized science experiment kits that students can check out and take home to complete. Kits are restocked, as needed, with supplies.	Lana McCaffrey
Staff Appreciation	Promotes goodwill with school staff, including the Principal, teachers, aides, secretaries, custodians and food service helpers through a variety of events such as staff contests, special lunches and staff appreciation activities.	Melanie Wadlow Ricki Harbaugh

Tiger Shop	Throughout the school year, this committee coordinates and staffs the Tiger Shop which gives students an opportunity to independently purchase small items and school supplies during recess. A book exchange program is also provided through this committee.	Lise Blackburn Karen Corral Karen Vance
Traveling Art Gallery	There are many wonderful and diverse examples of art and this committee helps share these different pieces with the students. This committee and its volunteers help to promote an awareness and appreciation for paintings and other works from the "masters". Art work and research materials are provided by the school district.	Sam Ditka Denise Mendenhall
Welcoming	We like to make our new families feel comfortable when they come to BWE. This committee coordinates the distribution of "Welcome Bags" and organizes neighborhood volunteers to help welcome new families to our school.	Tracey Cima
Yearbook	Coordinates the selection of the publishing company, the sale of the books, gathering materials, page layout and design and other related activities.	Karen Connor Sherry Jo Matt
Elementary Advisory Committee (EAC) Representative		Diana Johnston Karen Partridge (alternate)
Superintendent-Parent Liaison Committee (SPLC) Representative		Geri Fenton Denise Mendenhall (alternate)