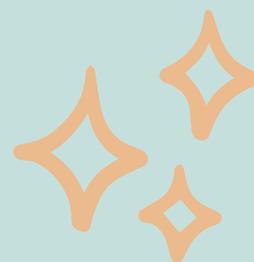


PTVO Newsletter



SEPTEMBER 2022

Next Meeting: Monday, October 3, 6:30pm



WHAT'S THE PTVO?

PTVO stands for Parent Teacher Volunteer Organization. We are like a PTO or PTA but a bit different-- because we're at St. Andrew! Our primary goals are to support the school, promote the school, and strengthen our community. We help by organizing volunteers, putting on events, fundraising, helping with facilities, supporting teachers, and anything else the school needs! We are the "boots on the ground".

**Come to our meetings
(1st Monday each month, 6:30pm)!**



September Half-Day Event - Gym 406
PTVO organizes monthly events on teacher in-service days

PIP OPPORTUNITIES

- ✓ Mrs. Hurley (ahurley@standrewschool.org) is looking for folks to help put the **gaga pits** and **basketball hoops** back up. Please contact her ASAP to learn the details.
- ✓ Ms. Cavalli, Mrs. Broadhurst, Mr. Cavalli, and Mr. Knopp would each like a "**classroom parent**." Please volunteer at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0c44aaae2ba6f94-classroom>
- ✓ **Missoula Children's Theatre, September 26th** | To get involved with MCT, follow the link (your children don't need to be involved for you to help out!) www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B4AAEAB2BA1FB6-missoula
ACCESS code: MCT2022
Contact Lauren Quebedeaux with questions, lauren.oscilowski@gmail.com.
- ✓ Consider coaching **basketball** for grammar students! Contact Laura Wigen, lflovett30@gmail.com.
- ✓ We would like to host a **Turkey Trot 5k**! Please contact Kathy Linton at fireweedhumanperformance@hotmail.com or the PTVO chairs at ptvo@standrewschool.org.
- ✓ **Auction** Chair Jenny Iverson is looking for 2 people to manage the classroom projects. One for K-5 and one for 6-12. The help is greatly appreciated! Contact her for details: helenarentals@gmail.com or (406) 439-8686.



Update:

We will discuss this more during the meeting, but we have a short update on funds and fundraising. Mrs. Grotbo's new position does involve finding funds for the school, but in large amounts (auction, candy sales, donors, grants etc.). We are free to do fundraisers for our PTVO fund or for specific items. We do not have our own bank account, but we do have a line-item in the budget. The bookkeeper is happy to share this with us. We may raise funds for our events or projects. We may raise for designated items or school needs. Please bring any questions to our meeting on **Monday, Oct. 3rd at 6:30pm.**



PTVO Officers

CHAIR | JEN MCCAUGHAN

Hello! I've been with the PTVO since its inception in 2019. I'm excited to see what this group can become. My husband, Dermot, and I have a 4th and a 2nd grader at St. Andrew and a 3-year-old and a 2-year-old at home. We believe that parents and families make this school what it is and we want to help it be all it can be!

VICE CHAIR | KARA OLMSTEAD

I have a son named Aidan, who is a senior at our school. This is our 5th year at the school and we feel very blessed to be a part of this community. I enjoy working with all of the dedicated parents and teachers to make our school an example of our faith for our children.

SECRETARY | LYNÆE LOUIE

I have 3 children at St. Andrew and one at home. Isaac is in 5th, Amy is in 4th, and Eliza is in kindergarten. This is my 2nd year on the PTVO and I'm looking forward to working with everyone to continue to make St. Andrew great Catholic school.

TREASURER | LAURA CASEY

I have children in 9th, 6th, and 4th grade and a 3-year-old at home. I have been actively involved at St. Andrew in various roles since 2005. I strongly believe in the mission of our school and look forward to more opportunities to help support that mission with my family and our community. Go Griffins!

COMPLIANCE OFFICER | TIM CLARK

In the beginning, St. Andrew was introduced to me by friends & fellow parishioners. We have been supporting St. Andrew since the very early years. Fast forward to now and our 2 kids Thomas (10th grade) and Sophie (8th grade) continue to grow in faith and education. They love school and have been here from day one. This is their school. I spend much time in this community so rich in faith, commitment, and support. It's home to us.



Say hi!

We want to meet you! Feel free to reach out on campus, Facebook or at ptvo@standrewschool.org!

See you at a meeting!