

# CARDINAL PRIDE PARENTS

(Grade-Level Committee)

The Saint Anne Parish School Advisory Board and Home and School Association have joined forces and created an all-school program called **CARDINAL PRIDE**. Cardinal Pride is all about building community and school pride among teachers, students and parents across all aspects of the classroom, campus, and SAS Community experience.

With this goal in mind, we are renaming and expanding our Room Coordinator responsibilities. Each grade will have **4-6 Cardinal Pride Parents (CPPs)** who will be members of the overall school **Cardinal Pride Committee (CPC)** within the Home and School Association.

Each grade's Cardinal Pride Committee will be responsible for:

- Planning and organizing a minimum of 2 grade-level social events during the school year (one child focused, one- adult focused). Social event ideas include:
  - o Child-Focused events: Bowling, Roller Skating, Pizza Party, Open Gym Night in School Gym, etc.
  - o Adult Events: Cocktails at a parent's home, table at Parish/School events  
*Note: Costs for events are to be covered by the attendees not the CPPs*
  - o Dates for all Cardinal Pride social events must be reviewed by the Home and School Association Vice President in coordination with the school calendar
- Organizing classroom volunteers for activities such as: parties, classroom helpers, Art, Tech-A-Thon, Field Day, field trips, lunch/recess and Home and School events.
- Planning and staffing classroom parties with volunteers, crafts, snacks, and games.
- One Parent will serve as the liaison between each teacher, other CPP's and the CPC (except for Pre-School and Kindergarten where there are two).
- One Parent is encouraged to attend the Home and School Association Meetings. These meetings are held one Friday a month in the Hospitality Room immediately after drop off.

*As a reminder, all SAS Parent volunteers must be in compliance with the "Protecting God's Children" requirements which include: attending a training session, completing all online VIRTUS updates, an online background check and completion of Code of Conduct and CANTS Form.*

## **CARDINAL PRIDE PARENT APPLICATION**

Please complete and submit to the office by Friday, May 29, 2015

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Contact Info:

Phone:

Email:

Children's Grades for 2015-16

Have you previously served as a Room Coordinator? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, which year/child \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want to be a part of the CARDINAL PRIDE PARENT committee for your son or daughter's grade:

What ideas do you have to grow Cardinal Pride in your child's grade?

What are your volunteer time of day preferences (circle all that apply)?

- During School Day
- Evenings
- Weekends
- Independent tasks