Partner with us to make your child’s learning experience the best it can possibly be!

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Best way to reach you: (circle all that apply) Text / Email / Phone call

Child’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Special talent or areas of interest that could be useful to our organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Opportunities with GWPO:** (Check any you would like more information on)

**Curriculum/Enrichment Events Auction**

\_\_\_ Art Literacy \_\_\_ Fall Harvest \_\_\_ Procurement (Donations & Sponsorships)

\_\_\_ Jr. Great Books \_\_\_ Bingo Night \_\_\_ Data Management

\_\_\_ Walks a Lot Program \_\_\_ Family Fun Night \_\_\_ Class Projects

\_\_\_ Classroom Liaison \_\_\_ Staff Treat Day \_\_\_ Catalog/Proof Reading

\_\_\_ Fundraisers \_\_\_ Check in/Cashier

\_\_\_ Bake sale \_\_\_ Bid Room

**On Call and School Volunteer:** (check all that apply)

If you are not sure how or where you can help, but would like to be involved in the future, we can add your name to our “on-call” and the school’s volunteer list. If volunteers are needed for an activity or event, we will contact you and check for availability.

\_\_\_\_ Available during school hours \_\_\_\_ Available after school hours \_\_\_\_ Available any time

\_\_\_\_ Check with each activity/event- schedule varies to make commitments

\_\_\_\_ Call me anytime to work at home on a project

Comments or suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Art Literacy Program:** (6 days a year- 3 training sessions and 3 presentations)

No art experience necessary. This ongoing program created and staffed exclusively by parent volunteers. The purpose of the Art Literacy program is to introduce a variety of art masters and their techniques to our children. Each classroom requires two volunteers, one to act as a lead and one to assist in delivering an art session in the classroom three times a year. Training is held prior to the session to prepare the volunteers. Historically this has been one of our most successful and popular programs. Artists which have been taught in the past include Monet, Van Gogh, Seraut, Remington, Da Vinci, O’Keefe, Norman Rockewll, Henri Matisse and John James Audubon.

**Bingo Night:**  (1-2 nights a year)

A night of Bingo fun for the whole family! Volunteers are needed to work with a lead on set-up, clean-up and during the event.

**Classroom Liaison:** (1 night per month)

Classroom liaisons will represent his/her child(ren)’s teacher at GWPO meetings each month. The liaison will relay information and upcoming events to the teacher to help increase family involvement in GWPO activities. How the message is passed to the rest of the class will be determined by the individual liaison and the teacher. This position will also help bridge the communication between our organization and the staff. This person will act as the classroom box top collector.

**Family Fun Night:** (1 night a year)

Family fun night is themed different each year. Parent volunteers work together to coordinate and staff this successful event. Previous themes include Minute to Win it Games, Movie Night, Crafts and much more.

**Fall Harvest Festival:** (2 nights a year)

This evening event takes place on the Saturday before Halloween and serves as an alternative way to celebrate fall. Parent volunteers are needed for Friday night set up, to staff activity booths, run the concession stands, and event clean up. With approximately 20+ booths that have three- one hour shifts per booth, we need many volunteers to make this event successful.

**Bake Sale:** (1 night a year)

This is a successful fundraiser that takes place during the holiday season at the winter program. Performers and their families can enjoy a sweet treat after the performance or to take home. Along with the many volunteer bakers, additional volunteers are needed to support sales before/during/after the performances.

**Junior Great Books:** (1 per week starting in January)

This program is for students with advanced comprehension skills to experience the enjoyment of reading and discussing literature in a stimulating but relaxed environment. Discussions are led by parent volunteers trained in the Great Books Foundation Shared Inquiry Method. Children who participate are chosen by their teacher and meet once a week during school hours.

**Spring Auction:** (Various days depending on job)

This is GWPO’s largest event and most important fundraiser of the year. It requires many volunteers at various times with varying levels of commitments, however any time that you have to give is needed and appreciated. Volunteering opportunities include: Procurement, Catalog Distribution, Cashiering, Data Management, Advertising, Set up, and clean up.

**Staff Treat Day:** (1 morning a year)

This is an annual appreciation celebration from the parents to all the staff at Grant Watts. The staff looks forward to this day all year long. We get a chance to show them how much appreciate what they do for our children! Volunteers are needed to bake approximate 50 desserts to provide each staff member with a treat to take home. Only a few volunteers are needed organize the event as the treats come in, however, we will be need many volunteers to provide the baked goods.

**Walks-a-Lot:** (1 hour once a week during afternoon recess)

Walks-A-Lot is a program that encourages students to be active during their recess by walking or running the track. Volunteers punch cards to help keep track of laps students complete. Throughout the year, each student will receive charms for his/her achievements. Those who participate in the Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving morning will receive a special charm!