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**Redmond High School PTSA
Volunteer Opportunities
2014-2015
Parent involvement is central at RHS!**

Volunteering at RHS is a great way to show your student that their education is important to you and is a good way to get acquainted with the students, staff, and other parents. You might be surprised to see the large number of opportunities listed below. PTSA is still active at the high school level and you'll find that there are lots of ways to stay involved - whether for a one-time activity or an extended commitment. Please look through the list below and mark your areas of interest. Your help is always greatly appreciated!

Name _____ Phone (____) _____ - _____

Student's Name(s) _____ Grade(s) _____

Parent's E-mail address _____

Check here if you'd like to receive e-mails when there is an On-Call need for volunteers for PTSA or school events. These requests vary and you are not expected to participate in every request sent out.

___ **Academic Support:** this volunteer list is sent to teachers that have students who could benefit from extra support. This help could be in or out of the classroom and may include science, math, language liaison, or other areas. My area of interest, expertise or language is _____.

___ **ACT/SAT Practice Test:** Help coordinate or proctor practice college prep tests for students. Princeton Review administers these tests that are given several times throughout the school year.

___ **Advocacy Team:** Receive and act on info and action items via e-mail about current legislative issues relayed from State and District Council PTSA. Opportunity to go to Olympia to meet with State legislators and vote on behalf of RHS PTSA.

___ **Communications Team:** Help keep our RHS community up to date by contributing to our weekly e-newsletter and/or keeping our social media pages interesting and informative.

___ **Emergency Preparedness:** Help coordinate and maintain emergency supplies for our school.

___ **Hospitality:** Volunteers assist with events such as student dances (3), Incoming Freshmen Parent Night, etc. Please sign up for one or both of the activities below:

___ **Refreshments:** Volunteers provide food items for student dances and special events and/or help with set up or clean up.

___ **Dance Helpers:** Volunteers help at dances by serving refreshments, working at coat/bag check, assisting with set up or clean up (this is minimal as ASB does the majority). Dance helpers do not supervise the dance floor area.

___ **Parent Education/Networking:** Help set up and or direct parents to the program location where speakers are invited to talk to parents. Join in welcoming new families to RHS.

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___ **Reflections:** This PTSA sponsored art program recognizes student entries in literature, visual arts, dance, film/video, photography and music. Volunteers request and organize entries from students for submission.

___ **Senior Activities/Events:** These volunteer activities are focused on the senior class: however, parent volunteers from all grades are welcome and encouraged to help. Please sign up for one or more of the events listed below:

___ **Senior Grad Night:** Volunteers are needed to help with the overnight alcohol/drug free post-graduation celebration for seniors sponsored by the PTSA, an event that provides fun and entertainment in safe venues. Volunteers can choose from a variety of jobs (such as fundraising, selling tickets, chaperoning, etc.).

___ **Baccalaureate:** Volunteers are needed to assist with this annual inspirational ceremony highlighting the words, songs, and talents of seniors.

___ **Graduation Ceremony Assistance:** Volunteers assist with tasks for the actual graduation ceremony.

___ **Staff Appreciation:** This committee provides special lunches and treats for RHS staff throughout the year. Volunteers are needed to contribute food (baked goods, salads, casseroles, etc.) and help with set up and clean up. There will be 4-6 events throughout the year.

___ **Student Store:** Volunteers needed to help out in the student store throughout the year.

___ **Student Directory:** Volunteers assist committee chair in preparing directory of school and student information that is mailed to PTSA members. Volunteers are needed in October.

RHS education partners also seeking volunteers:

___ **Lake Washington Schools Foundation:** The Foundation complements the work of PTSA. It looks at issues from district-wide view and was established to help our community stakeholders directly and efficiently invest in classroom learning. Volunteers assist in mailings to donors and our greater community, general office help, working on events, etc. LWSF Coordinators: volunteer@lwsf.org.

___ **LINKS - Mentoring & Tutoring:** Work on-on-one with students or help teachers in the classroom to offer guidance and encouragement, at all grade levels, to students who need extra help with their academic, social, and emotional development. Ongoing training and guidance is provided to volunteers. Program Coordinator: links@lwsd.org.

___ **Special Needs Liaison:** Liaison with LWPTSA Council Special Needs Group to keep families informed with bulletins, special needs events, and announcements. See www.lwptsacouncil.org for more information.

If you have any questions regarding any of the volunteer positions, please contact: volunteers@redmondhsptsa.org.

Please hand deliver or mail completed form to RHS:

Redmond High School PTSA
Attn: Volunteers
17272 NE 104th Street
Redmond WA 98052

Thank you for being active in your student's school!