

## 2009-2010 H.S.A. Committees and Programs

The following is a description of committees and programs sponsored by the Daly H.S.A. We need your help and support in order to continue these events. Please indicate with a check mark any committee on which you would be willing to work. Please return the form to the H.S.A. box in the main office. Thank you for volunteering!!

*(Questions? Call Lillie Charno 767-7619 or email lcharno@optonline.net)*

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**YOUR NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CHILD(REN'S) GRADE(S):** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TEACHER(S):** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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- AGATE Representative:** Daly liaison to AGATE (Advocacy for Gifted and Talented Education), attend meetings.
- Art Appreciation:** Help coordinate with art teacher which works of art to be hung in the school halls and assist in hanging.
- Bingo Night (1/29/10):** Help organize, assist, set-up, collect prizes, refreshments.
- Birthday Book Collection:** Work with Librarian regarding book donation in honor of students' birthdays. Help with publicity, book plates and give names and book titles to the Daly News editor.
- Blood Drive (11/6/09):** Organize Daly blood drive.
- Book Fair (10/19-23/09):** Volunteers are needed to help set up and take down tables and assist children and parents in selecting and paying for items when Scholastic provides us with books for one evening and during students' library time.
- Box Tops:** Organize contests and collections of "Box Tops" and "Campbell's" Labels for Education".
- Budget Brigade (May):** Help give information to community regarding the upcoming School Budget.
- Bus Buddies:** Fourth grade parents needed to help pair up next year's fifth graders with incoming kindergartners on their buses.
- Carnival (6/17/09):** Help plan, supervise/assist and coordinate the Daly Carnival/picnic.
- Charities Chair:** Coordinate with Parents' Council and the other schools for community wide events including the holiday drive and coat drive.
- Cultural Arts:** Committee meets monthly with District Cultural Art Committee to decide what district wide art programs to bring into the schools. Help coordinate/arrange Daly's Cultural Arts programs within given budget.
- Dads Night Out (10/26/09):** Help organize, plan, coordinate evening event for Daly dads.
- Daly Diggers:** Committee's purpose is to beautify the school's grounds as well as assist/organize/plan the Fall pumpkin sale and Spring plant sale.
- Daly Earthkeepers:** This committee helps our school become more aware of our environment.
- Daly Organic Garden & Summer Cooperative:** New committee, which is responsible for coordinating with the teachers the planting schedule for the school year. No prior experience needed. During the summer, sign up for one week to harvest the school's Organic Garden.
- Daly News:** the HSA newspaper; needs reporters and photographers as well as ad sales.
- Daly Wear:** Help order, organize, sell and distribute Daly clothing at school events.
- Family Night (3/5/09):** Help organize, plan and coordinate at Daly Family Night event.
- Fifth Grade Activities:** Help plan, organize and coordinate graduation, trip, yearbook and party.
- Fundraising:** Parents are needed to work with our fundraising vice presidents to plan and coordinate our fundraising efforts. Committee members may choose one or more events in which to participate.
- Game Day:** This committee helps coordinate volunteers to work during recess time assisting children in playing games. Game day is weekly during the bad-weather months.
- Gift Wrapping Paper:** Help plan, organize, and coordinate the wrapping paper fundraising event.
- Halloween Parade (10/30/09):** This committee plans and decorates the Halloween celebration that takes place on our field.
- Holiday Boutique (12/8/09):** Committee assists in planning, coordinating and organizing the after school/evening fundraising event.
- Kindergarten Bus (1<sup>st</sup> week of school):** Kindergarten parents ride the bus home with the children on the three early dismissal days. One parent is needed to organize and assign volunteers to ride buses.
- Knit Together:** This committee helps coordinate volunteers to work with children as they learn to knit during lunch/recess.
- Ladies Night Out (12/2/09):** Help organize, plan, coordinate evening event for Daly moms.
- Lost & Found:** This committee assists with coordination of the Lost & Found table/area and returning lost items to their rightful owner if possible. A Lost & Found event usually coincides with a late-fall H.S.A. event and the spring Carnival.
- Movie Night (11/13/09) –** Help organize a family movie night.

- \_\_\_ **New Parent Welcoming Breakfast (9/22/09):** This committee provides a welcoming breakfast for new Daly families. The morning includes an overview of the school day, policies, procedures and special events at Daly. It ends with a tour of the building.
- \_\_\_ **Nominating Committee:** Parents needed to recruit, review, and nominate volunteers for open Executive Board positions. Committee is formed by March with nominations announced in April or May.
- \_\_\_ **Nutrition:** This committee represents Daly at monthly meetings with the Port Washington School District and the food service company to evaluate conditions in the cafeteria and to recommend menu choices and recipes. The committee also educates the children about good nutrition. Coordinates volunteers for lunch –time food samples to be passed around to the children.
- \_\_\_ **Nutrition Week (3/22-26/10):** Coordinate the special curriculum projects which take place all week, and parents are invited to help decorate the school, and to present creative programs to their children's class.
- \_\_\_ **Parents' Council Representatives:** Each elementary school has two voting representatives on Parents' Council, which meets the last Monday (morning meeting) of every month. Representatives must report back to Daly H.S.A. about district issues and events at the monthly H.S.A. meetings.
- \_\_\_ **Picture Day (10/7/09):** Committee chooses and works with a professional photographer who takes class and individual student pictures.
- \_\_\_ **Playground Committee:** A new committee that will plan the new playground equipment and raise funds for it.
- \_\_\_ **Popcorn Sale:** This committee organizes volunteers to help out once a month during lunch (11:30-1:00) selling popcorn to the Daly children.
- \_\_\_ **Pride in Port Parade (10/3/09):** This committee coordinates Daly's participation in the fall "Pride in Port" Parade. It involves working on the Daly float and organizing the march on the day of the parade.
- \_\_\_ **Public Relations:** This committee plans, coordinates and works with district press office, the Daly News and other media venues to publicize Daly events.
- \_\_\_ **Ride Your Bike To School Day (6/25/09):** Need volunteers to coordinate a ride your bike to school day on the last day of school as well as coordinate bike safety programs throughout the school year.
- \_\_\_ **Safety & Substance Abuse Committee (Formerly: Drug & Alcohol Task Force):** represents Daly at District Task Force meetings (4 times/year) reports back to HSA.
- \_\_\_ **School Supplies:** Help coordinate, organize sales of school supplies in June for distribution in August.
- \_\_\_ **SEPTA Representative:** Daly liaison to SEPTA. Attend monthly meetings.
- \_\_\_ **Social (4/30/09):** This committee plans, organizes, coordinates the Spring event (dinner, raffles, and auctions), which is attended by both parents and school staff.
- \_\_\_ **Special Week (4/19-23/09):** This event is an enrichment program planned by parents each spring. A theme is chosen and activities are arranged for each grade to occur during the week. Volunteers are needed to help on the committee and/or to assist in the classrooms. Special Night is the Thursday night of Special's Week and is a parent-driven evening that highlights the theme for the year.
- \_\_\_ **Staff Recognition Luncheon (5/5/09):** This is the HSA's way of thanking the Daly teachers and staff for all their hard work and effort throughout the year. The committee decides on the menu, decorations and teachers' gifts and is also responsible for setting up and staffing the event.
- \_\_\_ **UNICEF:** This committee plans and coordinates the collection of money at Halloween.
- \_\_\_ **Valentine Boutique (2/9/09):** During school event to allow children to shop for Valentine gifts.
- \_\_\_ **Visitor's Day (5/14/09):** During school event. Volunteers help with hanging artwork (prior to event) and directing traffic within the school the day of the event.
- \_\_\_ **Webmaster:** Daly's H.S.A. maintains a page on the John J. Daly website. Committee maintains and updates the page. Content is given via H.S.A Executive Board and Daly News Editor.

**PLEASE INDICATE BELOW WHICH COMMITTEE(S) YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BEING THE CHAIR(S) OF:**

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