



**Pleasant Ridge PTA**  
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*“Discover why some of the richest people in the world are not millionaires,  
they are volunteers.”*

## **Pleasant Ridge Volunteer Opportunities 2009-2010 School Year**

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Please consider volunteering for one or more of the opportunities listed below... indicate any committee for which you would be willing to help with or chair for this year.

Please check all that apply, and you will be contacted by the event chairperson or your board liaison prior to the event or program.

**Thank you in advance for considering being a Pleasant Ridge PTA Volunteer!**

**Please return this form to your child's teacher by September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions, please contact me... Heidi McClelland, V.P. of Nominating and Placement at [palypup@msn.com](mailto:palypup@msn.com) or 734-645-7280.

You can also email a copy of this form which is available to download on the Pleasant Ridge Website to [palypup@msn.com](mailto:palypup@msn.com)

**And again thank you for being an active part in your child's education!!**

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- Walk-a-thon Fall Fundraiser: Coordinators: Laurie Dawson/Amber Sotelo**  
**Date:** October 2, 2009  
**Description:** Volunteers are needed to help with various tasks, including helping coordinators and students on Walk-a-thon Day.
- Book Fair: Coordinators: Marcy Goyette/Joy Bleitz**  
**Dates:** Sept./Dec./March  
**Description:** Volunteers will help set-up, help children pick out books, total up sales, and tear down.
- SCRIP: Coordinator: Paula Walker**  
**Dates:** Year Round  
**Description:** Volunteers assist in collection of order forms and distribution of orders.
- Reflections: Coordinator: Heidi McClelland**  
**Dates:** Year round  
**Description:** Volunteers help promote the nation wide PTA competition of the Arts, oversee the judging of entrants; submit the students' work for state competition and distribute awards.
- Teacher Conference Dinner: Coordinator: Melissa Ellsworth**  
**Dates:** November and March  
**Description:** Parents are needed to help set-up and make dishes for our teachers during the two conferences during the school year.

- Pancake Supper: Coordinator: Laurie Dawson/Michelle Doran/Amber Sotelo**  
*Date: December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2009*  
*Description: Pancakes, sausages, applesauce and the trimmings! This is a fabulous event for the whole family. We will need help with set-up, publicity, silent-auction items, or logistics.*
  
- Pleasant Ridge Winter Carnival: Coordinators: Amber Sotelo/Laurie Dawson**  
*Dates: January 15<sup>th</sup> or January 29<sup>th</sup> (snow date)*  
*Description: Volunteers are needed to help with set-up, concessions during carnival, staff games, and clean up.*
  
- Book Swap: Coordinator: Beth Shemanski/Nicolle Nowosielski**  
*Dates: End of March*  
*Description: Volunteers are needed to help with book collection a few weeks before the event and then to assist in sorting of books. Volunteers are also needed to work shifts during the book swap to assist students in finding books and to help re-stock the book tables.*
  
- March Reading Month: Coordinator: Sherri Wolf/Marcy Goyette**  
*Dates: Late February/March*  
*Description: Volunteer opportunities include, helping with March reading Festival sign-up, helping to coordinate hospitality, assembly and book sale for the author/illustrator visit. Lots of FUN! Volunteers can start helping after Christmas break up to and through the event.*
  
- Math Night: Coordinator: Cindi Larson**  
*Dates: Spring*  
*Description: Volunteers work event for families to experience math in a fun way.*
  
- Science Night: Coordinator: Jeanette Brenner**  
*Dates: February 25, 2010*  
*Description: Event is coordinated with Quest teacher. Volunteers help families to experience science in a fun way.*
  
- Teacher Appreciation Week: Coordinator: Valerie Smith**  
*Dates: First Week of May*  
*Description: Volunteers will help with any activities that are planned for the week to show our teachers that we appreciate all they do for our children.*
  
- Grounds Beautification: Coordinator: Wendy Beardsley**  
*Dates: Year round, with emphasis in fall and spring*  
*Description: The committee will be charged with beautifying the grounds of Pleasant Ridge throughout the year by planning, planting, weeding, mulching, and trimming trees, shrubs and flowers. We will also help coordinate Pride Day with teachers and other building coordinators.*
  
- Lunchroom: Coordinator: Amber Sotelo**  
*Dates: Year round: Circle one: M T W Th F*  
*Description: Parent volunteers help by making sure children are seated with comfortable space at each table, providing napkins, straws, utensils, etc. and reminding and helping children adhere to the posted rules. Time commitments are flexible—sign up for one or two days per week, or even every other week. Stay for one or two 30 minute intervals, or be a real trooper and stay for more!!*