

VOLUNTEER FOR CLASS PLAY



Dear Parents and Friends:

We're looking for volunteers to help with this year's class play! "*The Great Northern Railroad*" is a musical comedy that reinforces our study of the Western Expansion. Yes, the railroad made it possible to move people and goods across the continent, and now our students get to learn about it firsthand through script and song.

Like any stage event, there are always people behind the scenes who help get things ready for opening night.

Check off those areas for which you can help! Once we know if you're interested and available, we'll get in touch with more info, including rehearsal and performance dates and times.

VOLUNTEER FOR REHEARSALS

- Work with a small group rehearsing lines
- Create a set
- Help paint 'stuff'
- Get donations of fabric for costumes
- Help another student with costumes
- Build props
- Make outlines for a prop table
- Coordinate lighting
- Help students create a keepsake program
- Coordinate the sound system
- Build staging
- Teach dance routines to a large group
- Work with small group on choreography
- Letter cue cards for actors
- Practice with small groups during rehearsals

VOLUNTEER FOR PERFORMANCE

- Do hair
- Do makeup
- Get students in costume by show time
- Coordinate a meal before evening show
- Work the prop table
- Police backstage area
- Help students get on stage
- Coordinate refreshments after the show
- Coordinate and recruit a clean up crew
- Coordinate and recruit volunteers to usher
- Set up chairs (if necessary)

To give you an idea of what's needed, we're circling around the *Stage Summary Sheet*. This details the cast roles students have been assigned, costumes and stage props.

Thanks to all who return this sheet with one or many volunteer slots checked off. You won't be sorry you were part of this performance. It's a memory your child will never forget.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Best Days & Times: _____

