



COMMITTEE DESCRIPTIONS

Alumni Association – Ongoing

The Alumni Association arranges alumni events and reunions, collects alumni contact information, and submits news for the *Family Album* to keep alumni connected with Community School.

Book Covering and Discovery Center – Ongoing

The Book Covering and Discovery Center Committee plays a vital role in ensuring the longevity of books in the classroom libraries and the Discovery Center of Community School. Before being added to the libraries, hundreds of new books must be covered during the Book Show in October. The committee provides assistance with various library activities.

Book Show – October 5-7, 2026

The Book Show Committee organizes a two-day fair in October where students, parents, grandparents, and alumni can browse and purchase books for themselves or donate them to Community School libraries. Volunteers play a significant role in making this event possible.

Bulletin Board – Ongoing

The Bulletin Board Committee ensures that the CPA-managed bulletin boards are regularly updated throughout the school year.

Community Cares – Ongoing

The Community Cares Committee curates care packages for faculty, students, parents, and alumni, fostering a sense of community.

Faculty & Staff Appreciation – Ongoing

The Faculty & Staff Appreciation Committee recognizes school faculty and staff for their many contributions to Community School. Volunteers will be needed to provide special treats during conferences and around designated holidays. They are also responsible for Community Appreciation Week (in March) and assist with elements of the end-of-the-year faculty party.

Goldy Day – August 29, 2026

Goldy Day is a back-to-school event that allows Community School children and parents to socialize and participate in a family-oriented event. Volunteers are required to help make this a successful event.

Grade Chairs - Ongoing

Grade chairs serve as liaisons between the school and families within a specific grade level. They support communication, help coordinate grade-level activities, and encourage participation in school events and community initiatives.

GrandFriends Day – May 7, 2027

On May 7, 2027, grandparents and special friends of students are invited to the school for a performance and classroom visit. Volunteers help plan the event and serve as hosts on the day.

Parent Diversity Group – Ongoing

The Parent Diversity Group helps parents make connections, build relationships, and promote an inclusive environment. The informal meetings provide an opportunity to socialize, exchange ideas, and discuss topics related to diversity, equity, and inclusion. This committee also hosts the MLK All Family Day of Service and Bowling Night.

Pledge Week – September 13-18, 2026

The Pledge Week Committee solicits annual gifts from Community School parents during pledge week. This successful initiative helps Community School reach 100% parent participation and raises almost 75% of our Annual Fund goal.

School Store – Ongoing

The Community School Store, Goldy's Goodies, features branded apparel and accessories for families. Parent volunteers advise on inventory and help staff the store on Thursdays between 7:30 and 9 a.m. and during special events.

Stan and Clayton Rice Family Night (5th and 6th Grades only) – October 13, 2026

The Stan and Clayton Rice Family Night is an enjoyable evening held in the fall for 5th and 6th graders and their parents or special friends. The evening includes outdoor games, dinner, and a special activity.

Trivia Night – February 27, 2027

The Trivia Night Committee organizes the biennial fundraiser for the year, planning and implementing the event. The committee is divided into several subcommittees, including Group Gatherings, Silent Auction, Sponsorship and Ad Sales, Marketing, and Hospitality.

Veterans Day – November 11, 2026

The Veterans Day Committee organizes a Veterans Day celebration for all Community School family members who served in the American military. The celebration includes a Veterans Day Breakfast and Veterans Day Assembly.

Yearbook – Ongoing

The Yearbook Committee is responsible for publishing Community School's yearbook. Each classroom has a representative who takes and organizes pictures for their assigned grade.