

HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The Home and School Association is an organized medium of communication between parents and the faculty, staff, and administration. **Membership is open to all faculty members and parents of students at St. Bartholomew Catholic School.**

All parents must be willing, when able to do so, to assist actively in the promotion of all projects undertaken, both religious and material for the welfare of the students. Your child's school should be a priority. Being familiar with and supporting school policy, meeting with teachers and **regular attendance** at the Home and School general meetings are only a few ways that this can be accomplished.

The purpose of the Home and School Association is to provide the school with the materials to fulfill academic, cultural and physical needs that are not covered by tuition. It also provides an additional means of communication between parents and school and an opportunity for both to grow spiritually and intellectually.

Our Home and School has been responsible for:

- Purchasing televisions for all of our classrooms
- Equipment for the **Computer Lab** and **Science Lab**
- Renovating our Library and restrooms
- Purchasing a portable stage
- Providing guest speakers and much more

FUNDRAISING

Organized fundraising activities are conducted in the school with the approval of the school administration. No child acting on behalf of the school may solicit funds for any purpose on the city streets, in public places, or on a house to house basis unless such solicitation has been authorized by the principal in each case, and by the parents.

Each family will be required to participate in the sale of Carnival raffle tickets. Each family will be required to sell \$60.00 worth of raffle tickets per child, or an equivalent amount will be added to their tuition fees. Please refer to your Parental Agreement.

SERVICE HOURS

A minimum of 20 hours per family, per school year is required. Two hours per child must be worked at our Parish/School Carnival. **If you do not fulfill your service hours your account will be charged \$20.00 per every hour not served. All service hours must be completed by April 15th. Absolutely no supplies will be accepted after May 1st.**

Parent volunteers who are working at the school on a regular basis must be fingerprinted as per Archdiocese of Miami guidelines.