

NEW Home & School Association is UP and RUNNING!

COMMUNICATION • STUDENT LIFE • COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT



WE WANT & NEED YOUR PARTICIPATION!

→ What We Are...

The Home & School Association (HASA) is a newly created group designed to **promote closer communication** between the school and home, and to **enhance our children's school experience** through extracurricular and academic activities. As parents/guardians of children who attend St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School, **we are all members of the HASA!** The role of the HASA is to:

- support the mission of the school;
- provide an association for all school families and staff that is alive, active and encourages participation; and
- facilitate open communication among parents, caregivers, school and community.

→ Our Focus...

We encourage **fun** and want to create an association that people want to be part of. The HASA can be a way to create **social gatherings** for families and kids, offer **more extracurricular activities** such as theater, sports teams and concerts all while improving **communication**. Through brainstorming sessions, three Focus Areas were developed: **Communications, Student Life** and **Community Enrichment**. Each Focus Area is developing goals and action items to accomplish this school year –join us in the process!

→ Your Participation Counts...

Please get involved in some way to support and benefit our children – **share your time and talents!** There are many ways and opportunities to volunteer, just let us know how you'd like to help.

→ Your Opinion Matters...

We would love to hear from you, please **share your thoughts and ideas!** Simply contact any HASA Officer, attend a meeting, or even email your ideas or volunteer preferences. HASA meetings are typically the first Monday of each month from 5:15 PM to 6:15 PM. 2012 meeting dates tentatively set for: January 9th, February 6th, March 5th, April 2nd, and May 7th.

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