



# Lourdes Academy Elementary PTA

August 2024

The Lourdes Academy Elementary Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is committed to creating a positive and encouraging environment for all students to excel and to provide support to our dedicated teachers. Through a range of events, fundraisers, and projects, our goal is to promote inclusion and solidarity among all individuals at Lourdes Academy Elementary.

What does PTA do? (See Page 2 / Reverse Side for Additional Detail)

- Sponsor and support events such as: Back to School Picnic, Book Fair, Trunk or Treat, Grandparents Night, Masterpiece Art, Catholic Schools Week, Family Roller Skating, and End of Year Carnival.
- Supply materials for things like: Kindness Connection, guided reading, playground, and solar eclipse
- Show teacher appreciation through: Teacher Appreciation Week, lunches, teachers' lounge, and gifts.

Who is a member?

- **Every** family with students enrolled at Lourdes Academy Early Learning Center or Elementary School.

What can I do?

- Contribute annual dues of \$50 per family.
- Attend monthly meetings to meet others, learn about initiatives, ask questions, and offer suggestions.
- Volunteer your time and talent; help develop and participate in PTA programs and fundraisers.

The PTA would be unable to provide these fulfilling opportunities for our school without your assistance. Please include the dues payment on your Registration Payment Summary. Please also look for opportunities to participate and/or volunteer. Opportunities are communicated by meetings, emails, Facebook posts, newsletters, and the PTA website (<https://lourdesacademyoshkosh.org/pta>). If you are willing to donate supplies or help fund a PTA event, please reach out. Our most pressing volunteer roles include PTA President, PTA Vice President/President-Elect, and Teacher Appreciation Week Lead, all of which offer a great opportunity to leave your mark! Please remember that without volunteers in these roles, many of the events may not be possible.

Thank you for supporting another enriching and exciting year. Please contact us if you have any questions.

Warmly,

Lourdes Academy Elementary PTA

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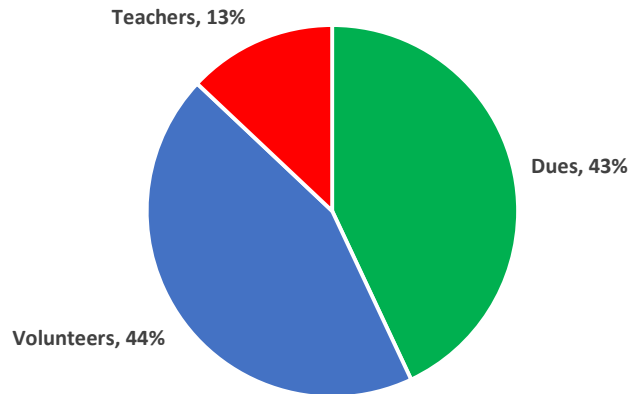
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### How It's Earned\*



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Dues - \$50 per Family

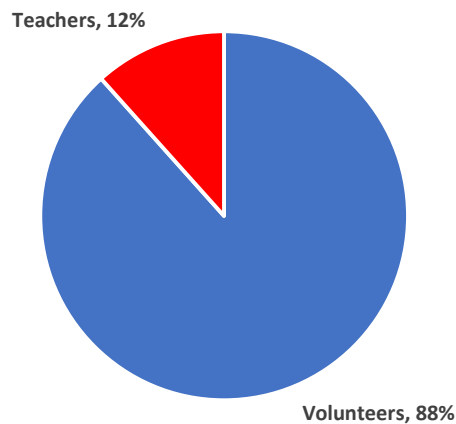
#### Volunteers

Dining for Dollars  
Art to Remember  
Popcorn/Popsicle Fridays  
Walking School Bus  
You Got Boo'ed  
Spirit Wear/Bracelets

#### Teachers

Polar Express  
Treasured Teacher Time

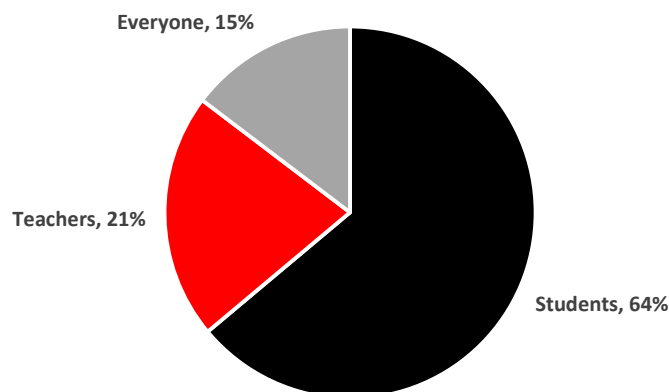
### Who Leads PTA Program\*



### PTA Programs

Back to School Picnic  
1st Day Meet & Greet (Boo-Hoo/Wahoo)  
Kindness Connection Shirts  
Teacher Lounge Treats  
Popcorn/Popsicle Fridays  
Trunk or Treat  
Grandparents Night  
Masterpiece Art  
Book Fair  
Parent-Teacher Conference  
Teacher Dinner and Goodie Bags  
Catholic New Year  
Pack the Pantry  
Polar Express  
Teacher Luncheons  
Wisconsin Herd Basketball Game  
Catholic School's Week Festivities  
Treasured Teacher Time  
Family Roller Skating Event  
Read Across America Week  
Holy Week  
First Communion Party  
Teacher Appreciation Week  
A Little Change for a Big Change  
End of Year Carnival  
Teacher Birthday Gifts  
Summer Reading Challenge

### Who Benefits from PTA Program\*



... and more. Monthly PTA meetings are the place to brainstorm and plan ways to improve how PTA can benefit our kids and our school.

\* Chart percentages are based on \$ raised/spent 7/1/23-6/30/25. Charts exclude A Little Change for a Big Change and the Book Fair which do not impact the PTA Treasury. Those initiatives which are ran by the PTA, provide books for students, and provide funds for specific needs identified and voted for during monthly PTA meetings (2023 was for books and ELC Playground).