

Volunteering at Bayside School

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others" – Mahatma Ghandi



Why Get Involved? (a.k.a. Why you should care)

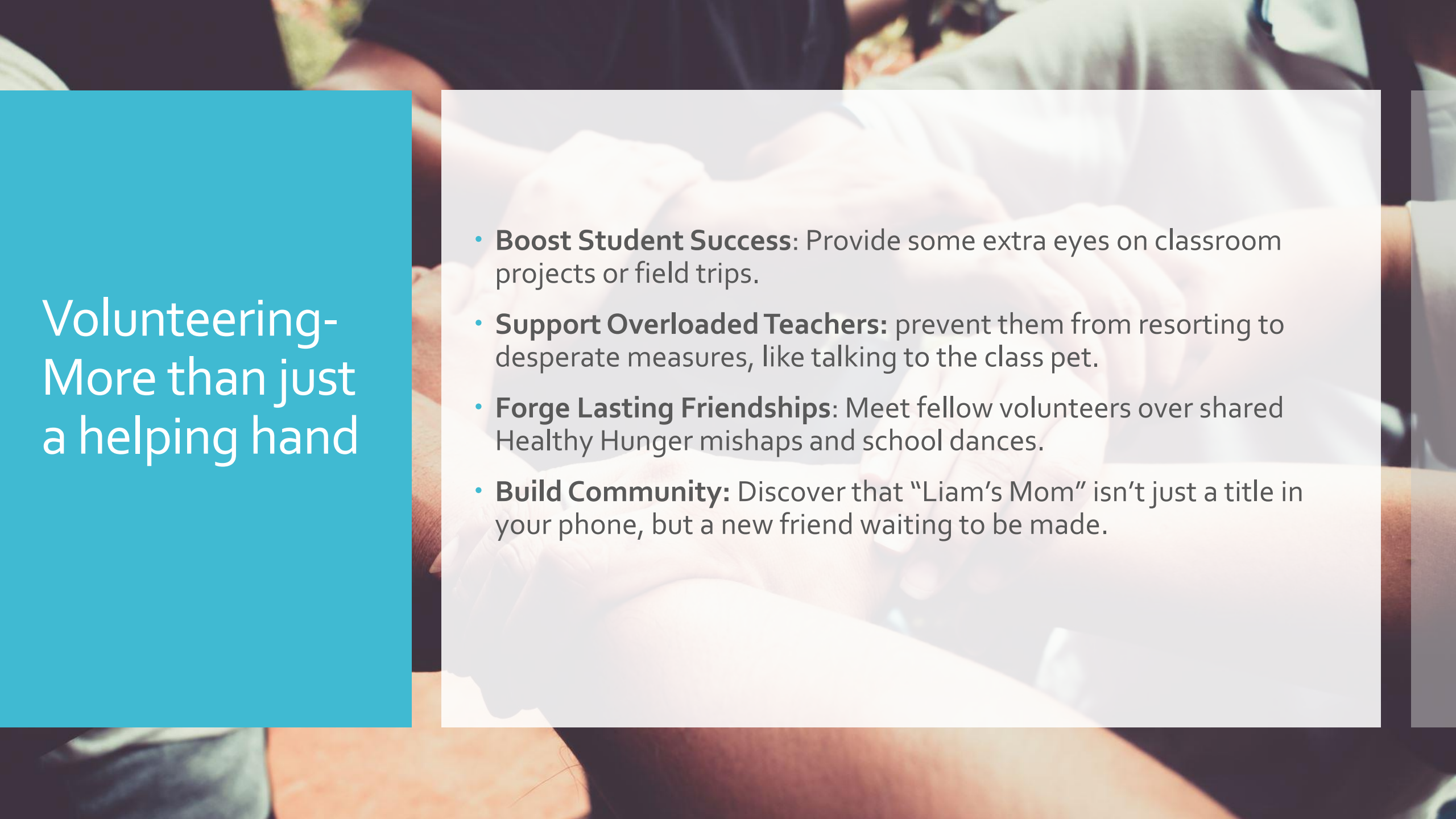
For the kids: The children are our future (thank you Whitney Houston).

For the Teachers: They could use a break from wrangling the zoo animals.

For yourself: Build friendships, network like a boss, and enjoy some seriously “sigma” school events (as the kids would say).

For the school: Your efforts help keep classrooms stocked, tech updates and playgrounds safe (and slightly less ancient).





Volunteering- More than just a helping hand

- **Boost Student Success:** Provide some extra eyes on classroom projects or field trips.
- **Support Overloaded Teachers:** prevent them from resorting to desperate measures, like talking to the class pet.
- **Forge Lasting Friendships:** Meet fellow volunteers over shared Healthy Hunger mishaps and school dances.
- **Build Community:** Discover that “Liam’s Mom” isn’t just a title in your phone, but a new friend waiting to be made.

The Social Perks of Volunteering

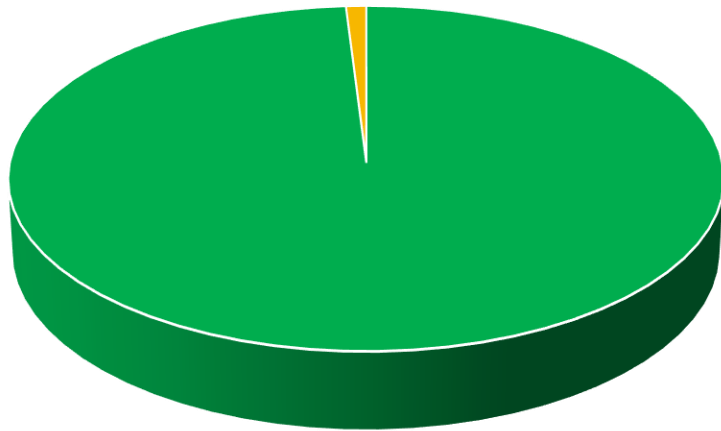
Meet New People: From quirky parents to inspiring teachers to hilarious kids-your future networking group starts here!

Instant VIP status: Walk into any school event with a badge that screams, "I make awesome things happen!"

Shared Laughs and Stories: Swap tales of epic fundraising fails and classroom antics over a free Healthy Hunger lunch.

Get your daily dose of Joy: Nothing beats the smiles on kids' faces when you create an event that fills their cup – like the Halloween Dance.

We put the FUN in
FUNdraising



■ Fun ■ Budget

Fundraising: The Lifeline that Keeps our School Thriving

Essential Supplies & Tech: Help ensure that books, tablets and some new gym equipment are within reach!

Enhanced Learning Opportunities: Support Extracurricular Activities, field trips and that snazzy new playground equipment!

Community events: Fundraisers build the buzz – Think of them as the schools' bi-annual dance party, with a purpose.

Fun & Creative Fundraising Ideas

Casino:

Try your hand at the craps table, throwdown at Poker, bet on our school to help the kids!

Read-A-Thon:

Trick your kids into reading by winning a reward to become Principal for the Day! (and helping raise money for the school while we're at it!)

School Dances:

Dance the night away while raising money for that new playground, bust a move and shake your money maker...for the school!

Healthy Hunger:

Eat your way to new gym equipment! Support the school by purchasing lunches for your little bambinos and get out of making lunches too!

Apples:

Our annual Apple Fundraiser, helps you and your kiddos get an apple a day, keeping the doctor away...and purchases pencils for the classrooms!



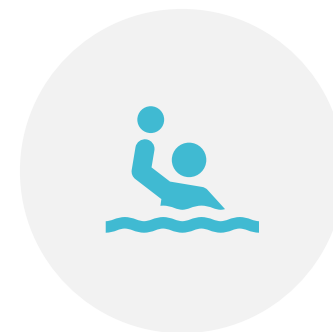
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VOLUNTEERING IMPACTS:
MORE ONE-ON-ONE ATTENTION
LEADS TO BETTER GRADES AND
HAPPIER KIDS.



FUNDRAISING IMPACTS: MORE
FUNDS MEAN UPDATED SUPPLIES,
TECH AND ENRICHED SCHOOL
PROGRAMS.

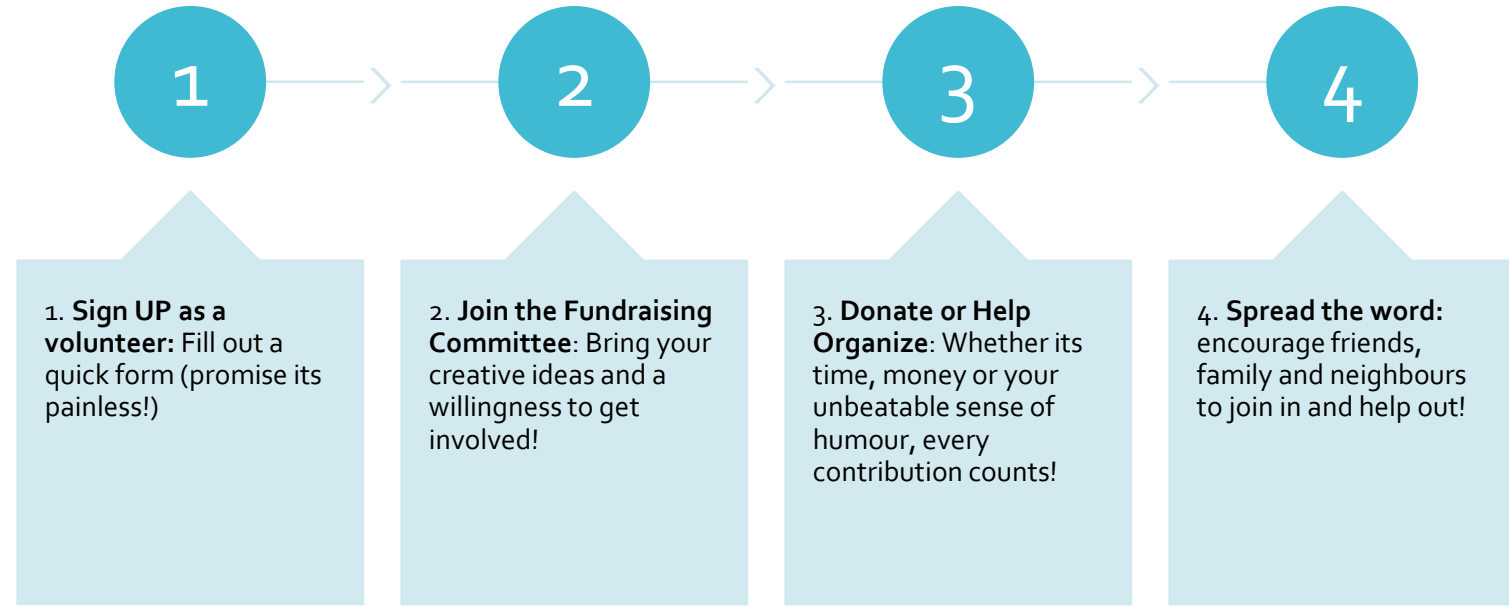


COMBINED SUPERPOWERS: WHEN
VOLUNTEERING AND FUNDRAISING JOIN
FORCES, OUR SCHOOL BECOMES A
POWERHOUSE OF OPPORTUNITY, FUN AND
COMMUNITY SPIRIT.

How your efforts make a difference



Get involved: Easy steps to Join the fun



Join us today and be a part of our schools' success story- because every superhero needs a team! Click here to be AWESOME!

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- **Natalia Peso, Chair Bayside Council:** "Volunteering and working toward supporting my daughters' school has been an amazing journey. I've met many new friends and it is quite rewarding to give back to the school community."
- **Mirita Lovegrove, Fundraising President:** "I volunteer to be involved in my son's education, support the school and help make a positive impact, all while connecting with the community and having fun along the way!"
- **Sydney Jones, Social Media Guru:** "I started volunteering because I wanted to meet other parents and make connections in my community!"
- **Derek Lonergan, Casino Chair :**"I started volunteering because I wanted to be active in my kids' education."
- **Jeff Meyer, Treasurer:** "Honestly, being on the parent council is awesome. I'm always in the loop about field trips and events, and I get to help make a real difference for my kids and their school."



Ready to make an impact?

Whether here to lend a hand or boost our schools resources, every bit of your support matters.

Join the movement: Volunteer, fundraise and be a part of a community that cares.

Remember, saving the world one elementary school at a time is not only heroic—It's a LOT of fun!