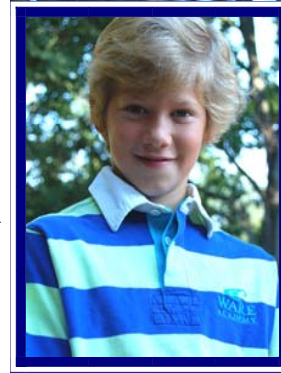


GOALS



- Facilitate relationships between the parents and the school
- Function as a source of communication for all parents
- Provide informational, social and educational opportunities for parents
- Work closely with the Head of the School on program enhancements
- Support faculty and students
- Create extracurricular learning experiences for the student body

Ware's dress code allows students to wear Friday Fun Wear shirts purchased through the Parents Association on a daily basis during September and May. Between October and April, the shirts can be worn on Fridays. Shirts are available on Book Day and anytime throughout the year from the Parents Association.



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WARE ACADEMY PARENTS ASSOCIATION



*Enhancing each child's
educational experience*

EVENTS

The Parents Association organizes and facilitates events throughout the school year which strengthen the sense of community at Ware.



- Back to School Picnic
- New Parent Orientation
- Hospitality at school events
- Teacher appreciation activities
- Field Day
- 8th Grade Dinner
- End of year celebrations

Other events which are sponsored by the Parents Association, either as fundraisers or that are self-sustaining, include:

- Concessions for athletic events
- Fall Festival (in cooperation with the faculty)
- Father-Daughter Dance

SCHOOL SUPPORT

Throughout the year, the Parents Association contributes to the school in many ways including:

- Mentoring for new families
- Class Ambassadors
- Surf Shop
- Funding to teachers for their classroom
- Head of School's Wish List

FUNDRAISERS

Corporate Rewards Programs

- ◆ Food Lion "Shop & Share"
- ◆ Box Tops for Education
- ◆ Target
- ◆ Brent & Becky's Bloomin' Bucks
- Product-based sales
- Ware Wear and Friday Fun Ware
- Parents Association events



WHAT YOU CAN DO!

Volunteer! The Association needs plenty of volunteers for its events and programs to donate time, energy and supplies. Participation by parents, grandparents and other family members is always welcome.

Participate in fundraisers! The programs and events we fund are important to the school and could not take place without family support. For those families who do not want to participate in product-based sales, donating dues is an option.

We need leaders! Volunteer to serve as an officer or as a committee chair. We welcome new energy and ideas!



Volunteer today!