



# Oak Grove PAC

## What Is That!

(Parent Advisory Committee)

### Mission of PAC

### What do we stand for and do?

The mission of this organization is to support the education and positive growth of the children at Oak Grove Elementary by fostering relationships among the school, parents, and teachers. Additionally, the organization will be a fund-raising arm of the school, to which it will financially help support programs, projects, and other activities at school.

Any parent, guardian, or other adult standing for a student at the school may be a member and shall have voting rights if they have attended a minimum of one PAC meeting within the previous three months. Any staff member of the school may be a member and have voting rights.


We are the Fund-Raising Arm of the School! Why is that important, you might ask? Doesn't our Tax Dollars pay for everything?

More than 90% of Educators spend their own money on classroom supplies. Teachers in Montrose only make between \$46K-\$60K a year. The national average for teachers spending their own money is \$800-\$1000 a year.

My Goal, Mission as the PAC President is to make sure teachers do not have to spend any of their own money in the classroom. On the Next page are some of the things that PAC has funded over the last 3 years. That is why fundraising is so important. We try extremely hard to only do 2 fundraisers a year, one in the fall and one in the spring.

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## Items that PAC has funded

- Oak Grove T-Shirts for all students and Faculty
  - Teacher Wish List Items
  - Teacher Monthly Appreciate Days
- Birthday Treats the last Friday of the month for students
  - Half of the Cost of the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade field trip cost
- Christmas presents for under privileged families
  - Teacher Retirement Gifts
  - Snow Cones on back to school night
- Helping to fund save the tree on the playground
  - The Sock Hop Dance
  - Upgrading technology for classrooms
- We Partnered to help fund the Farm classroom
  - Replacing the gravel on the walking playground track
- Upgrading Playground equipment and recess durable items
  - Scholastic Reader Program.
  - ETC.



## So how can you help

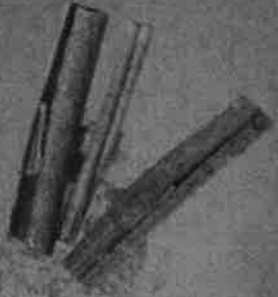
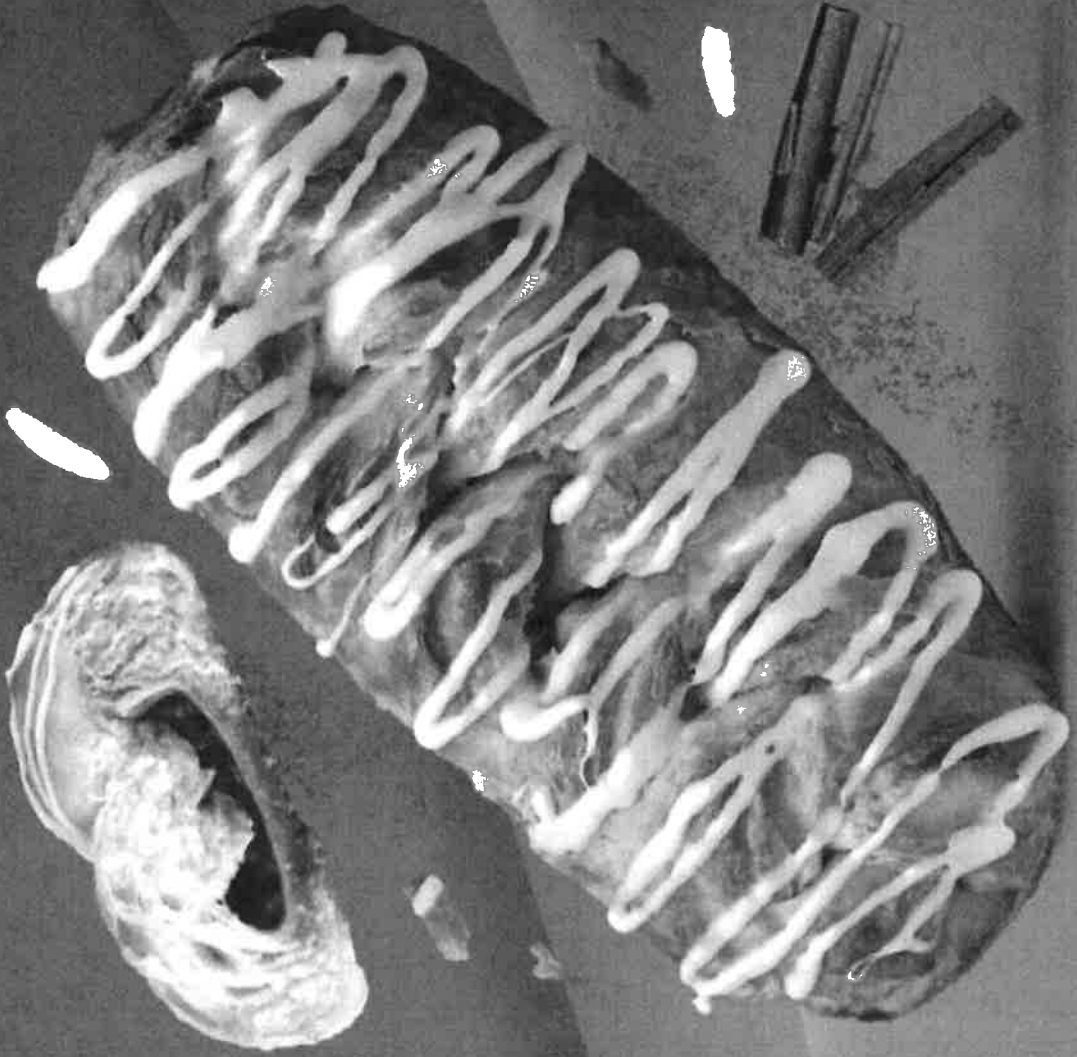
- Helping your child sell Butter Braids
- Donating Gift Cards to the School to be used by Mrs. Edwards the Principal to do random acts of kindness for her staff.
  - Volunteer your time or talents
- Come to our monthly meetings if you can

My top goal this year is Teacher appreciation and retention

The PAC Team always is looking for parents to help if they can and I am so excited to see how are students grow this year



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# Annual Butter Braids Fundraiser

Oak Grove  
Elementary  
School

## Prizes For Top 3 Sellers

1st: \$100 Gift Bag  
2nd: \$75 Gift Bag  
3rd: \$50 Gift Bag

The top 3 sellers will pick a gift bag of their choice! It will be filled with either STEM, ART, SPORTS, or READING goodies. They will also have lunch with Mrs. Edwards off-campus (date TBD).

The sale of even ONE product qualifies each student to participate in the selling party after product delivery.

