

St. Robert Home & School Association

Mission

We, the volunteers of the St. Robert Home & School Association, seek to enhance the education of our children by:

- Coordinating communication between St. Robert families and the school
- Raising funds to benefit the school directly
- Fostering a feeling of community within the St. Robert Parish and School

Structure

- Fundraising
- Social and Relationship-Building
- Enrichment
- Community & School Service
- Community & School Relations

Financial

- \$137,000 to school operating budget
 - \$32,050 to staff discretionary funds, bonuses, scholarship fund, technology fund
 - \$13,550 to fund Home & School events
 - Discretionary funding:
 - FIOF (incl. accessibility initiative) = \$20,000
 - 2 SmartBoards = \$10,000
 - Library acquisitions = \$2,632
 - New PA system for the gym = \$3,000
 - Angel fund = \$2,000
 - Art for Youth program = \$1,000
 - Soft furniture for K4 classroom = \$ 558
 - Forensics instructors = \$ 500
 - Fundraising successes:
 - Rummage Sale = \$14,527
 - Magazine Drive = \$13,662 +
 - Raffle = \$10,500 plus \$2600 to Uganda
 - Auction = \$123,000 +
 - Coffee = \$1,078 +
 - Book Fair = \$938
 - Bobcat Bucks = \$1,742 +
 - Rebates = \$1,933 +
 - Family Portraits = \$760
- (+ = revenue numbers not final)

For 2009-10, every parent is expected to participate in one Fundraising and one Non-Fundraising activity within the Home & School Association. This helps reduce tuition and fund many important initiatives, in addition to providing numerous social, enrichment, and service opportunities to students and their families. Parents who wish to volunteer for activities that have student contact are required to attain Volunteer Certification (see www.archmil.org/events to register for Safe Environment Education.)