SLUSD Volunteer Recognition Process

2017-2018 Pilot Project

Schools

Individual school sites will recognize all volunteers in the spring every year. The recognition can happen at a planned school activity, spring concert, pasta feed, school assembly, etc.

Every school site may select one volunteer from each category to be recognized at the annual Celebration of Schools. We have many people/businesses that give time, energy & funds to our schools. The Celebration of Schools recognition is for the exceptional volunteers.

District

The school district will recognize district-wide volunteers once a year at the April board meeting.

District volunteer recognition is for district wide volunteers not for site specific volunteers.

Recognition categories

Our three recognition categories are: business, community member, and parent volunteer.

Decision

School site volunteers are determined by the school principal or principal delegates (i.e. school site council)

District volunteers are determined by the communication committee for 2017- 2018.

Criteria

Business: any business that donates time, energy or funds to a school site.

Community member: a person who does not have a student at that school who donates time, energy or funds to a school site.

Parent volunteer: a person who has a child at that school site who donates time, energy or funds to a school site or district.

Staff: must be a staff member at the school site.

Teacher: must be a teacher at the school site.

All our staff members and teachers do a fabulous job. This award is to recognize if someone goes above and beyond in particular year.

Must be exceptional volunteers that stand out from the rest of the volunteers. Their exceptional service could be based on their hours, years of service, special skill or talent, etc. (If you are in doubt, then just recognize them at a school site event.) You do not need to recognize all categories at Celebrations of Schools if no one stands out as exceptional.

Awards can be given to a group if a group worked together on a project or activity.

Limitation: Can receive the award once every four years.

Deadline

Schools must submit chosen volunteer and business information to Michelle Mayfield two weeks before the Celebration of School event.