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### **HOPE/JOY PARENT ADVISORS NEEDED**

The purpose of HOPE (Hellenic Orthodox Primary Education) and JOY (Junior Orthodox Youth) is to gather and create Orthodox Christian fellowship for children ages 4-7 and 8-12 respectively. By making friendships earlier on, the children will want to come and participate later for GOYA (Greek Orthodox Youth of America). GOYA is a separate organization with their own advisors and coaches.

**Parent Advisors Criteria:** To plan a calendar of fun events throughout the year and to facilitate various activities that bring families together, to allow the children to have fun. Calendar of events must be parish council approved.

Some events/fundraising ideas may include:

- Rec Night & Outings- Kickball, basketball, soccer, bowling, movies
- Crafts - Tie dye, holiday crafts and baking
- Holiday Parties – Halloween, Valentines and Christmas
- Giving Back – fundraising for your organization/church
- Tradition & Faith - Making Holy Bread & tree decorating
- Outings - Movies, skating and bowling

Or bring your own ideas to this organization!

The advisors will assist the Greek Olympic coaches in coordination of the Hope/Joy Greek Olympics which are held annually in May.

*Advisors must be a member in good standing of our church. Please submit a letter of interest on how to bring back this wonderful program by September 15th to [goc.assumption@gmail.com](mailto:goc.assumption@gmail.com) ATTN: Marisa Raptis, PC President. We are looking to have our first meeting in October. Thank You.*