Do you ever feel unappreciated? Does it seem like you only receive thanks on special holidays or staff meetings? Do you sometimes feel like others don’t notice the good things you do and what you have to offer? If so, you are similar to many volunteers.

Volunteer Consultant Karen Reid says that we should recognize and thank our volunteers at least seven times a year. This doesn’t mean holding gala events and awarding trophies. It means taking time to give personal gratitude to volunteers. That could simply be saying words of thanks, sending a card, typing an email, or making a phone call. It could also mean reminding teachers and staff to join you in appreciating those that are appreciated. Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.”

So, on that note, THANK YOU Coordinators!