

# THE DOLPHIN DIGEST

PRESENTED BY THE DESMARES PTO

OCTOBER 2024



## UPCOMING OCTOBER EVENTS

- **FRIDAY 10/4 SPIRIT DAY AND SCHOOL STORE**
- **MONDAY 10/7 THROUGH FRIDAY 10/11 SCHOLASTIC BOOKFAIR**
- **THURSDAY 10/17 PICTURE DAY**
- **THURSDAY 10/17 FAMILY PAINT NIGHT 5:30-7PM**
- **FRIDAY 10/18 WALKATHON**
- **TUESDAY 10/22 PTO MEETING 7PM IN PERSON**
- **FRIDAY 10/25 TRUNK OR TREAT ON FAD BLACKTOP 5-7PM**
- **THURSDAY: 10/31 HALLOWEEN PARADE 9:30AM**



**Francis A. Desmares  
Elementary School PTO**

# **DINE OUT FUNDRAISER**

**Pick-Up Date**

**FRIDAY**

**OCTOBER 4**

**Deadline to Order:**

**THURSDAY OCT 3**

**Pick-Up Location/Time**

**4:30-5:30 pm**

**at**

**Francis Desmares  
Elementary School**

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the Menu**



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# READING IS OUT OF THIS WORLD!

MONDAY OCTOBER 7TH- FRIDAY OCTOBER 11TH  
FAMILY SHOPPING NIGHT IS WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 9TH  
5-7PM



**DESIGN YOUR OWN OUT OF THIS WORLD ALIEN OR UFO!**

**STUDENTS CAN BUILD A UFO OR ALIEN AND SUBMIT IT TO OUR LIBRARIAN MRS. REED BY TUESDAY OCTOBER 8TH DURING THE FALL BOOK FAIR. UFO'S/ALIENS WILL BE DISPLAYED IN THE LIBRARY. EACH GRADE WILL HAVE ONE LUCKY WINNER!**



**SET UP YOUR EWALLET HERE!**

**YOU CAN ALSO SEND IN CASH OR A CHECK MADE OUT TO FAD PTO**



**YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER WILL HAVE A WISH LIST AVAILABLE DURING THE FAMILY SHOPPING NIGHT IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE A BOOK TO ADD TO YOUR CHILD'S CLASSROOM LIBRARY**





# **FAD WALKATHON 2024**



**Our 2024 Walk-a-thon is Friday, October 18! This annual event is a great way for our school community to come together and raise money for our great school. Money raised from this event will help fund assemblies, teacher grants, classroom supplies, the 4th grade field trip, and Teacher Appreciation week, etc.**

**<https://pledgestar.com/desmares/>**

**Desmares Elementary School  
FAD Walkathon 2024**

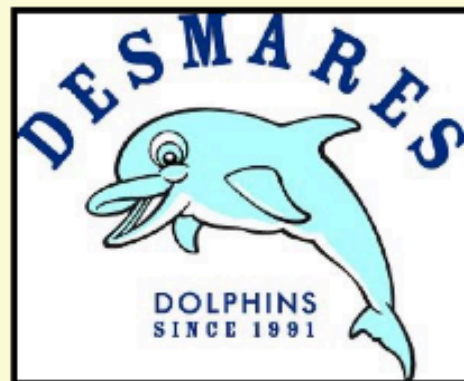


**Scan the QR Code to register and get started.**

***Any questions contact us at [FADPTO@gmail.com](mailto:FADPTO@gmail.com)***



*AND*



**Invite you to a Family Paint Night Fundraiser  
to benefit the Desmares PTO.**

**Join us for a night of painting and a lot of FUN!**

**When? - Thursday, October 17, 2024 - 5:30pm - 7:00pm**

**Where? - Francis A Desmares School**

**16 Old Clinton Road, Flemington NJ 08822**

**Cost? - \$22 per painter (Includes canvas, smock, and all painting supplies)**

**Please include the name of each painter and the canvas he/she would like to be prepared for the session. (The canvas painting options are the: Eagles Helmet, Giants Helmet, Personalized Dolphin, Taylor Swift Hands, or Halloween BOO)**

**Registration for this event will close on Tuesday, October 15th at 9:00pm. Parents must stay and chaperone their children but are welcome to paint a canvas too. For each registered painter, Paint Party Farm will donate \$5 back to the Desmares PTO. We are looking forward to seeing you at the school for a fun night of painting!**

**Questions? - Contact Brian Fisher - [paintpartyfarm@gmail.com](mailto:paintpartyfarm@gmail.com)  
(609) 460-4582**



**Eagles Helmet - Giants Helmet - Personalized Dolphin - Taylor Swift Hands - Halloween BOO**



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JOIN MEMBERSHIP TOOLKIT TODAY!

WHEN WE WORK TOGETHER, GREAT THINGS HAPPEN TO OUR KIDS!

Who is the PTO?

The PTO is made up of several officers:

Kassy George, Co-President  
Melissa Bentley, Co-President  
Meghann Longson, Vice President  
Kaitlyn Boisch, Treasurer  
AJ Garrity, Social Chair  
Lauren Fries, Recording Secretary

Why should I join?

Membership Toolkit allows you to see  
everything your PTO has to offer this  
school year!

You will have access to the student  
directory, you will find opportunities to  
sign up to Volunteer, shop at our online  
school store and much more!



Contact us:  
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\*ONE TIME PAYMENT OF \$20