



Weekly Newsletter

9/9/2018

2018 Walk-A-Thon is almost here!

Our 2018 Fouse Walk-A-Thon is this **Friday, 9/14!** Thanks to your generosity, we have currently raised \$9,864. It is not quite halfway to our goal of \$20,000 but we still have a week to go! We truly appreciate your support. The Walk-A-Thon ensures we have the funding necessary for all of our students to take part in valuable programs and experiences.

We are excited to announce that ALL Fouse students will receive a free Walk-A-Thon t-shirt! Shirck Orthodontics has generously donated shirts for our students. We truly thank them for their support of Fouse and encourage you to consider them the next time you and your family are in need of their services. Shirts will be sent home with all students on **Tuesday, 9/11**, and we ask that **ALL STUDENTS WEAR THEIR SHIRT TO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY, 9/14, FOR THE WALK-A-THON!!!!**

In addition to Shirck, we would like to thank the following businesses for kindly donating to the Walk-A-Thon thus far:

- Craig & Amy Balster, Coldwell Banker King Thompson
- Dr. Ramona Nixon, Ohio Premier Dermatology
- Josh Patton, First Tracks Technology
- Aaron and Lee Knepp, AK Irrigation and Spring-Green Lawn Care
- Northstar Family Dental
- Elissa Hejduk, Planned Communities Realty Co.

We are still looking for business donations! If you know of a business who would like to donate and be included on the banner that will hang outside of Fouse for the remainder of the school year, please pass along the attached Business Donation Letter and feel free to contact us at fousepto@gmail.com with any questions.

If you would like to make a donation, we encourage you to do so early this week! The drawing for the Chromebook will take place on Friday, so please submit your donations by Thursday, 9/13, to ensure all students who donate \$120 or more are included!

Here's the current classroom leaderboard:

Classes with the highest participation:

1. Team Byers-Spurlock
2. Team Ubry
3. Team Corey

Classes with the most donations:

1. Team Corey \$1025
2. Team Kreuzer \$891
3. Team Doone \$740

The classes that bring in the highest dollar amount and have the most participation will participate in a Silly String Party during an extra recess! **Good luck to all classes!**

Calling all volunteers!!! We need volunteers to help out in 1-hour shifts between 10:30am and 2:30pm. Volunteers will help with decorating, first aid, distributing popsicles, greeting/directing parents and walking classes to and from the track. You can even sign up to be the Fouse Fox, our mascot! Your children have worked very hard to raise money for their school and this Walk is their reward: a chance for them to celebrate their fundraising efforts. If you're coming to walk with their child, consider signing up to help that grade.

Here is the approximate walking day schedule:

Morning K: 11:00am
 All Day K: 11:05-11:35am
 2nd Grade: 11:10-11:40am
 1st Grade: 11:35-12:05pm
 4th Grade: 12:05-12:35
 3rd Grade: 12:35-1:05
 5th Grade: 1:30-1:55
 Afternoon K: 1:45pm

We appreciate ALL of the help we've received and just need a few more to make this day a success.

- Day of Walk-A-Thon (9/14) - <https://m.signupgenius.com/#/showSignUp/30e0d45a4ac2aaafe3-dayofwalkathon2>

A+ Award Nominations

Do you know a teacher or support staff that has gone above and beyond? We are now accepting nominations for the fall A+ Awards. These awards are presented to teachers and support staff who distinguish themselves through a single or ongoing demonstration of exemplary performance. For more information or to submit a nomination [CLICK HERE](#). Nominations are due by September 21st.

Schedule for the Week

9/10 (Mon) ---- E Day
 9/11 (Tues) ---- F Day
 9/12 (Wed) ---- A Day
 9/13 (Thurs) ---- B Day
 9/14 (Fri) ---- C Day

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

- Walk-a-thon (See above for sign up)
- Teri Cornell is looking for volunteers to make copies. Please reach out to her at 614-797-7400 if interested.

Next PTO Meeting: 9/19 at 7pm
We will discuss Tech Safety.

Important Fall Dates

September 14 - Walk-A-Thon
 September 19 - PTO General Meeting, 7pm
 September 27 - Early Release (2:30pm)
 October 12 - Fall Harvest Class Parties, 2:30pm (10:30am for AM-K)
 October 17 - Last day of 1st Grading Period

Ways to stay connected

Facebook: Fouse Elementary PTO
 Website: <http://fousepto.weebly.com/>