

# Tuesday Newsday

Your PTC Newsletter September 29, 2009

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## HOW THE JOG-A-THON WORKS

Our big fundraiser this year is our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual jog-a-thon, scheduled for Thursday, October 8th. Here's an explanation of how it will work and how you can help!

1. Kids collect pledges from family and friends. (Do not turn in your envelope until the Jog-a-thon has been held and you have collected your pledges!) To fund all our cool extracurricular activities this year (like Art Literacy, Science Fair, Art Festival, Ice Cream Social, etc), we need to raise \$16,000. This is a fundraising goal of about \$25-\$30 per child. This is not enough to cover our entire budget, but we hope to receive about \$5,000 additional from the Entertainment Book sales.

2. On Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, all kids will participate in the Jog-a-thon during Specials' time throughout the day. Everyone will have the opportunity to run/walk to show his or her school pride. Kids, wear your comfy clothes and your tennis shoes so that it is comfortable for you to walk or run. Show your school spirit and wear school colors (red/black)!

### Here's a schedule of when each grade will run:

Baldwin, Hiatt, DiFabio, Boyd a.m. & Cubley a.m.	- 8:50 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.
Cunningham, Cobain & Goei	9:20 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
Morgan, Carlson & Olson	10:00 a.m. - 10:25 a.m.
Weigel, Pfaff & Hayhurst	10:30 a.m. - 10:55 a.m.
Hunt, Anderson & Martin	11:00 a.m. - 11:25 a.m.
Boyd p.m. & Cubley p.m.	12:45 p.m. - 1:05 p.m.
Shotola, Crnich & Skiba	1:10 p.m. - 1:35 p.m.
Stratton, DiResta & McConnell	1:40 p.m. - 2:05 p.m.
Krueger, Schwindt & Huff	2:20 p.m.- 2:40 p.m.

3. Shortly after the jog-a-thon, your child will come home with a certificate indicating how many laps he or she ran. Please congratulate your child and help him or her collect the pledges. Turn in your collected pledges by **October 19.**

## Upcoming Events

<b>October 1</b>	<b>Curriculum Night</b> Primary 6:30-7pm Intermediate 7:15-7:45pm
<b>October 2</b>	<b>PTC 10am - all are welcome</b>
<b>October 5</b>	<b>LSC Meeting 8am</b>
<b>October 6</b>	<b>Site Council Meeting 3:15pm</b>
<b>October 8</b>	<b>Eagles Run Jog-a-Thon</b>
<b>October 9</b>	<b>NO SCHOOL</b>

## *Parents, please help us with the Jog-a-thon!*

- Volunteers will cheer the students on, mark how many laps the students have run, hand out water, or help prepare certificates showing each child's final lap count.
- Please email Angela Jimenez (angela.jimenez@sextonmountainptc.org) to sign up for a time slot or just show up on the day of the run to cheer your child on.

Thank you for your support of this fundraiser! It enables us to provide so many fun extra activities to our kids!

*If you have an announcement you'd like to share with the Sexton Mountain Community, please submit your article to the Tuesday Newsday editor at [tuesdaynewsday@sextonmountainptc.org](mailto:tuesdaynewsday@sextonmountainptc.org) by 12PM on Friday. All articles are subject to PTC and administration approval.*

**Get the Tuesday Newsday by Email!**

If you returned the green form to sign up to get the TN by email, you will be glad to know that all email addresses are now added to the email list and you should start to get your TN in your inbox this week! If you don't get the TN by email this week and thought you signed up, it is quite possible that we made a typo when entering your name or couldn't decipher your email address. If you want to get the TN by email and currently aren't, it is simple to sign up. Send an e-mail with subject line as **subscribe to news-request@sextonmountainptc.org**



**Thanks to everyone for participating in the Boxtops and Soup Label programs, they are starting to add up big time!!! Keep it up!**

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*Entertainment Book orders were due last Friday, September 25th. We still have some stray books out there, please either return them to the school or, if you would like to keep it, please send a check for \$20. There is still time to order more. Please contact Susanne Melton, at [kiwimelt@comcast.net](mailto:kiwimelt@comcast.net) or 503-939-9009. Thank you.*

*To keep up with the latest news and events, check our website regularly:  
[www.sextonmountainptc.org](http://www.sextonmountainptc.org)*

**RECESS RUNNING CLUB HAS BEGUN**

**Every Tuesday & Thursday during your after lunch recess we will have our RECESS RUNNING CLUB.**

**Run or Walk laps and collect prizes through out the year. A parent volunteer will be out behind the baseball diamond to keep track of your laps. For every 20 laps (5 miles) you get a prize and a ribbon. At the end of the year if you have run the equivalent of a marathon (26 miles) you will received a SEXTON MT. MARATHON grand prize (TBD).**

**This is a fantastic way to stay fit and train for the Jog-a-thon.**

**Wear comfy shoes and we'll see you on the track!!!**

**Mark your calendars. Parent /Teacher Conferences are Monday, November 2 and Tuesday, November 3**