

Penngrove School Jog-a-thon

We need your help and encouragement with the Penngrove Elementary School Jog-a-thon scheduled for Wednesday, August 31st during the school day.

Please encourage your children to work on their pledges in the 15 days following receipt of their Jog-a-thon pledge sheet. In addition to raising money for our great school, there are great incentive prizes for children and their classrooms!

Every child who turns in his/her pledge envelope will be given a raffle ticket for the raffle! For every additional 5 pledges, they will be given another ticket – the more pledges, the better the chance of winning!

The classroom with the most laps (K-3 & 4-6) will win the Spring Jog-a-thon trophies.

The classroom that turns in all their pledge envelopes first will receive an ice-cream party (the deadline is Friday, September 16th).

The classroom that raises the most funds will receive a pizza party.

And a special one for all of our teachers:

The teacher whose class turns in all of their pledges first (the deadline is Friday, September 16th) wins a \$50 gift certificate to a business of their choice.

The teacher whose class raises the most funds wins a \$100 gift certificate to a business of their choice.

Each grade will jog/walk around the track for 20 minutes. We are hoping that all teachers will participate as well! Parent volunteers will mark off each student's lap card as they pass the finish line. We will provide oranges and water after the 20 minutes of exercise and then students will return to class. Each grade will be out of class for about 40 minutes.

In preparing for the event, you may want to practice jogging/walking laps with your children, discuss health/fitness, discuss how to get pledges, and explain to them how the actual event will run.

We encourage the entire school to wear their blue for the Jog-a-thon.

We appreciate your support and enthusiasm in making our Jog-a-thon a huge success! Please contact us if you would like to volunteer to help out at this event.