

# St. John School Jog-a-thon 2020 Presented by Atlas Construction Specialties

The 8th annual St. John School Jog-a-thon will take place the week of **September 28 – October 2**. Our goal is to raise **\$80,000**. This fundraiser helps support the school's operating budget; providing funds for school supplies, PPE, technology enhancements, and support staff. All students in PreK-8<sup>th</sup> grade are encouraged to participate. Rain or shine, students will run/walk a course in and around campus at a scheduled time during the week of **September 28 – October 2<sup>nd</sup>**. We are extending Jog-a-thon over the course of a week so students can run safely in small groups while still enjoying this fun tradition! Logistical details and information on designated running times will be provided in the coming weeks.

- The school is asking each family to fulfill their pledge of \$100.
- Families striving for \$150 will qualify students for entry into a raffle for \$25 Scrip.
   Raffles will take place on 9/23, 9/24 and 9/25. Drop off your coupon anytime up until September 25<sup>th</sup> in the Snoopy Library outside the main school building on 79<sup>th</sup> street.
- The CLASS with the most donations by 12:00pm September 25th gets to choose the 2020 Jog-a-thon Theme Song!
- Families with over \$300 in pledges/donations by October 9th qualify students to receive a Cash Grabbin' Gecko surprise.
- BACK AGAIN THIS YEAR!!! Thanks to our sponsor Springfree Trampoline, for every \$200 raised per family, your family name will be added to a RAFFLE TO WIN A SPRINGFREE TRAMPOLINE! Increase your odds of WINNING...Your family will earn an ADDITIONAL RAFFLE ENTRY FOR EVERY \$50 DONATION BEYOND \$200. Turn in your donations by October 9<sup>th</sup>.

**AWARDS**: Awards are given to the grade that raises the most money, the top 3 student fundraisers, and the class that runs the most laps. Certificates will be awarded to the boy and girl in each grade that runs the most laps/miles.

**JOG-A-THON SHIRTS**: Jog-a-thon shirts will be available for pick up the week of **September 14th**. Students, teachers, and families are encouraged to dress crazy for Jog-a-thon! *Crazy hair, socks, and athletic wear are encouraged*.

MONEY COLLECTION: Fundraising starts September 8! We are excited to continue the donation and donor outreach process this year through the website 99Pledges. Students will be able to reach out to friends and family electronically by email, Facebook and Twitter. Donors can make a contribution to support your student with a simple and secure online transaction. Parents will receive an email from 99Pledges with a link to your student's pledge page on Tuesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>. Send a personalized email to share the link! You may also find your student's page here beginning on Tuesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>: https://99pledges.com/fund/StJohnSchool2020

## **THANK YOU SPONSORS:**



### **Campus Jog-a-thon Protocols:**

Running days and schedules will be released soon and available for pickup along with t-shirts and a running map. Please be prepared to follow the distancing guidelines and safe (fun!) practices noted below for the 2020 Jog-a-thon:

- Each homeroom class will be divided in two and those pods will run together to keep our student numbers small. Please come at your specified pod time and follow the map and signage for staging. A staff member will provide instruction upon arrival.
- One household per student will be permitted on campus
- Masks are required for all families, students, and staff (children 3 and under are excluded)
- Parents will be responsible for marking laps on their child's t-shirt (markers will be provided on site)
- Parents will bring personal water bottles for their student
- Boxes will be marked on campus for families to stand when cheering on their children
- Please follow the map for entrance and exit flow (for parking, please note that 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue NW is still closed for the Safe Streets Program)

# **Running from Home:**

Families not able to attend or those not comfortable with attending the Jog-a-thon week are encouraged to have their students get dressed up and run laps at home! Count those laps.

### We Encourage:

- Noise makers! Cheer the students on by clapping and with noisemakers!
- Parents and siblings: dress the part as well! Wear St. John colors and pull out the wild hair styles!
- Togetherness! While maintaining safe distances, the Jog-a-thon is the first school activity of the year where students can see their classmate pod and it's a great opportunity to kick of the year "together"
- Video! Please do FaceTime or video chat with grandparents or other relatives so they can be present while at home

Let's keep it safe and have fun! Thanks for your support of St. John School

Questions: Contact our Fundraising Coordinator- Andrea Marquez: amarquez@st-johnschool.org



# JOG-A-THON | TRAMPOLINE | RAFFLE - OCTOBER 16th |

Families with \$200 in Jog-a-thon donations or pledges will be entered into a drawing to win a Springfree Trampoline! Your family will earn an additional raffle entry for every \$50 beyond that amount. Good luck!

**Student Name** 

Teacher

Parent Signature



JOG-A-THON | RAFFLE | STARTS | WEDNESDAY, SEPT 23rd |

Has your family met or exceeded the \$150 level in pledges/donations? Your student(s) qualifies for daily raffles to be held between September 23rd -25th.
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Student Name

Teacher

<sup>I</sup> Parent Signature