



WALKER PTA Newsletter

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

February 2019

Eat at Dengeo's for Walker, Wednesday, February 6th, All Day

Take a day off from cooking and support Walker! Mention Walker when you order from Dengeo's (3301 Main St, Skokie) and 20% of proceeds from your purchase will go to our school.

Join us for our 11th Annual Parent's Night Out Silent Auction, Saturday, February 9th, 7:00pm

Join us at Five & Dime (1026 Davis Street, Evanston) and eat, drink, and socialize while supporting our awesome school! Cost is \$25 per person. You can pay at the door or in advance ([click here](#)). There will be food and a cash bar, along with amazing auction items and buy-in parties!

Proceeds go towards our 2nd and 5th grade 10-week art residencies in the spring done through The Changing Worlds organization. They foster inclusive communities through oral history, writing and art programs that improve student learning, affirm identity and enhance cross-cultural understanding. The program engages students through collaborative work and expands the ways in which students make meaning of the curriculum.

Parent Teacher Conference Week, Mon-Thurs, February 11th - 14th

Let's show our teachers and staff some love while they stay late for Parent-Teacher Conferences! The PTA is hosting a small potluck in the teachers' lounge to keep the teachers hydrated and stocked with treats & snacks. Please sign up to bring something by clicking one of the following links: for [Tuesday](#) or for [Wednesday](#). Coordinator Last Name: Sacluti, Password: Walker

February PTA Meeting, Wednesday, February 20th, 7:00pm

Please join us for this month's meeting. A few members of the Friends of Robert Crown board will present information on the new center planned to open in August and answer questions from Walker families. We will be meeting in the school cafeteria and will provide childcare in the gym. We hope to see you there! Click [here](#) for a list of our future meetings and agenda.

PTA Movie Night, Saturday, February 23rd, 3:00pm - 5:00pm

We're having a movie night at Walker! Please come hang out and enjoy a movie and some popcorn with us. We'll also be serving warm beverages for the adults in the cafeteria. Students will be voting and the movie will be announced soon. We'll be showing the movie in the auditorium and have the gym open for the kids that would rather be running around playing. This event is free and open to the community.

5Essential Survey

Please take the 5Essentials Survey! We need at least 20% of the school to participate in order to get the results back! It gets feedback from teachers, parents, and students on our school. Click [here](#) to take the survey. Deadline is February 15th. Thank You!!!

Walker Green Team

We'd like to start a Green Team at Walker to introduce more environmentally friendly programs to our school. We are looking for anyone who is interested to volunteer for the team or be the team leader. Please contact Erin Sacluti (erinsacluti@gmail.com) for more information.

Walker Staff Spotlight: Ms. Edens

We want to welcome Ms. Edens to Walker! She will be filling in for Ms. Lumpkin during her medical leave of absence. Ms. Edens is a former District 65 teacher and administrator - working in District 65 for 36 years! We are happy to have her join our community!

Important Dates:

February 6th:

Early Dismissal, 12:05pm

2nd Grade Evanston Swims, 12:05-3:35pm

Eat at Dengeo's Fundraiser

February 9th, 7:00pm:

Parent's Night Out

February 11th-14th:

Parent Teacher Conferences

February 12-13th:

PTA Potluck for Teachers

February 15th:

No School

February 18th:

No School: President's Day

February 19th:

Spring Enrichment Class Info Will Be Sent Out

February 20th, 7:00pm:

PTA Meeting

February 23rd, 3-5pm:

PTA Movie Night

February 25th:

Deadline for Spring Enrichment Sign-Up

February 26th, 6:30-9pm:

Walker ESSCA Serve Day

February 28th, 6:00pm:

World of Walker Performance

March 4th:

Spring Enrichment Starts

Click [here](#) for our online calendar

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