

Demarest PTO News

Week of October 1, 2018

AUTUMN

OCTOBER

- Fri 10/5 DMS Picture Day
- Mon 10/8 Columbus Day, Early Dismissal 12:30 pm
- Tue 10/9 Art Card Orders Due
- Wed 10/10 International Walk to School Wednesday
Gazebo 7:30 am
- Wed 10/10 CRS Picture Day
- Thu 10/11 8th Grade Parent HS Orientation, NVHS
7:00 pm
- Thu 10/11 LLE Picture Day
- Fri 10/12 8th Grade Student HS Orientation,
NVHS 8:30 am
- Sat 10/13 Oktoberfest, Duck Pond 10:00 am
- Tue 10/16 BOE Meeting 7:00 pm
- Wed 10/17 No Homework Night
- Wed 10/31 Halloween Parade, CRS 1:00/LLE 2:15 pm

NOVEMBER

- Wed 10/31 Halloween Parade, LLE 2:15 pm
- Thu 11/1 PTO Meeting, LLE 6:30 pm
- Thu 11/8 School closed Teachers' Convention
- Fri 11/9 School Closed Teacher's Convention
- Tue 11/20 BOE Meeting 7:00 pm
- Wed 11/21 Early Dismissal 12:30 pm
- Thu 11/22 School closed Thanksgiving
- Fri 11/23 School closed Thanksgiving
- Tue 11/27 CRS/LLE Book Fair
- Wed 11/28 CRS/LLE Book Fair



Demarest Walks to School -
Wed, October 10, on International Walk to School Day. Meet at 7:30 am at the Gazebo for breakfast bites then walk to school together at 8 am. Please note, this is not a drop off event.



Presidents' Corner

It's October and Fall is in the air! Enrichment has begun and our Middle Schoolers have Picture Day this Friday. We continue to encourage you to visit our website at DemarestPTO.org for updates, news and upcoming events. We have a lot coming up soon- our annual Walk to School Wednesday morning meet up at the Demarest Duck Pond, Ice Skating Party, and our 2nd Annual Fall Social, PTO "Parent Time Out" on November 14th. Have an idea on how we can help our schools? Let your voice be heard and come to the next PTO meeting on November 1st or write us at president@demarestpto.org Remember, it's never too late to join the PTO and everyone is always welcome at our meetings!



DAA Travel Basketball try outs are October 9th, 11th, and 15th.

It's Basketball Season! Travel Basketball tryouts are now open for registration. Log into Community Pass and register register.communitypass.net/Demarest Please visit www.daarec.org for time and details. CONTACT: The Basketball Commission with questions - travelbasketball@daarec.org

Interested in
Cub Scouting?



**JOIN
TODAY**

Fun! Friends! Adventure! Open to **ALL GIRLS & BOYS** starting Grades K through 5th are invited to join the **Cub Scouts**. It's never too late to START SCOUTING!

Adventures include camping opportunities, model building and racing (Pinewood Derby), Field trips, games and achievements with your den and overnights at museums/aquariums/battleships. Questions? Contact Pack Leader Rob Kalajian closterpack20@gmail.com or 4th Grade GIRL Den Leader/2nd Grade Boy Den Leader Erica Song erica_song@hotmail.com.



Supermarket Gift Cards are available for purchase. When you buy Shop Rite or Stop & Shop gift cards from the PTO, you get the full value of the card, PLUS 5% of your purchase is placed in a personal family account for your child's 6th and 8th grade trips. The link to purchase cards can be found here <https://demarestpto.org/2016/06/07/supermarket-gift-cards/>. Questions? Contact supermarketgiftcards@demarestpto.org.



To keep aware of PTO happenings including these newsletters, please check into our website frequently at - www.demarestpto.org and like us on Facebook at Demarest PTO and Demarest 07627.



Your child will be coming home with a packet which includes his/her artwork on a notecard and information about our annual **PTO Art Cards Fundraiser**. We hope you will participate in this Fundraiser and have your child's artwork professionally printed on heavy, glossy white card stock -- at a great price! They make wonderful holiday/birthday/thank you cards (or for any occasion)! The deadline to return the packet with payment is **October 9**. Please remember to fill out the enclosed form as well. Feel free to contact Cyndi Weil with questions at cynthiaweil@gmail.com or 917-822-4215.



The Spring Fundraiser will have their 1st meeting of the year. To be held on **October 10th**. Details to follow. Questions? Contact Springfundraiser@demarestpto.org

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Oktoberfest and Craft Show at the Duck Pond is Saturday, October 13th, 10:00-5:00 pm! Come on by for crafts, inflatables, German music and food, and Korean food. Go to <http://www.demarestnaturecenter.org/oktoberfest/> for more information



Got news?

If you have something to contribute to the newsletter, please send your information to ptonews@demarestpto.com. Approved news received by *Friday* will be published in the following week's newsletter.



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