

Demarest PTO News

Week of January 21, 2018



2019 JANUARY 2019

Mon 1/21 School Closed - MLK Day; PD staff
Tues 1/22 Enrichment Classes Begin
Tues 1/22 BOE COW & Regular Meeting, 7:00 pm,
CRS Media Center
Wed 1/23 - Thu 1/24 DMS Book Fair



Fri 2/8 Lunar New Year Celebration
Fri 2/8 - Sat 2/9 DMS School Play 7:00 pm
Tues 2/12 BOE COW & Regular Meeting, 7:00 pm,
CRS Media Center
2/18-2/22 School Closed - Mid-Winter Recess



Thu 3/7 PTO Meeting LLE 6:30 pm
Tues 3/12 BOE Prelim Budget/COW 7:00 pm
CRS Media Center
Thu 3/14 No Homework Night
Sat 3/16 International Day LLE 12:00 pm
Tues 3/19 BOE Regular Meeting 7:00 pm
CRS Media Center
Thu 3/21 Coffee with the Superintendent
8:30 am, DMS
Fri 3/29 First Grade Play 1:30 pm



Spring 2019 Enrichment Classes
begin this week, January 22.



Presidents' Corner

Hope you all had a nice 3 day weekend and stayed warm! As we head into our 4 day week... look out for the DMS book fair on Wednesday and Thursday and the close of the second marking period on Friday! Our Spring Fundraiser committee is in full planning mode and can always use the support of all the parents whether it's big or small. Please commit to asking a business that you frequently support for just one donation for the Demarest PTO Fundraiser and send it directly to Vanessa McAndrews and Lisa Jesner! If everyone could bring in just one donation it would make a huge difference. Let's show our support for our Demarest Schools!

Please remember to check the PTO website for news and announcements and feel free to email us at president@demarestpto.org for opportunities to volunteer, ideas, or questions.

Have a great week!
-Sara and Lorna



DMS Book Fair. The annual DMS book fair will be held on January 23 and 24, with a set up date of January 22.



**SAVE THE
DATE!**
MARCH 22, 2019
@ MONTAMMY
GOLF CLUB

AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED
HELP SUPPORT OUR SCHOOLS
Have an auction item to donate?

□ event tickets □ special experiences □
vacation and travel □ gift certificates □ services □
luxury goods □ retail items □ etc.

Big or Small, your donation is invaluable!
Contact SpringFundraiser@demarestpto.org



Demarest children grades 1-8 are invited to join the **Demarest Chess Club**. All levels of chess players, from beginners to expert, are welcome!
There is no fee to join. The Chess Club will meet at the Demarest Library every **Saturday, from 10-11:30 am**. Attendance every Saturday is welcomed, but NOT required. A parent / authorized adult must remain in the library building with children 12 yrs of age and under during that time. For more information, parents may email: demarestchess@gmail.com



The PTO is seeking 5 volunteers for the 8th grade dance committee. Please respond if interested no later than Friday 1/25 to patricia.alevrontas@gmail.com. The selection of 5 individuals will be on a first come first serve basis. Meeting time and location will be emailed to the selected individuals. Thanks so much!

Thank you to all the volunteers for the 4th grade moving up ceremony. Congratulations to the selected volunteers. Best of luck planning!



DEMAREST PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION
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New members can always join the PTO at join.myschoolanywhere.com. Use the join code **demarestpto** and purchase a family membership.



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

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