

Wednesday, April 5, 2017

Dear Students, Parents, and Guardians,

This year the students of St. Francis of Assisi School, grades 1-8, will be participating in their fifth annual Walk-A-Thon event on Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, held at Mount Saint Michael Academy. Our theme this year is: "Be Our Guest" at our Disney themed walkathon. This is a wonderful community-building event for the school, and an important community service project for the students. This year we will be fundraising for two causes. A portion of the proceeds from our walkathon will benefit The American Cancer Society and a portion will go to the Technology Classroom Initiative for St. Francis Of Assisi.

Today each student will receive a pledge request letter and a pledge sheet log. We ask each student to find friends, family or others to pledge money to support our event. After collecting their pledges, the student should return his/her pledge log sheets and donations in a sealed envelope to their homeroom teacher. Please make sure the student's name and amounts are on the outside of the envelope. We will continue collecting until the day of the event. Students may send in different pledge logs at different times and the teachers will keep a running list of amounts collected.

More information will follow about specific details of the day of the event, and of course we will need volunteers to help make our event a success. If you have participated in past years, you know they are a lot of fun! The Walk-A-Thon is a great opportunity for everyone to help increase awareness and it is also an exciting day with many activities enjoyed by all. We are looking forward to another wonderful time together.

Thank you in advance for your help and support in making this event a great success!

Mr. Marc Silva

Mr. David Berry

Ms. Maria Potorti

## PLEDGE REQUEST

Dear Family and Friends,

Part of our mission at the St. Francis of Assisi School is service. It is important that we help those in our school and neighboring communities. In as much on Friday, May 25, 2017 my school, St. Francis of Assisi School, will hold its 5th annual Walk-A-Thon event to benefit the American Cancer Society and the Technology Classroom Initiative. Our theme this year is Disney, because we hope to make our school the happiest place on earth. We will spend the day walking the track, participating in fun events, and helping to fundraise money for these worthy causes.

Please help support our event. Every donation counts whether \$5 or \$50. Every dollar raised can make a difference. All donations are tax deductible and help others stay well, get healthy and support finding a cure. Please help me be a superhero by making a donation to our cause.

Thank you for your help with this event.

With heartfelt thanks,



