

September 15, 2023

PTA NEWS

McKee PTA Weekly Update



October 4, 2023
Celebrate with a Moe's Taco Kit!

MOE'S SALE

Did you know Oct. 4 is National Taco Day? Celebrate by ordering a Taco Kit!



Approx. 25% of proceeds benefits McKee PTA



YEARBOOK

Classroom photographers are still needed for: Orndoff, Hamm, McKee, Napoleone, Burdick, Short, Schumacher and Fuccy. Sign up at www.mckepta.com.



OPEN HOUSE

Don't forget to stop by the PTA table for spiritwear and to check out Bruster's Ice Cream, Dahntahn Dogs and Royce Concessions for a bite to eat.

MCKEE PTA's 14th ANNUAL WALK-A-THON is SEPTEMBER 29th!

Walking Times

Kindergarten and 3rd Grade: 10:00AM - 11:00AM

4th and 5th Grade: 11:00AM - 12:00PM

1st and 2nd Grade: 1:30PM - 2:30PM

WALK-A-THON



Find all of the details on the following pages.

WALK-A-THON



WWW.MCKEPTA.COM



BOX TOP\$ APP

Did you know that Box Top collection is now done directly from your phone? Download the app, select McKee Elementary as your school and start scanning!



WALK-A-THON: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW



What is the Walk-A-Thon?

McKee's annual Walk-a-Thon is a school wide fundraising event where the students ask friends, family, neighbors, community members, etc. to sponsor them as they walk laps around the McKee soccer field. It's a fun event for our students!

Note: All students will participate regardless of fundraising efforts.

Is it a per lap donation?

No, donors can choose any amount to donate. It is not a per lap donation.

Can I or another family member walk with my child?

Yes, absolutely. We do ask for a \$5 walking buddy donation on the day of the event which is collected at the Registration/Check-In table. Look for the "Registration/Check-In" signs when arriving.

How can donations be submitted?

We accept the following payment options:

- 1) Cash/Checks made payable to 'McKee PTA' (blue or black ink only)
- 2) Cheddar Up Donation Site



What do the students do during the walk a thon?

Students are encouraged to walk 3 laps or more around the field. There will be music, snacks (apples generously donated by Half Crown Hill Orchard), water available to help the students to stay hydrated and they get to enjoy the fresh air and sunshine.

What are this year's incentives?

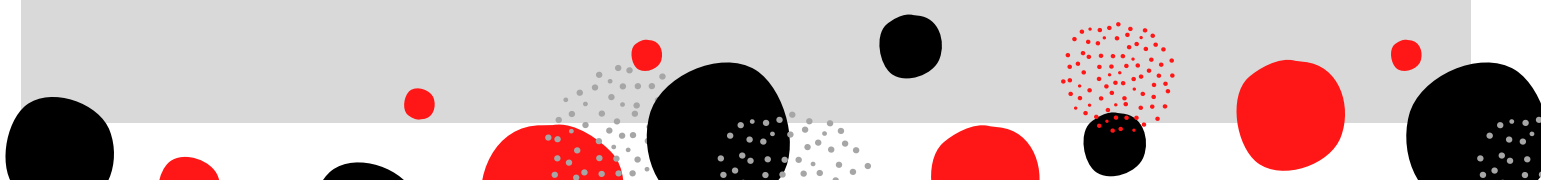
- Collect one donation (any amount)..... receive a WA waterless tattoo to wear the day of Walk-a-thon
- Collect \$50..... receive 20 extra minutes of recess!
- Collect \$85..... receive a customized drink tumbler PLUS entered in a drawing to win one of two \$25 gift certificates generously donated by Pro Bike Run
- Collect the most in donations in your classroom..... receive a \$10 Scholastic gift certificate to use during the next in person book fair
- 3 Grand Prizes (generously donated by the North Fayette Police Department) will be awarded to the top three students who collect the most in donations.
- Classroom Prize: For the classroom that collects the most in donations, they will get to have an Ice Cream Party!!

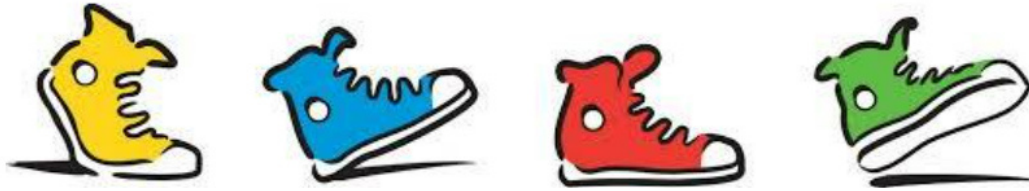
I would like to volunteer; how can I find out more information on volunteering?

We are so grateful for your interest in volunteering! Please visit the volunteer page on our website to sign up: www.mckeepta.com/volunteer.

I have more questions, who can I contact?

Please contact Jessica Gamet at mckee.walkathon@gmail.com with any questions regarding WAT.





McKee PTA's Annual Walk-a-Thon

Friday, September 29, 2023 @ McKee Elementary Soccer Field

Help support the PTA while also promoting physical fitness by donating to our Walk-a-Thon fundraiser. Students will collect donations, then walk laps around the McKee Soccer Field at their designated time.

100% of all donations support the McKee PTA:

- \$25 helps buy items for Indoor Recess
- **\$85 fully funds the PTA budget for one McKee student**
- \$100 sends (4) McKee students on a Field Trip
- \$400 fully funds the McKee Talent Show

All McKee students will participate in the walk:

- Kindergarten and 3rd Grade: 10:00 am - 11:00 am
- 4th and 5th Grades: 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
- 1st and 2nd Grades: 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

*(Parents: Come to the school and walk with your child for a minimum \$5 "Walking Buddy" donation, payable at the PTA Registration table) ****Note that pets are not permitted on school grounds.***

Additional donations also accepted during Walk-a-Thon at PTA Registration table.

Spiritwear Samples will be displayed. Limited items will be available for sale. (Credit Cards will be accepted!)

Awards:

3 Grand Prizes!

To the THREE students collecting the most money

Collect \$50

Extra 20 Minutes of Recess!

Collect \$85

Receive a customized drink tumbler
PLUS
Entered in a drawing to win one of two \$25 gift certificates

Donated by Pro Bike Run

Collect One Donation

West A Face Tattoo to wear at Walk-a-Thon

Classroom Prize

Ice Cream Party for the students in the classroom collecting the most money

Please return Sponsor Sheets with Donations to school by Wednesday, Sept 27th.



Contact Jessica Gamet (walkathon@McKeePTA.com) with any questions.

McKee Elementary PTA Walk-A-Thon



Friday, September 29, 2023



Please support the McKee PTA while also helping to encourage health and fitness among McKee students by donating to our Walk-a-Thon fundraiser. Students can raise money for PTA funded programs by asking friends, family, neighbors, and other community members to sponsor them as they walk laps around the soccer field.

All pledges are a flat donation rather than a per-lap pledge.

STUDENT'S NAME _____

Student's Grade _____ Teacher _____

Please return this form, with donations, in an envelope marked "Walk-a-Thon" with your child's name and teacher by **Wednesday, September 27, 2023.**

Payment Options:

1) Cash/Checks made payable to 'McKee PTA'
(Blue or black ink only)

2) PayPal payments to PayPal@McKeePTA.com
(Include student's name/teacher and 'WAT' in PayPal Notes)



PayPal

3) Cheddar Up Donation Site: <https://2023-walk-a-thon-donation-collection-41652.cheddarup.com>



Every student that collects at least one donation will receive a 'WA' face tattoo on the day of Walk-a-Thon!

Every student that collects at least \$50 will receive 20 min extra recess!

Every student that collects at least \$85 will receive a commemorative drink tumbler!

Donor's Name	Donation	Payment Form
		(Include sender's Email if PayPal)
1. _____	\$10 ___ \$25 ___ \$50 ___ \$85 ___ Other _____	_____
2. _____	\$10 ___ \$25 ___ \$50 ___ \$85 ___ Other _____	_____
3. _____	\$10 ___ \$25 ___ \$50 ___ \$85 ___ Other _____	_____
4. _____	\$10 ___ \$25 ___ \$50 ___ \$85 ___ Other _____	_____

Please attach additional sheets if needed.

Total Amount Collected \$ _____ (Goal: at least \$85/student)

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Taco **WeaNeSday**

McKee Elementary PTA Fundraiser



Pre-order now for the McKee Elementary School PTA Taco Kit
Pop-Up Fundraiser on Wednesday, Oct 4th, 2023 – ***National Taco Day!***

25% of all Taco Kit sales from this event will go toward supporting the PTA!

Pick-up will be on Wednesday, Oct 4th in the McKee Parking Lot -
1501 Oakdale Rd, Oakdale, PA 15071 at 5:00-5:30 PM.

Order Deadline: Orders must be placed by Monday,
October 2nd at 12PM. No orders can be accepted on-site and
pre-orders spots available are limited, so don't wait!

Follow this link or QR code to place your order!
<https://form.jotform.com/232433891969167>

