



DAILARD DAYS

Dailard Elementary

October 2010

Issue 2

PTF President Message

Did you know that our PTF, not the City or State, pays for Dailard's classroom grants, computers, web-based programs, Arts Attack, assemblies, and Run/Walk program? Help keep these, and much, much more, at our school. It's our Dolphin Pledge Drive that pays for much of this. Thinking bigger? So are we! If we surpass our fundraising goals, we'd like to fund a PE teacher, build a Science Lab, or enhance our Arts. As you can see on the scale to the right, many families have already generously donated though we are still far from our goal. If you have not yet turned in your pledge donation, please do so as soon as possible. Every dollar counts.

In the spirit of "Striving for ExcellenceFocused on the Future," together we can show our kids how much we care.

In Appreciation,
Shayna Kaufmann

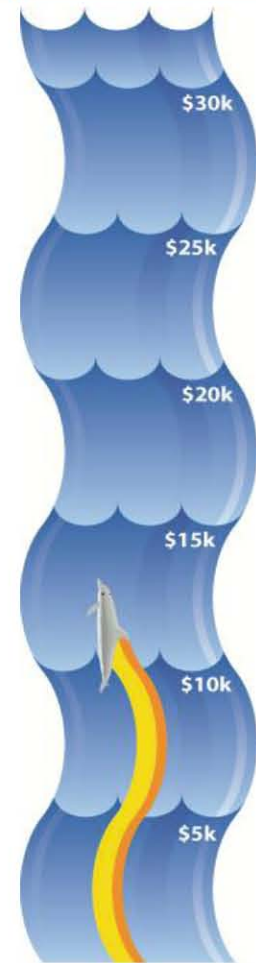


2010-2011 Run and Walk Program

The Run and Walk Program is already off to a great start this academic year. Students have the opportunity to participate in the program by either running or walking during the 10 AM recess on Tuesdays and Fridays. This parent run program uses a non-competitive, incentive based format to encourage physical fitness. All 1st - 5th grade students can participate regardless of their athletic ability. Participants can earn the following incentives:

- 1 toe token = 20 laps/5miles
- T-Shirt = 80 laps/20 miles
- 1 medallion = 50 miles+
- 1 large toe token = 75 miles+

Additional volunteers are needed to ensure that this program remains successful. Please contact Deb at djmcdaniell1@cox.net or Carrie at siwelac@att.net if you are interested in helping.



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Top 5 Things You May Not Know About Mrs. Carter

5. Last winter I traveled to Russia to help my friends adopt their second child (my god-daughter). A bit chilly in December and January, but worth the adventure and a healthy little girl!
4. Cooking for my family and friends is a favorite hobby. I would love to attend a week-long cooking school in Italy.
3. I love everything tropical! The weather, the water, the sand, the sun, the palm trees, the flip-flops, the smell of suntan lotion, the relaxation....
2. If I hadn't become a teacher, I always thought I might like being an architect, or hosting my own show on the Travel Channel.
1. I enjoy being a teacher because I have always loved school, and I am a kid at heart.



Mrs. Carter in front of the Hermitage Museum, in St. Petersburg, Russia.



Can you spare a few hours?

Pizza Wednesday needs more parents, even if it is only 1 shift a month.

Looking for a longer commitment?

We are looking for a Run/Walk Program Chair.

Love to write?

We are looking for someone with grant writing experience to help us identify and apply for possible grant opportunities.

Interested?

Contact Sheila Gigante or Jen Sothras

The Bully Game

In celebration of **Red Ribbon Week**, the PTF sponsored the "Bully Game" assembly. A nonstop, action packed, high energy program designed to prevent bullying, repel peer pressure & improve our students' overall school experience.

The assembly was conducted as a game show, with some of the students as contestants. The entire audience was engaged and everyone learned a valuable lesson about how to prevent bullying. Show your **commitment** to making healthy choices, wear **red** on 10/26.



Fundraising Opportunities



Dailard Shopping Night Thursday, October 28th 4 - 8 PM

F & E has generously offered to give Dailard PTF 5% of all sales between 4 - 8 PM on 10/28. Mrs. Escalante & Ms. Portillo will be helping shoppers bag up groceries! The class with the most shoppers will win an ice cream party, compliments of F & E!

Please come out and shop!



Looking for a fast, easy way to support Dailard? **Sign up for escrip.com!** It's fast & free, and can earn thousands for Dailard!

Here's how it works:

1. Logon to www.escrip.com & choose Dailard PTF as your group.
2. Register your existing grocery store club cards, debit & credit cards for use in the program.

Participating merchants will make contributions to Dailard, based on purchases made by you, just by using the cards you have registered.

Some participating merchants are Keil's, Vons & Claim Jumper.

You can link to your favorite merchants also online (Amazon & Pottery Barn) through the e-scrip website & earn even more!

Questions or need help registering, contact Holly Keehn at keehn@cox.net



Help our school earn FREE SUPPLIES!

Our school can earn credits equal to 5% of qualifying school and office supply purchases. Every time you shop at Office Depot, remember to give Dailard's school ID # 70013844.



The holiday season can be stressful

Make life easier by taking your holiday family photo by

Darryn St. John Photography

**Sunday, November 7th &
Saturday, November 13th**

20 minute sessions will be held at Dailard. A portion of the proceeds will benefit Dailard PTF

Various photo packages will be available to meet everyone's needs.

A sign-up sheet & photo package information will be posted in the school office. A limited number of sessions will be offered, so sign up quickly.

Email dsjphoto@yahoo.com or call 619-392-9355 with any questions.

www.dsjphoto.com

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Upcoming Happenings!



Red Ribbon Day – Please Wear RED

Tuesday, October 26th

Pizza Wednesday Halloween Bash

Wednesday, October 27th noon

Fresh and Easy Shopping Night

Thursday, October 28th 4:00 – 8:00 PM

Friday Flag & Halloween Parade

Friday, October 29th, 7:50 AM

SD Food Bank – Holiday Food Drive

November 1st – 19th

Programs Meeting- Teacher's Lounge

Tuesday, November 2nd, 7:00 PM

First Grade Family Math Night

Thursday, November 4th, 5:30 – 7PM

Darryn St. John Photography

Sun, Nov 7th & Sat, Nov 13th

PTF General Meeting- Multi Purpose Room

Tuesday, November 9th, 7:00 PM

PTF Board Meeting-

Tuesday, November 9th, 5:30 PM

Veterans Day Holiday - No School

Thursday, November 11th

Family Fitness Night – Zumba

Thursday, December 2nd 6:30 PM

Programs and Event Chairs

2010-2011

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