



NORTHFIELD COMMUNITY SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION



NCS PTO Monthly Newsletter

March
2018

WELCOME TO THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR

ON THE CALENDAR

A Boosterthon Blast!

As you know, the entire Northfield Community School was having an absolute blast over the past two weeks. We welcomed the Boosterthon team to NCS and kicked out fundraising efforts up a notch by getting every single person involved and excited.

Leading up to the highly anticipated fun run, the students took part in class huddles that helped to promote fitness, encourage leadership, and build character. This helped to get them plenty excited to then come home and share it with you!



The day's glow run truly got everyone on their feet jumping (and running!) with joy. Best of all, we were able to raise a fabulous amount of money for our school while having plenty of fun! Together, we ran 19,273 laps and raised a whopping

\$17,394

This is a huge feat and we are thrilled to be able to put those funds to good use by continuing to sponsor the many programs and events that NCS offers.

Do you still want to show support for your favorite runners? No worries! All students can continue to accept pledges and collect donations through Thursday, March 8th!



March

- **Thursday, March 1st**
Boosterthon Fun Run
- **Friday, March 2nd**
SCHOOL CLOSED – Staff In-Service
- **Wednesday, March 7th**
School Picture Day
- **Saturday, March 10th**
10th Annual Dave's Day
- **Monday, March 12th**
Midweek Family Meals Dine-In Dinner Night at Chido Burrito
- **Wednesday, February 14th**
National Pi Day
- **Thursday, February 15th**
NCS PTO Monthly Meeting
- **Wednesday, March 21st**
Special Person's Day, Elementary School
- **Thursday, March 22nd**
Special Person's Day, Middle School
- **Thursday, March 29th**
Single Session Day
Tri-M Induction Ceremony
- **Friday, March 30th**
SCHOOL CLOSED – Spring Break



The icing on the cake, of course, was the run itself!



Dine-In Midweek Family Meal

Keeping in line with the hope to provide families the opportunity to enjoy one another's company, we're adding a fun twist to this month's Midweek Family Meal.

Instead of opting for a quick pick up, we have partnered with Northfield's very own Chido Burrito to schedule an exciting evening for you. With great food and a cool vibe, we want you to head out and dine-in!

Visit Chido Burrito on **Monday, March 12th** for dinner from 4 until 8pm and a portion of your meals' proceeds will be donated back to the Northfield Community School Parent Teacher Organization.

Simply show the [event flyer](#) (paper or cell phone image) to your server and you're all set!

Fun Fact – The Midweek Family Meal fundraiser helps to pay for the year's class field trips!

It's the 10th Annual Dave's Day

Join us on **Saturday, March 10th**!

This all-day event honoring Coach Dave Lewis is now in its 10th year and we are excited to kick off all of the fun. A \$20 admission includes a t-shirt and all-day access. The Dave's Day committee has organized a day filled with Basketball Skills Clinics & Challenges, entertainment, snacks, food, and a variety of exciting prizes to be won in the auction.

Basketball Clinics & Skills Challenge –\$20

9:00am – Grades K-2
 10:30am – Grades 3-4
 12:00pm – Grades 5-6
 1:30pm – Grades 7-8

In the evening, the High School 3-on-3 and "Celebrity" Basketball game take place.

Please see the [flyer](#) for further information.



Spring Fling

The Northfield Community School PTO is thrilled to continue the tradition of the annual [Spring Fling](#). Now in its 10th year, we're giving it a little twist. This time around, join us for an exciting event with the laid-back vibe at **Clancy's by the Bay** in Somers Point.

Saturday, April 14th
6:30 until 8:30pm

Presale tickets for the event, for the cost of \$40 per person, will soon be available for purchase. Keep an eye out for this announcement.

The ticket price will be raised to \$45 at the door the night of the event.

If you or someone that you know might be interested in donating to this year's auction or would like to become an event sponsor, please reach out to the PTO via email at PTO@ncs-nj.org.

In addition to the hors d'oeuvres, music, and silent auction that you've all come to know and love, we will also be incorporating an exciting Chinese auction to the night's festivities. So far, we have numerous great auction items including an American Girl doll, overnight stays at Borgata and Resorts, a family photo session, athletic training classes, Spartan Race tickets, school experiences, sports memorabilia, spa treatments, and so much more! Further adding to the fun, we are ecstatic to be able to announce that we will also have a 2-hour open bar including domestic beers and house wines!



NCS PTO BOARD NOMINATIONS

Nominations for the 2018-2019 NCS PTO Executive Board election are now open and, as an election year, we are officially accepting nominations for all board positions.

Are you a natural born leader? Do you have a knack for planning? Are you a number cruncher? Do you love to keep things organized? Are you excited to share new ideas? Do you enjoy being involved in school events? Are you interested in helping to raise money for the school? Do you want to learn more?

If so, join us! Nominations are due by 4/30.

- [NCS PTO Nominations Ballot](#)

Questions? Contact PTO@ncs-nj.org