



# Roadrunner Reminders

Week of October 30th

## What's Happening?

**Half Day of School on Tuesday, October 31st--Dismissal is at 12:10 p.m.**

Halloween Parade at 10:45, see details about this event located at the bottom of this newsletter.

**Family-School Survey-Closes Tonight at 11:59 p.m.**

P-CCS invites you to take part in its [2023 Fall Family-School Relationships Survey](#). The survey window is open now and will close tonight, Sunday, October 29th at 11:59 p.m. We value your input and will review this as a school team. Thank you in advance for completing this survey!



Direct URL: <https://surveys.panoramaed.com/pccsk12/fall2023fam/surveys>

**Scholastic Book Fair Coming Soon-Volunteers Needed**

Our Scholastic Book Fair is November 13th through November 17th.

Return [this form](#) to volunteer.



There are "Dog gone" amazing books coming to the Gallimore Scholastic Book Fair! The book fair will run from **Monday, Nov. 13 - Friday, Nov. 17**. If you can volunteer, please fill out the form below and return it as soon as possible to your student's teacher or Mrs. Larsen. The book fair and the PFO are the library's main funding source so we look forward to making it financially profitable as well as fun for our students, staff, and families.

**Please circle time(s) you can volunteer:**

Monday, Nov. 13: 9:00 am - 11:40 am or 1:15 pm - 4:00 pm (Book Fair Preview)

Tuesday, Nov. 14: 9:00 am - 11:40 am or 1:15 pm - 3:45 pm

Wed., Nov. 15: 9:00 am - 11:40 pm or 4:00-7:00 pm (½ Day Conferences)

Thurs., Nov. 16: 9:00 am - 11:40 (½ day Conferences)

Friday, Nov. 17: 9:00 am - 12:00 (Pack up)

Volunteer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer email (very important!): \_\_\_\_\_

Classroom Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Important Dates

### October

#### Oct 31st:

- 10:45 a.m. outdoor Halloween parade

- Half day of school K-5 with dismissal at 12:10 p.m.

### **November**

- **Nov 6th:** PFO Sponsored Color Run in the afternoon (Volunteers needed, see sign up below)
- **Nov 7th:** No School for Students
- **Nov 8th:** Picture Retake/Makeup Day
- **Nov 15th and 16th:** Half Days of School due to Family and Teacher Conferences-dismissal at 12:10 p.m.
- **Nov 18th:** PFO Sponsored USA Hockey Night (see flyer below)
- **Nov 22nd to 24th:** No School, Thanksgiving Break



[Click here for the entire P-CCS 2023-2024 School Calendar](#)

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## **PFO (Parent Faculty Organization)**

### **Color Run Volunteers Needed**

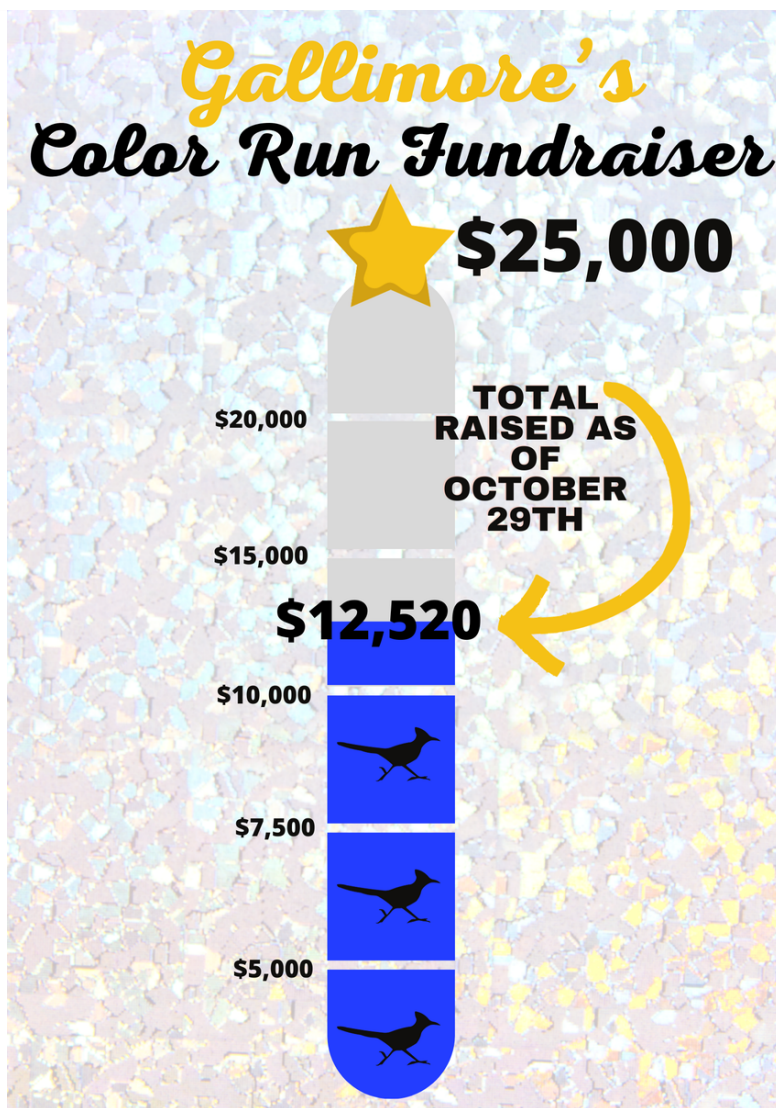
To make our Color Run a huge success we need your help!  
Volunteers are essential and we have many spots to fill.

😊 **Sign up here to volunteer:**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090B44A5AF22A0F49-45700449-roadrunner>



Families are invited to watch the event as it will take place on the school playground. For planning purposes please note that the event will take place in the afternoon on Monday, November 6th. A specific schedule for your child's grade level will be shared this week!



### Class Standings

- 1st place: Ms. Cunningham \$2,483
- 2nd place: Mrs. Juriga \$2,139
- 3rd place: Mr. Matt Gold \$1,333

### How to Participate

Our Color Run is on Monday, November 6th. This will be a fun event for our school community and is a great way for us to fundraise so that we can add additional things to our classroom and our school. There are a few important steps that your child needs to take to participate in this fundraiser and the Color Run event! [-->Click here to follow progress or donate.](#)

- Register for this fundraiser on the Pledge star website (<https://pledgestar.com/gallimore/>)
- Send at least one email to someone requesting that this person support our school (this email could go directly to you or to other people who may be interested in supporting your child)
- Sign and return the [Color Run Waiver](#). This gives your child permission to participate in this event.



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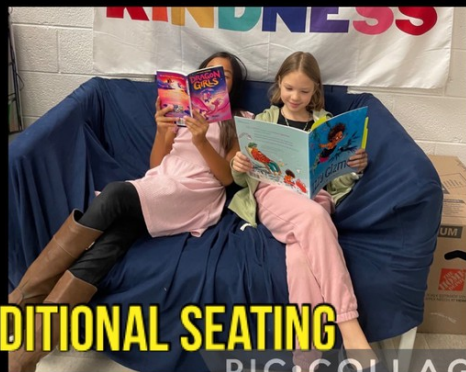


**SUPPLIES**

## Items Purchased With PFO Funds



**CLASSROOM GREENHOUSE**



**ADDITIONAL SEATING**

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# USA HOCKEY NIGHT

TICKETS: \$15 EACH



*Gallimore students  
will perform the  
National Anthem*

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**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18**

**USA Hockey Arena 14900 Beck Rd. Plymouth, MI 48170**

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A portion of each ticket sale will benefit Gallimore!

The opportunity to participate in the chuck-a-duck fundraiser  
(cash only) will be available!

Doors open at 6:00. Game begins at 7:00.

Tickets must be purchased by Sunday, November 12. Tickets  
can be purchased on PTBoard. If paying by cash or check,  
please return the below information with your payment.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of Tickets \_\_\_\_\_



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## Walking Club 20 Mile Globe Winners



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### Previous Gallimore News

#### Halloween Activities

We will have an outdoor Halloween parade at 10:45 a.m. Families are invited to join us outdoors on the blacktop located behind our school for a short parade of costumes. **Please note that if the weather does not cooperate the parade will be canceled rather than moved indoors.**

Please support your child at home by helping them to find a costume that is appropriate for school. Costumes should not include a lot of blood and gore, students cannot wear a mask as a part of their costume, and absolutely no "look a like" weapons can be brought to school. If a student has a question about their costume they can take a picture and send it to me via email at [aimee.bell@pccsk12.com](mailto:aimee.bell@pccsk12.com)



**Finally, if you would prefer that your child does not participate in Halloween activities in the classroom or as a part of a parade please email the classroom teacher.** This is a scheduled school

day and we will have alternate activities set up, outside of the classroom, for students who will not be participating in Halloween activities.



## Birthday Celebrations

At the start of the school year we shared this document with families: [Gallimore's birthday treat practice](#). Please review this communication if your child has an upcoming birthday and they want to do something special at school.

When students celebrate their birthday on a school day we want to keep the celebration about the child, so we ask that families do not send in individualized treat bags for students in the class. As a school we celebrate birthdays by sharing the students name on the morning announcements and often classroom teachers have a special way that they honor birthdays as well. Also, in just a few weeks you will see information from our media center about our Birthday Book Club. If you sign your child up for this opportunity they get to choose a book that is donated to the school library with their name on the inside cover in honor of their birthday!

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## Information from P-CCS

### Hate and Bias Reporting Form

Hate and Bias Reporting Form ([Click here](#)) This is a safe online reporting platform for P-CCS students/ families to document incidents of hate and bias in our schools or at school-related events.

### Learn More About Human Trafficking

The Office of Student and Family Engagement invites parents and guardians to learn more about the **frightening world of human trafficking**. This informative presentation with Homeland Security Investigators will take place on Wednesday, November 1, at 6 p.m. at Canton High School in the Little Theatre. Special Agents Sarah Pettey and Valentina Seeley will define human trafficking, provide indicators to look out for, resources for victims, and how to report human trafficking. [Register for the presentation on Human Trafficking here.](#)

### Homework 101: Navigating Middle School

Join the Office of Student and Family Engagement for **Homework 101: A Family's Guide to Middle School Work** at Home on Wednesday, November 1, at 10 a.m. at the Canton Public Library or on Thursday, November 2, at 6 p.m. at West Middle School. This P-CCS Family Academy event focuses on creating effective tools for your child's homework confidence and success. You will have two opportunities to take advantage of this important workshop. Participants will walk away with tutoring resources, at-home strategies, and the latest homework research. This session is intended for upper elementary and middle school parents and guardians.

[Register for Homework 101 here!](#)



## Stay Connected and Contact Us

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