



Roadrunner Reminders

Week of December 4th

Gallimore Good News!

Gallimore Elementary School has been ranked the No. 1 elementary school in Michigan this year, according to [U.S.News](#) and World Report. This announcement of Gallimore's top spot in the state follows our prestigious designation as a 2023 National Blue Ribbon school, making our school one of the country's highest performing schools.

This designation is based on data gathered by U.S. News and World Report. The article sites that 100% of Gallimore's students scored at or above the proficient level for math, and 100% scored at or above that level for reading. Gallimore is the only elementary school in Michigan to report 100% proficiency in reading and math!

Congratulations to our students, staff and families on this amazing accomplishment! We are so proud of our students and their commitment to growing as learners and community members!

What's Happening?

Students in grades 3 through 5 are invited to design our yearbook cover! Designs are due by Friday, December 15th. See details below for how to participate.

HELP US DESIGN OUR YEARBOOK'S COVER



#1 Come to the office to get a white cardstock.

#2 Design a yearbook cover.



#3 Add some color using:
SHARPIES, MARKERS OR
PAINT MARKERS.



#4 Turn it in the office by
Friday, December 15th.



#5 One design will be selected
for the 2023-2024 Gallimore
Yearbook.



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Don't miss out!
(No te lo pierdas!)

Your school memories from cover to cover

Tus recuerdos escolares de principio a fin.

Visit ybpay.com to order your yearbook **today!**

(Ingresa a ybpay.com para encargar tu anuario hoy!)



Scan to order today!
(Echa un vistazo para encargar hoy!)

Order Deadline:
Fecha Tope Para el Pedido:

Apr 12, 2024

Yearbook ID Code:
Código ID del anuario:

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Contact our Help Center for assistance at lifetouch.com/support-us. Select Yearbook Orders for assistance.
Comunícate con nuestro Centro de Ayuda para recibir asistencia en lifetouch.com/support-us. Selecciona Pedidos del Anuario para recibir asistencia.

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Gallimore Has Spirit!

Let's Show Our Gallimore Spirit



DECEMBER 8TH

Cozy Winter Socks

wear your most cozy winter socks



DECEMBER 15TH

Comfy Sweater

wear your warmest winter or holiday-themed sweater.





FOR A SHORT VIDEO
FROM MRS. BELL

Let's Get Connected

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As you know, students at Gallimore School represent schools from across the Plymouth and Canton attendance area. This means that families are less likely to know one another from the neighborhood which can make it more difficult for students and families to connect outside of school.

We have the answer! Please [watch this video](#) to learn how you can get connected via the Gallimore School Directory! **Thank you in advance for your participation!**

Important Dates

December

December 7th:

- Last Day for Winter Care Package Donations
- Caroling in Plymouth-Thank you to Mrs. Covington for organizing this!

December 8th:

- Complete the PTBoard Directory link so that your family can connect with others!

- Cozy Winter Sock Spirit Day

December 15th:

- Yearbook Cover Designs due
- Comfy Winter Sweater Spirit Day

December 18th: PFO Sponsored Skating Night

December 25th to January 5th: Winter Break



January

- January 8th School Begins Again
- January 15th-MLK Day-No School for Staff and Students

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

PFO (Parent Faculty Organization)

Family Game Night-February

Our PFO Board is looking for a few parents who might be interested in coordinating a Family Game Night. We have ran this even at Gallimore in the past and have many notes regarding how it has been organized. If you are interested in learning more about this event so that you can decide if you are able to help please email Amanda Krinke at admin@taggallimorepfo.org



Previous Gallimore News



Gallimore SEL (Social Emotional Learning) Book Resources for Families

Does your child struggle with friendships, anxiety, or another social-emotional skill? Gallimore has a [picture book collection](#) that includes books related to common social-emotional needs that we see in students. If you are interested in checking out a book from our collection, fill out [this form](#) and someone will contact you about getting the books. Note that some of them are virtual videos. If your child has a specific social-emotional need

that is not listed, contact Ms. Gennaoui and she can support you in finding a book that meets your child's needs.

YOU CAN HELP ANYONE IN NEED



NHS Seniors from Salem High School are working with Gallimore Roadrunners to collect items for winter care packages to distribute to the homeless in Detroit.

You can donate

- Socks
- Hats
- Gloves
- Unopened tubes of toothpaste
- New toothbrushes
- Toilet paper rolls
- Hand warmers

Bring all donations to Gallimore's office by:
Thursday, December 7th



Information from P-CCS

2024 SJ5K

The SJ5k is an annual event organized by students at PCEP to support local Plymouth-Canton families facing life-altering circumstances. We need YOUR help to nominate this year's recipient families. The purpose of this form is to nominate as many Plymouth-Canton families as possible to receive proceeds from the SJ5k.

If you know a family that finds themselves with a specific need (outside of normal living expenses) that could not be attained without the proceeds of the SJ5K during the next calendar year, please fill out the following form - [2024 SJ5K Nomination Form](#)

Visit www.sj5k.org for more information.

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PCEF (Plymouth-Canton Educational Foundation) Needs Your Support!

The Plymouth Canton Educational Foundation has had a busy year fulfilling its mission to provide meaningful financial support for teachers, students, and programs that are not otherwise funded by the district's operational budget. To continue its work, PCEF needs your support.

The Foundation's success depends on the generosity of donors. It can make a lasting difference in a student's life and deliver enrichment and innovation to the P-CCS classrooms. In 2023, PCEF donated nearly \$85,000 in classroom grant awards to deserving teachers, over \$50,000 in scholarships to P-CCS graduates and contributed to clubs, organizations and programs throughout the district.

Make your donation by visiting www.mypcef.org

Fire Safety Presentation: December 5th

Get fired up for our upcoming event all about fire safety. Kymberly Pashowsky, MI Prevention/CRR Division Chief for the Bureau of Fire Services will present fire and carbon monoxide safety, along with tips to keep your family safe during the holidays. Families can also sign up to receive free smoke alarms and installations. All P-CCS families are welcome to join us for this special presentation on Tuesday, December 5, from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Canton High School DuBois Little Theater.

School Crossing Guards Needed

P-CCS is in urgent need of school crossing guards for various locations across the District. The position pays \$14.25 per hour and staff work about 10 hours a week. You can view all the details by clicking on the [Crossing Guards Posting](#).

Stay Connected and Contact Us

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