

What's Happening?

Thank You Gallimore Families!

Our teachers and staff felt very loved last week as our Gallimore PFO and families showed love and support during Teacher Appreciation Week.



Thank you for donating our favorite snacks, caffeinated beverages, and sweet treats for the Stock the Lounge event. We also loved the breakfast treats and the amazing lunch from Pita Way! The best part of it all was the supportive words shared during Chalk the Walk and Thankful Thursday. We have many adults smiling from ear to ear as they read notes, posters, and cards from students. A few kind words go a long way!

Our Gallimore School Community always shows so much kindness. Thank you for all you did to support Teacher Appreciation Week!



Chromebook Take Home Program Reminder

If your child participates in the P-CCS Take-Home Program, it officially ends Friday, May 17th. This means that students will have to turn in their charger by this date. Please use a piece of paper or masking tape to label the charger with your child's name and student number.

Recognize a P-CCS Staff Member Who Deserves It

Do you know a great teacher, a special bus driver, a helpful secretary, or any other P-CCS staff member who deserves some extra love? Make a \$25 donation in their name to the Plymouth Canton Education Foundation. We will deliver a personalized certificate of your appreciation, recognize your teacher/staff member on social media, and enter your honorees into a drawing for a \$50 Target gift card! Donations fund teacher grants and other programs that support district families.

Make a donation to the Plymouth Canton Education Foundation (Google Form)



Field Day Volunteers Needed - Wednesday, May 22nd

Field Day is an annual school tradition where students participate in fun, outdoor activities with their classmates. Teachers move from station to station with students as they enjoy different activities organized by Mr. Victor, our physical education teacher. We're looking for volunteers to help assist students at each station on Field Day on **Wednesday, May 22**. Follow the link for more information: 2024 Gallimore Field Day Volunteer Sign-up





3RD GRADE: GREEN



4TH GRADE: RED



5TH GRADE: BLUE



MS. O'CONNOR: TIE DIE



Important Dates

May:

• May 22nd: Field Day

• May 27th: No School, Memorial Day

May 31st: Fun Fair

June

• June 7th: 5th Grade Farewell in A.M.

9:15 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Mr. Robertson and Mrs. Heimberg

10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Mrs. Berry and Mr. Gold

- June 11th: Half Day of School, dismissal at 12:10 p.m.
- June 12th: Half Day of School, dismissal at 12:10 p.m. Last Day of School

Click here for the entire P-CCS 2023-2024 School Calendar



Gallimore Fun Fair, Friday, May 31st

The annual Gallimore Fun Fair is Friday, May 31st. The Fun Fair is a fun, end of the year event, full of outdoor activities that brings our entire school community together. (You can download the Fun Fair flyer here.)

To ensure that this event is a success we need your help. Please consider supporting this event in one of the following ways:

1)Let Gallimore's PFO Borrow something from you: We are looking for folding tables, tents, outdoor games, etc. <u>Click here</u> to see how you can help!

2)Donate items for a raffle basket or money to support a raffle basket item. We are looking for families or businesses that would like to make a raffle donation. The funds raised by the raffle go directly back to the students/classrooms. Donations can be of any value, but may not exceed \$500.00. Please review the information at this link for more details regarding what you might donate. Also, Gallimore is a 501c, so we will be able to provide a tax ID# for donations received.





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Spring Walking ClubThemes:

- 1. Thursday, May 2: Welcome Back!
- 2. May 8: Rock and Run with guitar token
- 3. Monday, May 13: Stick with Fitness
- 4. Friday, May 24: Walking is awesome token
- 5. Tuesday, May 28: Bubble Day!



Spirit Wear is Still On Sale!

Our Spirit Wear Shop remains open but in order to keep pricing fair, low, and maintain inventory our vendor is switching to monthly ordering. Orders will be placed like usual but should be placed by the 5th of each month.

https://burpeeman.com/shop/ols/categories/gallimore

We received great feedback from those who have already purchased regarding the quality of the items and sizing.



Gallimore Good News!

Students from the Green Warriors team presented to classrooms during the month of April. They shared presentations that they created about how to take care of the Earth. In addition to sharing

presentations with students they also spent time planting flowers. The planters near the office entrance look beautiful thanks to the Green Warriors!



Our 5th Graders spent time in Innovation class creating arcade games. Families of 5th graders and Gallimore students were invited to play the games at the recent Arcade Fair. Everyone who participated in the event enjoyed playing the creative games!



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Previous Gallimore News



Copy/Project Help at Gallimore

Thank you to the Gallimore parents who have already helped our teachers to make copies and finish up various projects. New dates have been added to the Sign Up Genius <u>linked here</u>. Thank you in advance for your support!

Vacation Form Reminder and Homework Expectations

If your family is planning to take your child out of school for 3 or more days a <u>Student Vacation</u> <u>Form</u> should be completed and submitted to the office. The form can be sent digitally to Melissa

Lomibao, our office paraprofessional, at melissa.lomibao@pccsk12.com or it can be printed and sent to school with your child. Forms should be submitted 5 days before the start of the vacation.

When students are away from school it is difficult for the teacher to know the exact topics that will be covered each day during the absence. This is because classroom learning is fluid and based on student understanding of the topics and classroom discussions. For more details regarding absences related to vacation please refer to the <u>P-CCS Student Handbook</u>. Page 36 outlines the guidelines for elementary students.

Information from P-CCS

P-CCS K-12 District Art Show

P-CCS arts educators are proud to invite the community to celebrate the work of talented young artists from around the district this month at the annual P-CCS K-12 District Art Show. This year's show will take place on Saturday, May 18 from 11:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at Salem High School. The show highlights pieces created by students from each school in the district. Ribbons will be awarded by celebrity judges to a few works of art from each school.

Summer Recreation and Enrichment Activities

P-CCS Community Education is now enrolling for summer recreation and enrichment activities for youth and adults. Ranging from art to STEM, sports and more. You also may register for P-CEP Athletics clinics (grades 3 to 12, starting as early as May) and Safety Town camp (incoming kindergartners).

Detailed information and a handy camp chart is available at the official Community Ed website: PCCS.REG.ELEYO.COM/COMMUNITYED



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