



# ROADRUNNER REMINDERS WEEK OF MAY 27, 2024

## What's Happening?

### Thank you to our Field Day volunteers

Thank you to the many Gallimore parents and family members who volunteered for Field Day. This was a successful event because of the dedication and support of our volunteers! Thank you on behalf of Gallimore students and staff!



**CEREAL DRIVE**  
Gallimore Collection for  
Gleaners Food Bank  
May 28th - May 31st



The leadership committee is helping 3rd grader Harper Wilcox collect cereal boxes for Gleaners Food Bank to help kids in need during the summer! The grade with the most donations will win a popsicle party!

### Cereal Box Drive begins tomorrow, May 28th

The Gallimore Leadership Committee will be helping **3rd grader Harper Wilcox** [on her annual birthday mission](#), in partnership with Children's Hospital of Michigan, to collect cereal boxes for Gleaners Food Bank to help kids in need during the summer! We will be accepting donations of cereal boxes at Gallimore from May 28th - May 31st. The grade with the most donations will win a popsicle party!

### 5th Grade Farewell Set up and Clean up

It is a Gallimore tradition that 3rd and 4th grade families help with the 5th Grade Farewell. This gives our 5th grade families time to relax and enjoy the event.

We are looking for a few 3rd and 4th grade adult volunteers to help with set up for this event on Thursday, June 6th and to help with the clean up of this event on Friday, June 7th around 11:15 a.m.

Please click on this link if you are able to help: [5th Grade Farewell Volunteers](#).



### Fun Fair Volunteers Needed, Friday, May 31st

The annual Gallimore School Fun Fair is scheduled for Friday, May 31st from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. We are in need of volunteers. Click here to support this event: [Volunteers Needed](#)

We look forward to enjoying this PFO-sponsored community event with students, staff, and families!

**GALLIMORE PFO PRESENTS**

**FUN FAIR**

**HURRY! BOOK BEFORE MAY 24, 2024**

**BOUNCE HOUSE**

**ADMIT ONE RAFFLES**

**GAMES**

**KONA ICE**

**\$10 PER FAMILY (\$15 AT THE GATES)**

**SCAN/TAP TO BUY ENTRY, PIZZA, RAFFLE**

**PIZZA PRE-SALE ONLY**

**31 MAY**

**Gallimore School**  
8375 Sheldon Rd, Canton

**6-8 PM**

**Music**

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## Important Dates

### May:

- 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](#)



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## PFO (Parent Faculty Organization)

As we plan for next year we are looking for Gallimore parents and guardians to join our PFO (Parent Faculty Organization) Board. Members of the PFO Board help to support events that bring our school community together and help to create memorable experiences for our Roadrunners. Please review the information below and let our current PFO Board know if you are interested in helping out.



WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN THE

# GALLIMORE PFO



At Gallimore, we encourage family involvement and invite you to join the Gallimore Parent/Faculty (PFO) organization to help create enriching opportunities for all our students.

## OPEN POSITIONS

- ✓ President
- ✓ Vice President
- ✓ Member-At-Large
- ✓ Color Run Chairperson
- ✓ Fall Family Fun Chairperson

TO LEARN MORE VISIT  
[TAGGALLIMOREPFO.ORG](http://TAGGALLIMOREPFO.ORG)



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## Gallimore Good News!



# Walking Club "20 Milers"



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# Girls on the Run

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## Previous Gallimore News

### Vacation Form Reminder and Homework Expectations

If your family is planning to take your child out of school for 3 or more days a [Student Vacation Form](#) 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](mailto: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 [P-CCS Student Handbook](#). Page 36 outlines the guidelines for elementary students.

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### Emotional Regulation with Dr. Gennaoui



With the weather getting nicer and summer getting closer, this time of year brings up a lot of emotions for kids (and adults!). Especially during this time of year, we often help kids in school with their emotional regulation. Emotional regulation is when you can use a strategy to be in control of your body's responses to big emotions. You might be feeling worried, silly, excited, scared, anxious, angry, or something else, and emotional regulation helps you react in an appropriate way. Here are a few grounding or calming strategies that your kids can use to help bring students

back to the present moment and stay calm in the moment:

- Counting backwards from 100
- Writing or drawing in a journal
- ABC Around the Room - look for objects that start with each letter of the alphabet, starting with A
- 5-finger breathing - students trace the palm of their hand, and breathe in as they go up their fingers, and breathe out as they go down their fingers
- Walk away and take a break
- Physical, structured exercise - do 20 jumping jacks, run in place for 2 minutes, do 10 squats
- Build with legos or plus-plus blocks

You can [click here](#) to read a blog on doing grounding exercises with kids to help them regulate their emotions. After using a strategy, kids might be in a better place to talk about what happened that made them feel angry, worried, silly, etc. And don't forget, we have the [SEL Book Library](#) available to families if you would like to check out books to read with your child related to an SEL topic.

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## Information from P-CCS

### Free Summer Enrichment Camps

Thanks to funding through ESSER 11t, P-CCS will be offering free summer enrichment camps to current P-CCS students with priority enrollment given to students who qualify under the 11t guidelines. These camps will be offered for grades K-12 with sessions running throughout the summer.

Multiple Summer School programs will be offered at P-CEP, including options for credit recovery and course advancement. The deadline to register for in person summer school courses is Friday, June 21 at 10 a.m. Summer school sessions run from June 24 - July 25.

For more information on any of these programs, [check out the P-CCS Summer Programming page.](#)

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### 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)



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## Summer Recreation and Enrichment Activities - Now Enrolling

P-CCS Community Education is now enrolling for summer recreation and enrichment activities for the entire family. Various weekly classes and camps are taking place between May and August, with new courses being added all summer long. Offerings include everything from art to basketball, and more. Detailed information and a handy camp chart is available at the official Community Ed registration site: [PCCS.REG.ELEYO.COM/COMMUNITYED](https://PCCS.REG.ELEYO.COM/COMMUNITYED)

Continuing its partnership with P-CEP Athletics, Community Education is also registering for summer camps and clinics hosted by our high school coaching staff and players. Camp ages range from rising 3rd to 12th grade. Some sessions begin before the end of the school year (as early as the week of 5/28) so register soon. P-CEP Athletic Camp [LINK](#) can also be found on the registration site.

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## Stay Connected and Contact Us



### Our Office Staff (email us by clicking on our name)

[Mrs. Aimee Bell](#), Principal

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