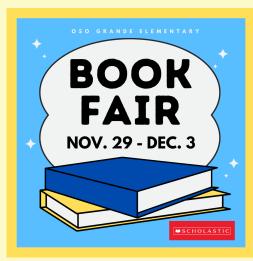


Week 16 - PTA Newsletter

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

The Scholastic Book Fair is HERE!

Students will be visiting the book fair during school hours with their classes. Unfortunately, parents will not be able to accompany their children to the book fair during school hours; however, we have after school book fair hours: Dec. 1 (1:30pm-4pm) and Dec. 2 (5pm-7pm). Parents will be able to shop during this time. Masks are required for entry to the



Book Fair. Entry to the Book Fair will be through the double doors adjacent to the MPR (not through the front office). By entering the Book Fair, visitors are attesting to the Covid-19 Symptom Free & Close Contact Attestations.

Here's what you need to know:

 Our book fair will offer a cash-free payment option called eWallet. It's a convenient digital account that your child can use for shopping at our fair. Grandparents, friends, and others can contribute too! Set up your eWallet <u>HERE</u>.



Watch this clip to learn more about the e-wallet.

 If you can't make it to our book fair, then shop online at our school's virtual book fair. All orders ship directly to your home and shipping is *FREE* for book orders over \$25. Your online orders will also benefit our school. Access our virtual book fair <u>HERE</u>. • Our book fair will have something for everyone on your holiday list and every purchase benefits our school. It's a one-stop holiday shopping for friends and family.

WIN A CHRISTMAS TREE!

Want to win a Christmas tree? Enter the raffle for your chance to win a tree from Scout Forest (\$150 value). Thank you, Scout Forest, for your generous donation. The winner will be drawn at **Friday Flag on Dec. 3**.

WAYS TO EARN A RAFFLE TICKET:

• Give the gift of reading. (All book fair purchases made after school hours on

CHRISTMAS TREE RAFFLE

Wednesday and Thursday will receive a raffle ticket upon request at the book fair.)

- Exchange 10 golden grizzlies for 1 raffle ticket at the book fair.
- Become a 2021-2022 PTA Member. Pay dues online at PTA website. (All members will be automatically entered into raffle)

BOOK DRIVE @ THE BOOK FAIR



Give the gift of reading!

This year we will be having a book drive to benefit Starr King Elementary School in Long Beach. Starr King is a Title I school whose students mainly come from low-income families and would greatly benefit by adding books to their library. Please bring your

books to drop-off or pick-up, or buy a book at the book fair - there will be a labeled box by the checkout area for your book donation. Thank you for your generosity. We will be accepting books until December 3.

WALK TO SCHOOL DAY: DEC 1

Join us **THIS Wednesday, December 1st** (and the first Wednesday of each month) for Walk to School Day. Make it a fun event...walk with neighbors and friends and earn some Golden Grizzlies for your effort!





November 11/29-12/3: Book Fair

December 12/1: Walk to School Day 12/8: Restaurant Night at Chipotle 12/17 - 1/2: Winter Break



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For other PTA questions or suggestions, please contact info@osograndepta.com.

We are always looking for passionate volunteers who are ready to step in with feasible solutions given various circumstances. Thank you your support of our students during these uncertain times!

Join the Oso Grande PTA today!

