

# PTA NEWS



PTA Newsletter: September 25, 2023



## UPCOMING EVENTS

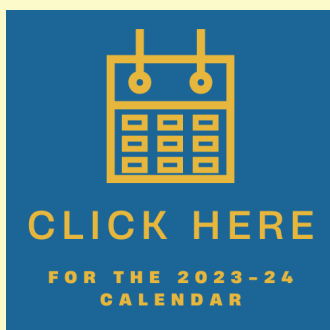


### September

9/25: Reflections Deadline

9/26: Picture Day

9/29: Fun Friday



### October

10/4: Walk to School Day

10/13: Fun Run

10/18: Chipotle Night

10/20: Monster Mash

10/24: Science Camp (5th)

10/27: Fun Friday

### November

11/1: No School

11/8: Walk to School Day

11/10: Veterans Day

(No School)

**11/13:** Red Ribbon &

Kindness Week

11/15: Sponsor Tchr Lunch

11/17: PTA Meeting

11/17: Fun Friday

11/20-11/24: Fall Recess/

Thanksgiving (No School)

*\*Items in red have been updated!*

## REFLECTIONS

Today is the LAST DAY for Reflections Art Submissions!!

It's not too late to creatively depict how you are "Hopeful Because..." in this year's Reflections Art Program!

[Click Here for Submissions](#)

**Due Date Extended through  
Monday, Sept. 25th!**

PTA REFLECTIONS PROGRAM

**CALLING ALL ARTISTS**

Do you enjoy art, music or dance, or have an interest in writing, producing films or taking photos?

Join us and have fun unleashing your creativity with a PTA Reflections art submission!

Online entry form: 



**I am Hopeful Because...**

Explore the arts and express yourself!

2023-2024  
**CALL FOR ENTRIES!**



Learn more and get involved!  
[PTA.org/Reflections](https://pta.org/reflections)

Deadline for Entries:	For Details:
Friday, Sept. 22nd, 2023	Katie Grant: <a href="mailto:artsandservices@osogradepta.com">artsandservices@osogradepta.com</a>

## FUN FRIDAYS



**Fun Friday**  
September 29th  
Oso Grande Blacktop

Interested in spending outdoor recess time with students and facilitating fun games and activities?! We are looking for individuals who would like to help with flag football, sack races, challenge games, arts & crafts, and board games. If you would like to help with this monthly activity, please sign up [here](#). If

you have a specific craft or activity you would like to facilitate, please email Katie Grant at [artsandservices@osogradepta.com](mailto:artsandservices@osogradepta.com).

All volunteers will have to complete the [Tier II Campus Volunteer Form](#).

## INTERNATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

**Walk to School Day**  
October 4th  
7-8:00am  
Oso Grande Elementary

Get stepping with kids across the Globe and join us for International Walk to School Day! Collect those Golden Grizzlies from our morning volunteers, as they inspire you to get

your body moving and walk to school.  
See you Wednesday, October 4th.

**Fun Fact:** International Walk to School Day takes place in more than 40 countries!



## FUN RUN REGISTRATION IS OPEN!



# GRIZZLY FUN RUN 2023

## OCT 13

REGISTER TODAY!

CLICK  
HERE

### GRIZZLY FUN RUN 2023!

October 13th  
Oso Grande Elementary

We're less than 3 weeks from our 2023 Grizzly Fun Run and registration is officially open!

We're so excited that we decided to sweeten the deal - **EVERY classroom with 100% registration by this Friday, 9/29 will win popsicles after school** on kick off day, 10/5!

So click HERE and get registered - it's free and easy. We'll see you on field for the main event on 10/13. More details and grade levels schedules coming soon.

## CELEBRATION BOOK CLUB

Celebrate your child with a new book for  
our library!



Click [here](#) for a walk through of how it works,  
explained by our own Elementary Library  
Media Tech,  
Mrs. Bethany!

Celebration Book Club is a chance to  
celebrate your child's birthday, half-birthday,  
graduation, a special accomplishment, or  
favorite holiday by dedicating a new book to  
our school library!

Your student will select a new book from a  
wonderful collection of the newest and  
greatest books. A bookplate with your child's  
name will be permanently placed inside the front cover. The book will be presented to your  
student either in class (Kindergarten) or at the weekly Friday Flag ceremony (Grades 1-5)  
in the month of the celebration date you choose. Please try to order at least one month  
before the special day/event.



**\*\*Order by dates for October are 10/9, 10/23, and 10/30\*\***

## MONSTER MASH

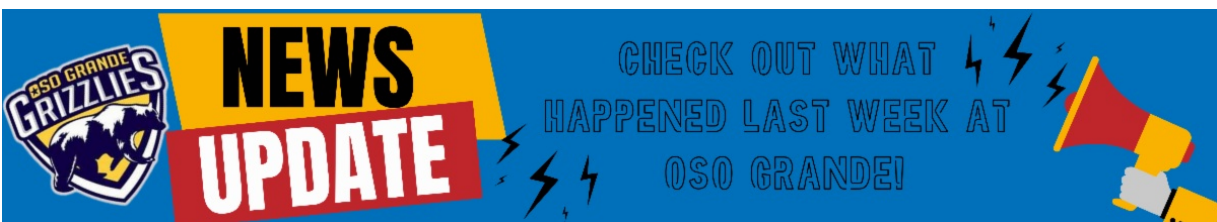


**Monster Mash**  
October 20th  
6-8:00pm  
Oso Grande Elementary

The most spooktacular event of  
the year is right around the corner!  
If you would like to decorate a  
trunk for our Monster Mash Trunk-  
or-Treat or donate candy/small  
toys we would love your support.  
Scan the QR code or click on the  
links below to sign up!

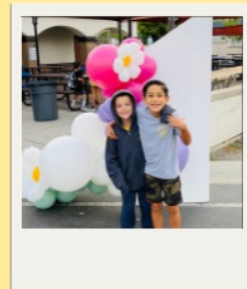
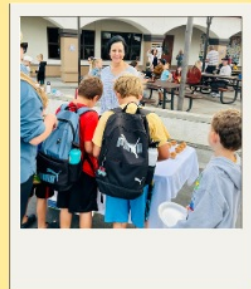
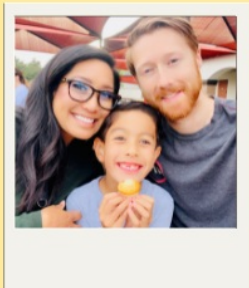
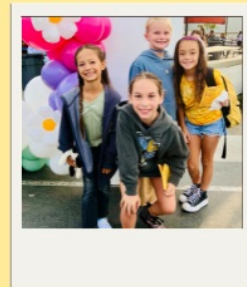
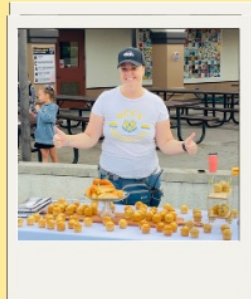
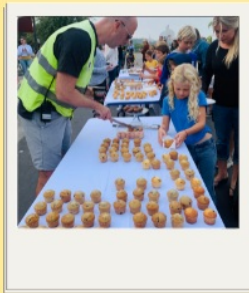
[Click Here to Decorate a Trunk](#)

[Click Here to Donate Candy](#)





# MUFFINS IN THE MORNING!



## DONATE & JOIN THE PTA!



### DONATIONS PER STUDENT



**THE PTA FUNDS  
OVER \$250 PER  
STUDENT  
EVERY SCHOOL  
YEAR!**



**GOLD  
\$250**

INCLUDES

- 2023 - 2024 OSO GRANDE YEARBOOK
- \$15 SPIRIT WEAR VOUCHER AND \$25 BOOK FAIR VOUCHER
- CUSTOM YEARBOOK DEDICATION AD
- BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENT ON SCHOOL MARQUEE
- DONATION KEYCHAIN

**SILVER \$100**

INCLUDES

- 2023 - 2024 OSO GRANDE YEARBOOK
- \$5 SPIRIT WEAR VOUCHER AND \$10 BOOK FAIR VOUCHER
- DONATION KEYCHAIN

**BRONZE \$50**

INCLUDES

- 1 Yearbook
- DONATION KEYCHAIN

### PLATINUM \$500

- INCLUDES
- 2023 - 2024 OSO GRANDE YEARBOOK
  - CUSTOM DEDICATION AD
  - 1 CELEBRATION BOOK CLUB BOOK VOUCHER
  - \$30 SPIRIT WEAR VOUCHER AND \$50 BOOK FAIR VOUCHER
  - BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENT ON SCHOOL MARQUEE
  - DONATION KEYCHAIN

### JOIN THE OSO GRANDE PTA TODAY

**PTA MEMBERSHIP  
\$16  
NO COMMITMENTS.  
NO REQUIREMENTS.**

LET US ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS...

**PTA MEMBERSHIP  
DOES NOT  
REQUIRE ANY  
VOLUNTEER  
TIME.**

**PTA MEMBERSHIP DOES  
NOT REQUIRE YOU TO  
ATTEND ANY  
MEETINGS.  
PARTICIPATION IS  
WELCOMED, BUT NOT  
REQUIRED.**

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*PTA questions or suggestions? Please contact [info@osograndepta.com](mailto:info@osograndepta.com).*

**Join the Oso Grande PTA  
today!**

