

St. Catherine of Siena School



Walk-a-thon 2018

September 2018

Dear Parents,

On Sunday, October 14th from 10:00 to 1:00, we will have our Walk-a-thon event at the San Mateo High School track.

This event will bring the school community together for a fun-filled afternoon. It is a mandatory event as this is one of the two major fundraisings, the other being the Spell-a-thon in the Spring.

Last year's Walk-a-thon was very successful and we were able to provide new laptops for the computer lab for our younger students, K-4. This year we have embarked on a new adventure: provide a Chromebook to each student in grades 6-8, upgrade the internet/web system, and assure consistent tech support to the school. An expensive venture that will give security and stability!

The goal is to raise a minimum of \$100 per family attending St. Catherine of Siena School. If each family brings in \$100 we will raise \$21,000. If each student brings in \$100 we will raise \$31,400. Help us make this fundraising successful so we may provide what is needed for the students.

Prior to the event each student will receive a sponsors' sheet which must be returned to the teacher by Thursday, October 4th. Please help your child to find as many sponsors as possible unless you choose to give a flat fee.

After the Walk-a-thon event, students will have a week to collect the money and turn it in to the office so they may be eligible for prizes. The student, in each class, who brings in the most money (\$100 is the minimum) will receive a prize. The class with the most money brought in will have an ice cream party!

More details and reminders will be sent later.

Thank you for your participation, your support, and your enthusiasm.

Sr. Antonella