



### Wear your turkey gear for our Turkey Trot Walk-a-thon!

#### What is this event?

The annual walk-a-thon! Our first mandatory fundraiser for participating families.

#### Why do we have this event?

Our goal is to raise at least **\$20,000** for our amazing Resource Team, Ms. Patsy Bouvet and Ms. Kate Deaton-Gupta. The work they do supports not only the academic needs but also the social and emotional well-being of our students, especially as we transition from hybrid learning to full-time on-campus learning. Hence we are **“RAISING RESOURCES FOR RESOURCE”**.

#### Event details

The walk-a-thon is Saturday, November 13<sup>th</sup> from 10:00AM to 1:00PM at SFB. The Parent Board will be selling SFB spirit wear. More information is available on our [school website](#) and in a detailed [Information Packet](#).

#### What are the participation requirements?

“Fully Participating” families must raise at least \$150 in family pledges by Tuesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. Families unable to participate must pay a \$200 family buyout by Friday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. Families that miss the pledge payment deadline of Tuesday, November 16<sup>th</sup> also pay the \$200 buyout.

#### How do we register to walk?

Complete participation forms for each walker by Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. Submit one [Student Permission Slip](#) for each student. Each non-student planning to walk (SFB Staff and other participants) submit a [General Walker Registration and Liability Form](#).

#### How can we earn volunteer hours?

Only you can make this a fun and successful walk-a-thon! Earn a max of 10 total family hours by working at and donating towards this event. Sign up by Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> for [volunteering opportunities](#) from 8:30AM through 2:30PM and to [make donations](#) for the purchase of supplies and prizes. Sign up to [volunteer](#) by Sunday, October 24<sup>th</sup> to earn an “Early Bird” bonus hour!

#### How do we submit payments?

Payments can be made online for [pledges](#), [buyouts](#), and [donations](#). Checks made payable to “St. Finn Barr School” may be sent to the school office. Include student name and grade, and the type of walk-a-thon funds on the check.

#### Win! Win! Win!

Prizes will be awarded to the top four pledge earners and top walker in each class. Students of families that reach a **“stretch pledge” goal of \$225** are invited to an outdoor ice cream party!

#### What else can I do?

Promote our event! Share [walk-a-thon info](#) on social media and e-mail those you know to request their support, with [pledges paid online here](#).

#### Who do we contact with questions?

Walk-a-thon Co-coordinators:

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