



NEW INFO BELOW!

Move-A-Thon Friday, May 17, 2019

The Move-A-Thon is a fitness celebration as well as a fundraiser to raise money for Genesee Hill Elementary. If the fox can do it – you can to!

DAY OF EVENT: Students will walk, jog, run or skip for 30 minutes and a lap is approximately 1/10th of a mile. There's music, cheering, water, popsicles, collectible feet charms AND our celebrity runners Mr. Kischner and the Fox! *It's a great event for each student to achieve a personal activity goal AND help achieve a school fundraising goal!*

Please dress appropriately, wear tennis shoes, and bring rain gear if it's rainy. All students will participate in the "Move". Donations are not required but are very much appreciated. A first aid station and field monitors will be on-site for the safety of our students.

FUNDRAISING: All proceeds for the Move-A-Thon go to the PTA General Fund which helps support core fundamental needs for every student this year like our reading tutors, recess supervisors, school supplies, and programs like Passport, visual arts, library, and physical education at our school.

Our stretch fundraising goal for Move-A-Thon is \$50,000 and
if we are successful the whole school will celebrate together with an ICE CREAM SOCIAL

NEW THIS YEAR: This year students can ask family members, friends, and neighbors to support them with the event with a flat fee regardless of the number of laps they complete. We are collecting the donations through Kindful at bit.ly/ghmoveathon students can send an email out to make collecting donations easier. This preferred method of receiving donations will ensure you receive a receipt and that our donations are tracked in the most timely/accurate method. If you prefer not to use Kindful, please use the form on the back of this handout for check/cash donations. The completed form and payment can be dropped off in the black PTA mailbox in the school front lobby. **Please have all donations returned by May 24th!**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: This event requires a lot of volunteer support and every year we have had a ton of fun watching the kids – but our volunteers are amazing!! Keep an eye out for the signup genius link very soon and if you want to check out the list, visit the Move-A-Thon page at geneseehillpta.org/move-a-thon/. You can help cheer on the kids and count laps, pass out water or popsicles, set up or clean up – or heck, you can be the fox!

NEW THIS YEAR: This year we have added a little fun for our volunteers – Spirit Awards! If you are a lap counter or classroom leader, come dressed in your group's color (available on the sign-up genius) and bring the fun! The 2 most spirited groups will win!!

If you have any questions please feel free to reach out to your classroom teacher or moveathon@geneseehillpta.org.