



RACE FOR EDUCATION

sponsored by the: **McKinley PTO**




Friday, April 26, 2019 "RACE" Times:

- *3rd & 4th grade:* 9:15 to 9:45 A.M.
- *5th & 6th grade:* 9:55 to 10:25 A.M.
- *1st & 2nd grade:* 10:35 to 11:05 A.M.
- *Kindergarten:* 1:00 to 1:30 P.M.

On **Friday, April 26th**, McKinley Elementary School will be participating in our 7th annual **Race for Education**. This is our primary fundraiser for the year. We invite all McKinley families and friends to join us in helping to raise funds for extra computers in the classroom, fun and educational assemblies, additional books for the library and classrooms, as well as, family free nights, after school clubs, field trips, sporting equipment, indoor recess activities and other educational resources. Each child will raise funds by requesting that sponsors donate to the **McKinley PTO**. Our goal this year is to raise \$20,000. **If each McKinley family raises \$50, we can exceed our projected goal!**

Students will have the opportunity to walk, jog, dance, run through an obstacle course and play other fun games at our McKinley field within thirty minutes. There will also be a D.J. playing child-friendly popular music and drinks for students.

Students and classes will also have an opportunity to compete for a number of prizes based on their participation in raising funds for their school:

-  The family in each grade that raises the largest dollar amount of cash will receive a **\$50 Amazon gift card**. There will be one \$50 Amazon gift card **PER GRADE!**
- The class that raises the largest dollar amount of cash will receive a **Chromebook** dedicated to their classroom. 
- Each class that has 100% participation will receive a  popsicle party.
- A special prize will be given to all students who participate in the **Race for Education** event.
- If we reach our goal of \$20,000, Ms. Kim and staff members will play **Egged On!**

This year, you will have the opportunity to use **different ways to obtain sponsors**: the traditional method of using address labels and mailers; creating a personalized account online that you can share with family and friends via email or social media; or a combination of both. Specific instructions are contained in the attached material. Please join us in this very special and important event. **We look forward to seeing you on April 26th!**

Sincerely,
Principal - Marie Salle Kim
Co Chairs - Magin Clark & Tasha Jaworski

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