

Durant Road Middle School PTA

Monthly Update

January 2019



Happy New Year! I hope 2019 is off to a great start for you and your DRMS Dolphins.

Spirit Night – Jan. 15, 6-8 pm, Manhattan Pizza

Speaking of fun events, our January Spirit Night will be held at Manhattan Pizza in the Falls Pointe shopping center on the corner of Durant and Falls of Neuse roads. From 5-8 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 15, DRMS will receive 20% of sales to customers with a paper or digital flyer. Paper flyers will be sent home next Friday (Jan. 11) with each student, and digital copies will be posted on PTA social media accounts and electronic communication lists.

Splash Dash fundraising starts soon!

Next week, your child will bring home a flyer with details about the Splash Dash, a color run held in April to raise money for technology needs and have fun as a school community. Each student will have the opportunity to raise funds online or in person for this event, and to receive a DRMS Splash Dash T shirt.

We are still actively recruiting event sponsors, so please contact Amy Fulk (919-523-8335 or amyfulk@yahoo.com) if you know of a local business who might be willing to support our school. We will also need volunteers in April to help make the Splash Dash a fun and successful event! More details will be included in the information sheets being sent home with students next week.

Spirit Wear

We will continue to sell Spirit Wear this month at Open House on Jan. 10, as well as during lunch on Friday, Jan. 25. We recently received a new shipment of our popular hoodies and they are selling fast! Hoodies come in gray or black and are \$24. Long-sleeve shirts are \$16, and short-sleeve tees are \$12.

As always, please feel free to email durantroadmiddlepta@gmail.com with any questions. Thank you for your continued support!

Jen Oldson, PTA President

UPCOMING EVENTS

January

10 – Open House, 6-7:30 pm. Our Spirit Wear store will be open and the DRMS Jazz Band will perform.

11 – Report cards are sent home for students in Tracks 1/2/3. Flyers for Manhattan Pizza Spirit Night and Splash Dash information will also be sent home.

15 – PTA Spirit Night at Manhattan Pizza, 5-8 pm. Our school will receive 20% of sales to DRMS friends and families during this timeframe – printed or digital flyer is required. *Location: 9660 Falls of Neuse Road, Suite #133 (near Harris Teeter and the Learning Express)*

16 – High school registration parent information session, 6:30-7 pm.

21 – MLK Jr. Day/No School

25 – Last day for Track 3; Spirit Wear store is open during lunch periods

28 – Welcome back Track 4!

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE PTA! We have a number of ways to share information about school events:

Email: durantroadmiddlepta@gmail.com

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/DRMSPTA/>

Google Group: <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/drms-pta>

Memberhub: (you can join the PTA and pay dues on this site):
<https://drms.memberhub.store/>

Twitter: @drms_pta

DRMS Website:
www.wcpss.net/domain/3290

Join our PTA Remind:
<https://www.remind.com/join/pta1819>