



2012 Jog-a-thon Overview

In this packet, you will find a list of important dates and deadlines, sponsorship forms, t-shirt and hat order forms, and pledge cards for each child. This information will also be posted on the Holy Family School website.

For those new to the school, the Jog-a-thon is our school's second biggest fundraiser. The students run laps at the South Pasadena High School track for one hour to earn the pledges they have collected from family and friends. The Parent Guild generously provides students with a Jog-a-thon t-shirt they wear on the day of the event. And the t-shirts may be worn on PE days following the Jog-a-thon. Each year we choose a new logo to print on the t-shirts.

Congratulations James Galang!

James Galang in the 3rd grade designed the winning logo for this year's Jog-a-thon. We received more than 75 outstanding entries, and we thank all the students who participated.

Jog-a-thon is on Thursday, March 1st. The students will be dismissed at noon that day.

Students receive a free Jog-a-thon t-shirt. The Parent Guild will be purchasing the t-shirts for students once again. Students wear the t-shirt on the day of Jog-a-thon. After Jog-a-thon, t-shirts may be worn on PE days.

Jog-a-thon is a great school event and fundraiser. Please consider becoming a sponsor of Jog-a-thon. All **sponsorships and pledges** are counted towards your annual fundraising goal. For the past few years, the cost of signs, tax, and t-shirts has risen, and to reach our goals, the sponsorship levels are increasing minimally, just \$10 more this year.

Pledges are a set amount versus a price per lap. This offers our students an opportunity to help raise money as well. Please turn in pledges with the completed pledge card this year. Free dress raffle tickets may be turned in as you receive pledges.

Show school spirit. The t-shirt and hat order form provides various options to show school spirit on the day of Jog-a-thon and beyond. Please note: teachers will be coordinating student t-shirt orders, but if you want to purchase additional t-shirts, please use the enclosed form.

Volunteer. Your class Jog-a-thon coordinator will be reaching out to you for many volunteer positions. It takes many people to successfully put this event together, and we look forward to seeing you on the track!

Donate. We recognize our students, families, teachers and staff for amazing efforts related to Jog-a-thon, such as running the most laps, raising the most money, getting the most pledges and more. If you have access to grocery store gift cards, theme park passes, sports-related items, restaurant certificates or other items for prizes, please let us know. Or if you are interested in underwriting any other items we need, we would be so grateful!