



SGCS 10th Annual Hike- A- Thon

SGCS is excited to kick off our biggest annual fundraiser, Hike-A-Thon! This is the 10th anniversary and we are looking forward to raising funds to support our students educational opportunities and have fun doing it! Funds are used in a variety of ways including: increased technology, new books, a new piano, new basketball hoops, specialized art supplies, and agriculture supplies. Most importantly, funds allow us to go on even more EIC related field trips than the general budget allows. Every dollar truly helps in making all of this possible. We are looking forward to another successful event this year, and ***we need your help!***

GETTING STARTED...All students will write letters during school on Friday, Sept 14, asking friends and family to sponsor them for **Hike-A-Thon (Oct 12, 2018)**. In order to accomplish this, we need **every** student to bring the names and addresses of 10 or more friends/ family members on the enclosed sponsor information sign up/ sheet. Think of your holiday list, friends, neighbors, coworkers, and family. Addresses can be out of town, even out of state. Addresses can be for anyone that you feel will help support your child and fundraising success. (Please note: If you have 2 children, you do not need to have 20 different addresses. Both children may send a letter to the same person. For example, the same aunt can be listed on both lists- BUT ALL CHILDREN SHOULD HAVE 10 NAMES AND ADDRESSES ON THEIR INDIVIDUAL LIST.) ***Any student who brings 15 or more addresses to school will receive a raffle ticket that can be used at this year's Holiday Fair raffle or Little Shoppers Shop.***

TIMELINE... Important dates for Hike-a-Thon fundraiser

August 30- Hike-A-Thon Parent Letter sent home

Sept 4- Hike-a-Thon packet goes home with students

Sept 13 (or before)- Families return completed sponsor list and address labels

Last day to return 7G grade level t-shirt orders and payment

Sept 14- Student letter writing day (in school)

Oct 12- Hike-a-Thon! (rain date: Oct 15)

Oct 29- Hike-a-Thon sponsorship donations due