



DEMAREST PTO NEWSLETTER



Week of September 18, 2023

UPCOMING CALENDAR



September

- Mon 9/18 First Day of Enrichment
- Tue 9/19 COW & BOE Meeting, CRS, 7pm
- Wed 9/20 Back to School Night – DMS
- Thu 9/21 Back to School Night – LLE
- Fri 9/22 PTO Coffee Meetup, Train Station, 9am
- Mon 9/25 Yom Kippur – School Closed



October

- Fri 10/6 Spirit Fridays Start
- Wed 10/11 No Homework Night Fundraiser, TBD
- Thu 10/12 Art Cards Due
- Thu 10/12 Me & My – PreK, CRS
- Tue 10/17 COW & BOE Meeting, CRS, 7pm
- Wed 10/25 –
- Thu 10/26 CRS/LLE Book Fair

NOTEWORTHY



Updates to some of our CRS/LLE programs from our School Administration:

- there will no longer be a lunch parent program at CRS
- the library parent program at CRS and LLE will be modified, more details to follow!



Check your student's enrichment schedule!



We encourage everyone to join the Demarest PTO! New members can purchase membership at demarestpto.membershiptoolkit.com.



To access the PTO Directory and the Store, go to the App Store and download the Membership Toolkit app.



Stay up to date by visiting our website at www.demarestpto.org. Like us on Facebook at Demarest PTO and follow us on Instagram at demarestpto.

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

Happy Monday, Demarest Families! We hope you had a great weekend. We enjoyed seeing all of the CRS families at last week's back to school night – can't wait for the next two at DMS and LLE!

If you are eager to get into one of those luxuriously soft Back-to-School Spirit Wear Hoodies, they will be available for purchase at the upcoming Back-to-School Nights this week!

Today kicks off the start of Enrichment. We thank the Enrichment Committee for their amazing work, the class offerings are amazing! Remember that pickup is at 4:15pm at all 3 schools.

Many of you have asked how you can volunteer to help the PTO. This week is your chance! Please join us for coffee on Friday, 9/22 at 9am. We will be at the train station to meet, greet, welcome you, and answer any questions. Come by and be a part of making so many important things happen.

Thank you to all who joined us for our first PTO meeting of the school year. It was so nice to see so many familiar faces and some new ones! If you weren't able to attend, be sure to join us for the next PTO meeting in November on zoom. Don't want to wait that long?! You can visit us this Saturday, 9/23 at Demarest Day at our PTO table!

Attention all Pre-K Parents! The Pre-K Me and My Dance is coming up next month. This is a fun school dance where a parent/guardian can groove with their student. Be ready to dance, eat, and SPARKLE with your kiddos. The flyer is in this newsletter, check it out and be on the lookout next week for info on ticket sales

If you have not yet joined the PTO, sign up here (demarestpto.membershiptoolkit.com). Please volunteer and get involved, the PTO welcomes you!

Have a great week,
Batool and Lauren
Demarest PTO Co-Presidents
president@demarestpto.org

*Demarest Parent Teacher Organization
A Tradition of Serving Demarest Schools for Over 80 Years*

DEMAREST PTO NEWS



MAKE THEM GREEN WITH ENVY



Grab the new Spirit Wear Zip-Up at your Back to School Night youth & adult sizes available

Available for purchase at your **Back-to-School Night** and **Demarest Day** for \$35. Zelle and cash accepted.

**DEMAREST PTO PRESENTS
PRE-K ME & MY DANCE**

LIVE DJ • PHOTOBOOTH • PIZZA

**SPARKLE
PARTY**

**\$15 FOR MEMBERS • \$20 FOR NON-MEMBERS
\$20 AT THE DOOR**

*ALL TICKETS INCLUDE 1 STUDENT & 1 ADULT GUEST

**PREK 3 & PREK 4 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12TH, 5:00-6:00PM
CRS GYM**

MORE INFORMATION: CRSVP@DEMARESTPTO.ORG



Please Join Us for A

PTO COFFEE MEET UP

**September 22, 2023
9-10am**

DEMAREST TRAIN STATION
22-52 Park St

Any questions please email
president@demarestpto.org

Drive on over after school drop off on **Friday, 9/22** for some coffee and find out about **volunteering opportunities** with the PTO.



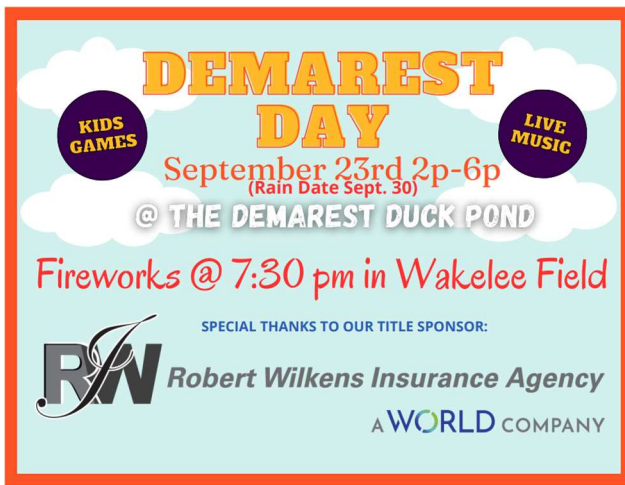
Access to **Membership Toolkit Directory** is now open for the **2023-2024** school year! PTO Membership includes eligibility for After School Enrichment Program, PTO Committee positions, and more. Discounted admission is also available to members for certain PTO-sponsored events. Additionally, members can access our online directory of PTO member families. Be sure to purchase your



Looking for a great opportunity to join in and help the PTO? The **Demarest 5K** is scheduled for **May 19, 2024**. We are seeking a Committee Coordinator for the **Demarest 5K**! Please contact secretary@demarestpto.org for more information regarding this position.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Demarest Recreation



The Demarest PTO will have a table set up at Demarest Day next Saturday. Come, stop by, and say HI!

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD (TAB)

BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT BABYSITTING FUNDRAISER!

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST

For Luther Lee Emerson BTS Night

LOCATION: DEMAREST LIBRARY, CHILDREN'S ROOM

DROP OFF: 6:00PM EARLIEST

PICKUP: 8:45PM LATEST

Send your kids to the library for some fun with our TAB teens!

There will be movies, games, crafts and allergy-friendly snacks!

The library will be closed to the public during this event.

COST: \$20 PER CHILD (CASH ONLY AT DOOR PLEASE)

SIBLINGS WELCOME BUT MUST BE AGE 3 AND UP
(ALL MUST BE OUT OF DIAPERS) SPACE IS LIMITED!

TO REGISTER GO TO:

[HTTPS://BCCLS.LIBCAL.COM/EVENT/I1289939](https://bccls.libcal.com/event/i1289939)

All proceeds go towards funding future
TAB hosted programs and events at the library!

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT: DEMARESTTAB@GMAIL.COM



Borough of Demarest

SIGN UP for Demarest Mayor's weekly e-message!

It is a great communication tool available to all Demarest residents. All you need to do is click the link below and simply enter your name and email, and you will begin receiving the Mayor's Message via email every Friday. His message includes all current borough news, and it keeps you updated and connected.

<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/xsSftPu>



Registration for tryout: www.daarec.org (find the green bar at the top of the page). TRAVEL tryouts registration is now open for grades 3rd through 8th. All children MUST attend one of the tryout sessions in order to be eligible for TRAVEL basketball.

Cost: No cost for tryouts

Dates:

BOYS 3rd Grade - Tue, Sep 26 - 6:00 PM - 6:25 PM

BOYS 4th Grade - Tue, Sep 26 - 6:35 PM - 7:00 PM

BOYS 5th Grade - Tue, Sep 26 - 7:10 PM - 7:35 PM

BOYS 6th Grade - Tue, Sep 26 - 7:45 PM - 8:10 PM

GIRLS 3rd - 5th Grade - Thu, Sep 28 - 6:00 PM - 6:25 PM

GIRLS 6th - 8th Grade - Thu, Sep 28 - 6:35 PM - 7:00 PM

BOYS 7th Grade - Thu, Sep 28 - 7:10 PM - 7:35 PM

BOYS 8th Grade - Thu, Sep 28 - 7:45 PM - 8:10 PM

****MAKE-UP DATE – contact DAA for makeup information.**

Travel Season Games Schedule: Actual dates/times will not be determined until late November, season will start in December or January and run through March. Home games are played at LLE and away games are played at the opposing school (within Bergen County)

Location of tryout: Luther Lee Emerson School

If your child is accepted: You will be prompted to register your child to play in the travel league or decline the invitation. To participate in the travel league, your child must also be registered for the recreation league.

COMMUNITY NEWS – Cont'd

Tutor.com

ONLINE TUTORING AND HOMEWORK HELP PROVIDED TO DEMAREST K-8 STUDENTS FREE OF CHARGE!



1.) GET ACCESS TO A TUTOR QUICKLY!

Need homework help? Want a study session before a test? Parents and students can schedule a session or get instant access to a tutor just by logging on!

2.) TUTORS AVAILABLE IN ALL CONTENT AREAS!

Tutoring is available in language arts, world language, math, science and more for grades K-8.



3.) DROP OFF ESSAY REVIEW

Working on a writing assignment? Students can submit their writing to a tutor and receive constructive feedback within 24 hours!

4.) HIGH QUALITY TUTORS

Tutor.com thoroughly vets all of its tutors. Students can interact with a tutor via a typing chat or voice chat feature. There is no video. Tutors use online whiteboards and other visuals to assist students.



5.) EASY SIGN ON WITH GOOGLE

Students can access Tutor.com by logging into their school Google accounts, clicking on the Google grid in the top right corner of their Google Drive, and finding the Tutor.com icon.

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