



DEMAREST PTO NEWSLETTER



Week of June 9, 2025

UPCOMING CALENDAR



Mon 6/9 – DMS Volleyball Clinic, LLE Gym, 3:30pm
Thu 6/12
Tue 6/10 8th Grade Dance
Fri 6/13 8th Grade BBQ
Fri 6/13 Spirit Wear
Tue 6/17 COW & BOE Meeting, CRS, 7pm
Wed 6/18 4th Grade Moving Up Ceremony, LLE, 9:30am
Wed 6/18 8th Grade Graduation, DMS, 6pm
Thu 6/19 Last Day of School – Half Day, PTO party

NOTEWORTHY



Do you want to chair a **PTO committee**? See below to find open positions. There are other ways to be involved!



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.

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

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

Hello, **Demarest Families**! Can you believe we're heading into the last full week of the school year—faster than we can say "Where did June come from?"

Before we all slip into summer mode, here's a quick PTO highlight reel:

DMS Field Day brought the sunshine and the smiles! Our students had a blast, and it's all **thanks** to our **amazing volunteers** who kept things running smoother than a slip-n-slide. We couldn't have done it without you!

The fun didn't stop there—we also hosted our **End-of-Year PTO Volunteer Celebration**! It was wonderful to gather with so many familiar and new faces. A small token of thanks for the big hearts that power our school community.

Coming up, this **Tuesday, 6/10**, our fabulous **8th graders** will have their **dance** at **Brasserie Memère**. Expect high energy and lots of laughter as they celebrate in style. It's going to be a night to remember—made possible by the MVPs behind the scenes (yep, once again **parent volunteers**!). Then on **Friday, 6/13**, the **8th graders** keep the party going with their **BBQ bash**. Delicious food, summer vibes, and plenty of photo-worthy moments.

For our registered **DMS students**: the **Volleyball Clinic** with Mr. Cole and Mr. Nerkezian starts today! That's **Monday, 6/9**, through **Thursday, 6/12**, in the **LLE Gym** at **3:30pm sharp**. Please note: **transportation is not provided to LLE**, and **don't be late for pick-up**!

We've got **spots open** for several **Committee Leads** next year, and we'd love to have you on board. The PTO is 100% volunteer-powered, and the more hands we have, the more fun (and fewer frantic last-minute pleas via texts for help!) we can all enjoy. Check out the open roles below!

Enjoy this **final full week of the 2024–2025 school year**—we're almost at the finish line!

Batool & Lauren

Demarest PTO Co-Presidents

president@demarestpto.org

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Stay tuned for membership sign up for the 2025 – 2026 school year coming this summer. Looking for a great opportunity to join in and help the PTO? We will be posting open positions.

Committee Coordinator Roles (1-year commitment):

- 5K – Principal's Challenge Chair
- 5K – Fundraiser Chair
- Class Parent Coordinator – CRS
- DMS Fun Committee
- Holiday Boutique – DMS
- Read-a-Thon
- Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week – DMS

Please contact us at secretary@demarestpto.org for more information regarding these positions. There are many ways to be involved! Please contact us and we will find a place for you! Please **respond by Friday, 6/13.**



CONGRATULATIONS & THANK YOU!

To all our 2025 runners, volunteers & fans
what an incredible day!

From toddlers to octogenarians, you made the Demarest 5K a true celebration of community, health, and hometown spirit.

JOIN US FOR 2026!

We're already planning next year's race and we need you!

EMAIL

demarest5k@demarestpto.org

TO VOLUNTEER!

A limited number of race committee volunteer spots are now open.
Be part of the excitement!

Help shape an event that brings our town together.

Let's make 2026 even better - together!



OPEN TO ALL DEMAREST SCHOOL DISTRICT FAMILIES

To **volunteer** for this event, please email
president@demarestpto.org.

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As a special part of the Appreciation Breakfast morning, we also honored Mr. Fox as he heads into retirement after years of dedicated service to our school. Congratulations, Mr. Fox!

COMMUNITY NEWS

Teen Advisory Board

Join the Teen Advisory Board (TAB)
of the Friends of the Demarest
Library for a

SUMMER FUN PROGRAM

TUESDAY, JUNE 10TH
3:30 - 4:00 PM

**STORY TIME,
CRAFT & SNACKS**

Best for ages 4+
Children's Room of the
Demarest Public Library

**FRIENDS
OF THE DEMAREST
FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

DEMAREST SUMMER CAMP

June 23rd- August 1st
9:00 Am - 2:00 PM

For Students entering Kindergarten to 8th
Grade as of September 2025

**\$700
6 WEEKS
DEMAREST
RESIDENT**

**\$800
6 WEEKS
NON
RESIDENT**

**\$200
PER
INDIVIDUAL
WEEK**

The price will increase by \$50 after June 1st!

**Registration Opens
March 21st**

www.demarestrecamp.membershiptoolkit.com

Camp is located at Luther
Lee Elementary School on
Mondays, Wednesdays, &
Fridays. Tuesdays the camp
will be at Demarest Pool and
Thursdays are camp trip day.

OUR DIRECTING STAFF

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