

Demarest PTO News

Week of June 15, 2020



Mon 6/15 4th Marking Period Ends
Tue 6/16 BOE Meeting, TBD
Fri 6/19 Report Cards Distributed
Fri 6/19 Last Day of School



Membership registration for 2019-2020 is now closed. We will be accepting memberships for 2020-2021 in a few short weeks!



We encourage everyone to join the Demarest PTO. New members can join by purchasing a membership at demarestpto.membershiptoolkit.com.



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

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<http://bit.ly/AmazonSmileDemarestPTO>.



Presidents' Corner

We can't believe this is the **last week** of this school year AND what a school year it has been. Never in a million years did we imagine that our first year of PTO presidency would unfold in this manner. Although it was a challenge, we have learned so much from the experience. We have also developed a deeper appreciation and respect for our school community. Everyone, from the teachers, administration to the parents, really stepped up to the plate and faced this pandemic with strength and courage. We are proud to be part of this community and we can't wait to serve the PTO for another year!

We would like to thank everyone for supporting the PTO. Your generosity has allowed us to help fund all the various special programs and events throughout this past year, such as the special assemblies and the one school one book initiative. It has also afforded us the ability to provide our schools with the resources necessary to enhance the education of our children. We hope to continue to support our schools and families next year through your PTO membership and through all of our varying fundraisers. Information will be sent soon regarding **PTO membership** for the **2020-2021 school year!**

Congratulations to our **8th Grade Graduates!** We wish you all the best in high school. **Congratulations** as well to our **4th graders** moving up to DMS!

Have a wonderful & safe summer! See you September!

Jenni & Gaby

Demarest PTO Co-Presidents

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Did you know...that when you purchase **Supermarket Gift Cards from the PTO**, not only do you get the full value of the card, 5% of your purchase is

credited towards your child's future 6th and 8th grade class trips. To purchase gifts cards, please click: <http://bit.ly/SupermarketCards>. Questions? Contact supermarketgiftcards@demarestpto.org.



A reminder to all Demarest residents: It's not too late to complete your **2020 Census Form**. This ensures that Demarest is appropriately represented in government as well as receives all consideration for grants and other opportunities. Please visit my2020census.gov to begin. Thank You!



Demarest Library Updates

Register for some upcoming virtual programs at the Demarest Library:



Summer Reading started **Monday, June 1st**! Register at demarestlibrary.readsquared.com and earn rewards by reading!

Imagination Express: Join Magician Steve Woyce as he brings the Imagination Express to the Demarest Library on June 15th at 4pm. For kids ages 4 to 10. Register at:

<https://bccls.libcal.com/calendar/demarest/ImaginationMagician>

Make sure to subscribe to our newsletters to keep up to date about the library and virtual programming at: demarestlibrary.org/email

Demarest Recreation is seeking **TEEN volunteers** who are interested in community service hours for events throughout the



year such as Demarest Day, the Halloween Parade, the Holiday Tree Lighting, among others. If you have high school age students who would like to earn service hours at community events, have them contact Marti Francis at Boro Hall, francis.demarestnj@gmail.com.



To keep aware of **PTO happenings** including these newsletters, please access our website www.demarestpto.org and like us on Facebook at **Demarest**

PTO and follow us on Instagram at [demarestpto](https://www.instagram.com/demarestpto).



Got news? If you have something to contribute to the newsletter, please send your information to ptonews@demarestpto.org.

Approved news received by **Friday** will be published in the following week's newsletter.