

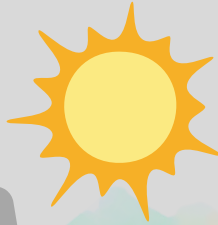


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FREEDOM 7 ELEMENTARY APT FAMILY NEWSLETTER

REMEMBER

TO TURN IN PERMISSION SLIPS!



JOG-A-THON RUN IN COLOR
IS NEXT FRIDAY,
JAN. 26!

SEE PAGES 2 & 3 FOR DETAILS!

DON'T WANT YOUR KIDDO
COMING HOME COLORFUL?
YOU CAN OPT FOR OUR
NO POWDER TRACK OPTION



REGISTER TO CHEER FOR
YOUR STUDENT HERE!

LEARN ABOUT HOLI

WHERE DOES THE INSPIRATION FOR OUR POWDERED
COLOR FOR THIS YEAR'S JOG-A-THON COME FROM?

HOLI, THE FESTIVAL OF COLORS!

HOLI IS A JOYOUS AND COLORFUL HOLIDAY. IT IS
ONE OF THE TWO MOST IMPORTANT FESTIVALS OF THE
HINDU YEAR (THE OTHER IS DIWALI). THE HOLIDAY DATES
BACK TO THE 4TH CENTURY A.D. IT COMMEMORATES THE
RETURN OF SPRING AFTER A LONG WINTER AND ALSO
SYMBOLIZES GOOD TRIUMPHING OVER EVIL.

IT IS CELEBRATED BY THROWING THE COLORED POWDER
WHILE ENJOYING MUSIC, DANCING, FOOD, ETC.

HISTORICALLY, THE COLOR DYE WAS MADE FROM
FLOWERS, SPICES, AND OTHER NATURAL MATERIALS.

WHILE THE MORE MODERN DYES ARE SYNTHETIC,

THEY ARE NON-TOXIC.

LEARN MORE AT CHAMELEONCOLORS.COM

YEARBOOKS ARE ON SALE NOW!

**YEARBOOKS ARE SOLD ON A
PRE-ORDER BASIS, FAMILIES
MUST PRE-ORDER TO ENSURE
THEY RECEIVE A COPY**

YEARBOOK.FREEDOM7APT.COM

EARLY BIRD PRICING ENDS
JANUARY 31!!





Freedom 7's 1st Jogathon in color!

January 26, 2024

This year, Jogathon will be brought to you **IN COLOR** as a prize for reaching our Penny Wars goals! We're excited about the lasting memories. FYI- the color powder is non-toxic & (should) wash right out!

HOW IT WORKS:

Check your email for your student's 99Pledges link



Participate in our Jogathon on **Friday Jan 26th** & support your school while having fun & being active!



EXPECT TO BE COLOR BLASTED!!



Turn in any cash/check donations by **Friday, Feb. 2nd**

Please make checks payable to Freedom 7 APT

Students may wear a white/light-colored shirt + bottoms and sneakers of choice on Jogathon Day! Sunglasses may also be worn during the run.

NEW FOR 2024

A permission slip must be signed for students to join in. All students participating should expect powder on or around them during the run!*

AWARDS:

RUNNING PRIZES

All Runners will receive a Jogathon brag tag at the completion of the race!

Top Boy & Girl in Each Grade who Run the MOST LAPS will receive a Top Runner Medal!

Top Boy & Girl in the School who Run the MOST LAPS will receive a Champion Trophy!

FUNDRAISING PRIZES

Each Class that Raises over \$1000 Wins Free Shoe day!

ANY SHOE GOES! Must bring sneakers to change into for outdoor activities.

1st Place Class Prize (2 divisions)

Class who raises the MOST MONEY in each division (K-3 and 4-6) will get to play a thrilling round of MINUTE-TO-WIN-IT games with Mrs. Lott, Corporal Kent and Rip!

If Jogathon Raises \$15,000

Entire school will earn a FREE DRESS DAY and all Teachers will receive a \$100 Classroom Grant!



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What does Jogathon in Color mean?

It's where students run, jog, or walk laps around the track in an effort to raise funds for F7! The "in Color" is the added fun of color powder blasts as they make their way around the track!

What should my child wear?

We highly encourage white/light colored shirts to show off their color blasts! Students can wear bottoms & shoes of their choice. Students may choose to wear sunglasses & bandanas but color blasts will be shoulders and below only. Please send in a beach towel for their seat (classroom & car).

Can I come watch my child run?

Yes!! We are excited to welcome parents to campus this year to cheer on their runner(s)! A SignUpGenius will be sent out to sign up for your child's run time (schedule to the right). You do not need to be a registered volunteer to come! SUG email will be sent out next week.

Is the color powder safe?

Yes! The color powder is from Chameleoncolors.com & is made up of corn starch and FD&C and D&C colors. These are approved for use in foods, cosmetics, and/or drugs & are not considered hazardous. More information can be found on their website, chameleoncolors.com

Clean Up?

Color powder should not stain skin, hair, or clothing but please don't wear anything you don't want to risk. Cleaning instructions can be found on chameleoncolors.com

Jogathon in Color Schedule

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| 9:10-10:00 | Kindergarten & 3rd Grade |
| 10:00-10:50 | 1st Grade & 2nd Grade |
| 10:50-11:40 | 5th Grade & 4th Grade |
| 11:40-12:30 | 6th Grade |