

Weaver Olympics Jog-A-Thon

September 27, 2018

Register at [Pledgestar.com/weaver](http://pledgestar.com/weaver)



The **Jog-A-Thon** is one of PTA's 3 main fundraisers this year (PTA Patron Donations, Weaver Carnival, and Jog-A-Thon). PTA supports many amazing programs for Weaver students that are not funded by the school (see reverse for complete list). **Did you know, it takes \$200 per student to fund all of these programs!** Participation in Jog-A-Thon fundraising is optional, but we highly encourage all students to participate to support all of the programs funded by PTA!

How does it work? Students will earn money for Weaver by getting pledges from family & friends, and by running laps at school on September 27th. Students will have 15 minutes to run as many laps as possible around a 1/10th of a mile track. Participants can get pledges from family, friends, neighbors or businesses.

How do I get Pledges? It's easy to ask friends and family in person or online! Register at <http://pledgestar.com/weaver> and follow the simple steps. It takes just minutes to set up your child's fundraising page to request pledges online or you can use the offline pledge form in this packet.

Prizes will be given out for requesting donations and raising money!

Jog-A-Thon Online Participation Prizes*:

- Enter 3 names and emails at pledgestar.com/weaver by September 13, and get a Homework Pass
- Enter 10 names and emails by September 20, get a Chocolate Train Ticket to Platform 9-3/4 to take the Hogwarts Express at our Harry Potter Carnival on Nov. 2nd, and the chance to win a FREE Carnival wristband (one winner per grade level)!!
- ALL participating students will receive a FREE Jog-A-Thon T-shirt!
- The Grade level with the highest percentage participation will have their choice of HOGWARTS SCHOOL COLORS unveiled at a special flag ceremony before Carnival!

Individual Prizes**:

- \$25 raised earns you Weaver Silly Putty!
- \$50 raised earns the above plus free ticket to a Skateboard Stunt Show at Weaver!
- \$125 raised earns the above plus a light-up, battery-powered Weaver Bubble squirler!
- \$250 or more raised earns the above plus a Pizza Party with Dr. B at lunchtime!

Individual Grand Prizes:

- The top money earner for each grade will earn a special lunch with Dr. B and can invite a friend.

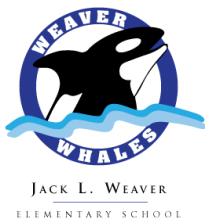
Fundraising Goal

- If we meet our first fundraising goal of \$30,000, Dr. B will get **PIE in his face** at Flag Ceremony!
- If we reach \$45,000, Dr. B will **Dress up as Professor Dumbledore** at our Weaver Carnival on Nov. 2nd!
- If we reach \$60,000, Dr. B will **Dress up like a Chicken and Dance the Chicken Dance** at Flag Ceremony!!

*Participation prizes are earned per family. If a family registers multiple students and sends 3-10 emails total, each student will get participation credit.

**Individual prize levels are based on money earned per student, not per family.

**Prize levels are cumulative. For example, if you raise at least \$125 you will earn the \$125, \$50, and \$25 prizes.



Jog-A-Thon FAQ's



Why are we raising money? Your support allows the PTA to continue to fund many of the great programs and events at our school. Did you know it takes about \$200 per student per year to run our PTA and fund all the amazing extra programs and support activities at Weaver? With your help every child will benefit. Some examples of the costs of PTA programs per student are below.

- Field Trips: \$17 per student
- Winko's copiers and supplies: \$21 per student
- Take home minder binders & folders for all students: \$4 per student
- Recess Equipment: \$4 per student
- Art Program, Meet the Masters: \$6 per student
- Class Act Music Program: \$7 per student
- Assemblies & outside presenters: \$4 per student
- Reading Incentive Program: \$3 per student
- Ambassadors: \$15 per student
- Teacher Appreciation & Hospitality: \$5 per student
- And more... other amazing programs and events include Summer Jam, Media Center support, Reading Garden, Reflections Art contest, 5th Grade promotion, Outdoor Science School, First Day photos, Whale Mail, Red Ribbon Week, Classroom parties, Talent Show, Teacher Development, Schoolwide emergency supplies...

What is the Goal? This year we would like to raise **\$30,000**. If every student raises \$42, we can achieve our goal! **If we reach our goal and raise \$30,000 or more, Dr. Briggerman will get a pie in his face at Flag Ceremony!**

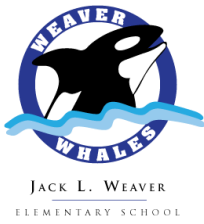
We also have a STRETCH goal of \$60,000. If we meet our STRETCH goal Dr. Briggerman will DANCE THE CHICKEN DANCE IN A CHICKEN SUIT!!

When do we run? We will be running on Thursday, September 27th. The schedule will be communicated a week before the event.

Would you like to volunteer? We need volunteers!! If you would like to volunteer the day of the Jog-A-Thon by being an emcee, leading the warm-up, cheering on the kids, passing out waters, cooling off the kids with water toys or with set up or take down, please contact Beth Stuart.

WHO do I contact if I have questions? Please contact a Jog-A-Thon co-chair, Beth Stuart at s.bethanna@gmail.com or Kelly Das, at kekky@yahoo.com.

SPONSORS: PTA would like to acknowledge and thank our generous T-Shirt Sponsors to date, who make our free T-shirts possible: PLATINUM: Tracy Sturm, REMAX and Simon Law Group; GOLD: Seza Barsamian, D.D.S.; SILVER: Connie Wong, D.P.M.



Weaver Jog-A-Thon Offline Donation Form

September 27, 2018

Participant's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Teacher/Rm#: _____

Register at: <http://pledgestar.com/weaver/> and request/collect donations online!

Use our **easy online system** to participate. Follow the simple registration steps—it takes just minutes to set up your child's own fundraising page. Your family and friends can even pay over the internet with their credit card. A thank you note from your child will automatically be sent to those who donate online. **It's fun, give it a try!**

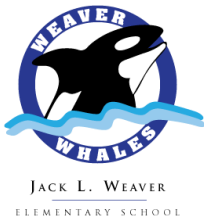
Or if you prefer, you can collect money and record the names/donation amounts below. **All money must be turned in by September 28, 2018 to count towards our Jog-A-Thon goals and prizes!**

NAME	EMAIL ADDRESS	PHONE	PLEDGE FIXED AMOUNT	AMOUNT COLLECTED

Parents...please have all checks made payable **TOTAL TO COLLECT:** \$ _____
to: **Weaver PTA**

Questions? Please contact event chairs, Beth Stuart at s.bethanna@gmail.com or Kelly Das, at kekky@yahoo.com.

(To be completed by Jog-A-Thon staff) | **TOTAL RECEIVED:** \$ _____



Jog-A-Thon Tax Receipt (for off-line donations)



Weaver Elementary PTA
11872 Wembley Rd., Los Alamitos, CA 90720
(562) 799-4580
Tax ID# 95-6204926

Thank you for your contribution. Weaver PTA is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Your donation is tax deductible.

Date Contributed: _____

Name of contributor: _____

Amount Contributed: _____

Items contributed: _____
(please attach list/receipt)