



August 2024

Dear Pocopson Families,

Welcome back to another great year at Pocopson Elementary! If you are new to our school, we would like to extend a very warm welcome to our Pocopson community! We look forward to a year filled with fun, enriching, and memorable experiences and events for you and your children.

The Pocopson Elementary School PTO prides itself on enhancing the educational experience of our students, and hosts many exciting activities, events, and fundraisers throughout the year to maintain a strong commitment to our school community. **This year, we look forward to hosting Family Fun Nights, Spirit Week, Fun Runs and Color Runs, Holiday Gift Shop, a school-wide Book Fair, fun-filled assemblies, grade level events, and much, much more!** We are also committed to giving back, and have many opportunities throughout the year for community outreach through our **Holiday Giving Tree, Food Drives, MLK Day of Service, and Coins for Kids.**

In order to make these events successful, we love partnering with parent volunteers. There are many opportunities for YOU to get involved both in and out of your child's classroom. We will be hosting a **PTO Kickoff Coffee (9:30am) on September 12th at OsoSweet in Chadds Ford**, and we invite everyone to join us for this casual meet-up to meet other parents, and see what we have planned for the year. We would love for you to join us!

We also heavily rely on fundraising campaigns like **Patriot Pride Week starting September 16th**, and from generous donations that help us to fund the many enriching programs and events throughout the year, as well as our efforts to appreciate our dedicated PES faculty and staff!

**Here's what we have coming up in September:**

**9/4 ~ Fall Orientation, 5:00-6:30pm**  
**9/12 ~ Welcome Back Coffee at OsoSweet, 9:30am**  
**9/16-9/20 ~ Patriot Pride Week**  
**9/20 ~ Patriot Pride Fun & Color Runs**  
**9/27 ~ Fall Family Fun Night at PES, 5:30-7:30pm**

Be sure to check out our webpage, and follow us on Facebook and Instagram, to stay up to date on all the Pocopson Elementary fun!

**Webpage: <https://pes.ucfsd.org/pto2>**

**Facebook: Pocopson Elementary PTO**

**Instagram: PocopsonElementaryPTO**

Kind Regards,

Your PES PTO Executive Board