



# FALCON FLYER

FAIRMOUNT PARK  
ELEMENTARY

## CALENDAR

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### November 4-15

*Blue Envelope Direct Give Fundraiser*

### November 8

*Picture Retakes and Class Photos*

### November 11

*Veteran's Day (No School)*

### November 14

*Families of Color Dinner*

### October 1 - Nov. 22

*PTA Enrichment Fall Session Outdoor Clubs*

### October 1 - Dec. 14

*PTA Enrichment Fall Session Indoor Clubs*

NOVEMBER 1, 2024

## Blue Envelope Direct Give Fundraiser Starting November 4!

The Big fundraising event of the year begins next Monday, November 4. Please be on the lookout for the **Blue Envelope** in your student's Falcon Folder. Help raise money for Fairmount Park PTA Nov 4-15. **This is our only fundraiser for the year. Our goal is to raise \$100,000** to support programs that enrich our kids' education, including the 4th & 5th grade Instrumental Program, school supplies for all students, classroom and specialist teacher grants, food support program, assemblies, classroom snacks and much, much more!

**To learn more about our school's PTA and why we fund-raise, please visit:** <https://fairmountparkpta.org/fundraising/>

## Families of Color Dinner Happening November 14

In partnership with the PTA, the Fairmount Park Racial Equity Team is hosting a dinner for our families of color on **Thursday, November 14, 6:00-8:00 p.m.** We will be celebrating the start of the school year by gathering with other families of color, building community, eating dinner, dancing, creating art, and listening to storytelling.

- Dinner is FREE (chicken dinner from Ezell's and a vegan option).
- If you would like an interpreter, please let us know at the link below.
- This is a family event — students and siblings are expected and welcomed!

Please [RSVP here](#) by November 7 so that we can order plenty of food.

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## PTA Enrichment is in Full Swing!

We are well into Fall PTA Enrichment clubs and midway for all of our outdoor clubs. REMINDER TO PLEASE PICK UP YOUR CHILD ON TIME! We understand life sometimes gets in the way. Contact us ASAP if you are running late. Contact the instructor directly or Sylvia with the Enrichment Program (206-789-6932). Instructors are expected to stay with your child until you arrive, so repeat offenses might land you with a late charge, as the provider has to pay the instructor for staying late at a club.

PNW weather means our fall is wet and wild and all over the place. Pack a jacket even if it's looking great in the morning. Make sure your child has a snack after school on club days. They are famished after school, hands down, and they won't be able to focus on their clubs with hungry bellies.

Reminder that Jump Rope, Soccer, Lacrosse, Flag Football and All Sport/Kickball will end on November 22, right before the Thanksgiving break. All indoor clubs (including the 2-hr Wednesday Camp Z) run up to December 14.

Thanks for participating in PTA Enrichment and please contact [enrichment@fpepta.org](mailto:enrichment@fpepta.org) if you have questions, feedback or suggestions for topics you'd like to see offered in enrichment.

## Lost and Found Is Very Full!

Our Lost and Found has filled up. Please remind your student to stop by the Lost and Found racks located outside the cafeteria in the lobby. Labeling sweatshirts, coats and lunch items with student name and room number helps us to keep the clutter to a minimum. Tip: When the racks are full, be sure to check the backside hooks.

**Do YOU have anything that you would like to include in the Falcon Flyer? Send an email with the information to [falconflyer@fairmountparkpta.org](mailto:falconflyer@fairmountparkpta.org), and we'll make sure it's included in next week's issue. Fairmount Park Elementary or SPS community related content only, please.**