



FALCON FLYER

FAIRMOUNT PARK
ELEMENTARY

DECEMBER 20, 2024

Shine Bright at the Glow Party on January 10!

Come celebrate the New Year by bringing in the light at the Glow Party! This fun event will be on **Friday, January 10 from 6:30-8 p.m.** Dress up in your favorite neon outfit and dance the night away. Sensory friendly time from 6:30-7p.m. Parents, please bring a dish and enjoy the Parent Potluck in the cafeteria. Snacks for the kids, games, face paint and tattoos provided by the PTA.

Volunteers Needed!

Ways you can help out: hand out glow sticks, be a chaperone in the gym, run games, assist in the craft project, apply glow in the dark tattoos, apply face paint using templates, help with the snack table, etc. [Please volunteer](#) for a 45-minute slot.

CALENDAR

December 20

1-hour Early Dismissal

December 23 - January 3, 2025

Winter Break (No School)

January 8-15

*PTA Enrichment Winter
Session Registration*

January 10

Glow Party

January 20

*Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
(No School)*

January 21 - March 24

*PTA Enrichment Winter
Session*

February 5

Family Game Night

PTA Enrichment: Thanks + Winter Info

Thanks So Much for Fall PTA Enrichment Support!

As fall PTA enrichment is a wrap this week, please give a HUGE THANKS to the adult volunteer chaperones who helped make enrichment possible for all FPE families this fall. We had a record turnout for fall with at least 2-3 volunteers per shift. Chaperones not only help with club roll-call and dismissal, but they also ensure that your child is safe during clubs. They are the eyes and ears for the program. They take time out of their busy lives (and day jobs!) to help our kids have a richer experience at FPE.

This program truly would not exist without them. Thank you!

Another big thanks goes to our FPE staff Ms. Vo, Ms. Ashman and Principal Davis for your assistance and support of the program, and to FPE teachers Ms. Kelly, Ms. Teather and Ms. Reed for entrusting our program and our students with your sacred room spaces. It really does take a village to help our kids thrive and we are grateful to have such an amazing village at FPE!

Winter Is Here, Almost...

Winter PTA Enrichment will run 12 clubs for 8 weeks from January 21 to March 24. Registration will run from Wednesday, January 8 at 6 p.m., to Wednesday, January 15 at 6 p.m.

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*Note: Due to NO SCHOOL on Monday, January 20 (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day) we will begin winter session on Tuesday, January 21.

WINTER Session Preview:

- **Mondays:** Poke'mon TCG (gr 2-5, @ 90 mins), Comic Creation (gr 3-5, @ 90 mins)
- **Tuesdays:** Dungeons and Dragons (gr 3-5, @ 90 mins), Karate (gr 3-5 @ 90 mins) Drums (gr 2-5 @ 90 mins)
- **Wednesdays:** Circus (gr 1-5 @ 90 mins), Coding with AI (gr 3-5 @ 90 mins)
- **Thursdays:** Chess (gr 1-5 @ 60 mins), Music Matters: Ukulele (gr 1-5 @ 60 mins) Parkour-based games (gr 1-3 @ 90 mins)
- **Fridays:** Spanish for beginners (gr 1-5 @ 60 mins), Coding with Minecraft (gr 3-5 @ 60 mins)

We Need D&D Volunteers Tuesdays After School to DM Our Club!

We need at least 1 adult volunteer per 5 kids to run our D&D enrichment club on Tuesdays from 2:30 to 4 p.m. **Your child gets free entry into D&D club and you'll get an awesome DM experience! No experience is needed.** You'll be trained on all the info needed before the club starts. Contact enrichment@fpepta.org ASAP if you are interested. Please be prepared to go through the SPS volunteer application process. This club can't run without DMs and assistants!

PTA Enrichment Needs Adult Chaperones for Winter Session

Just one 2-hour shift (after school, per week) gets you early club previews, guaranteed enrollment, and a scholarship for your child. Plus, you'll provide valuable input into our program while ensuring it runs safely and smoothly. Contact enrichment@fpepta.org with questions. All Enrichment volunteer chaperones need to also be SPS volunteers.

Need Financial Support For a PTA Enrichment Club?

- Enrichment provides scholarships while supplies last and if club space is open. Please note, some clubs run out of scholarships early. Contact enrichment@fpepta.org ASAP if there is a specific club your child really wants to attend.
- Payment plans are also available at checkout with AFFIRM (no-risk, no fees, 4 equal payments). Contact enrichment@fpepta.org with questions.

Sincerely,

Sylvia Moss - PTA Enrichment Chair
[FPE PTA Enrichment Program](#)
206-789-6932

To register or see our current schedule, visit homeroom.com and search for Fairmount Park Elementary.

Family Game Night Is Back, In Partnership With MEEPLES

On **February 5, 6-7:30 p.m.**, PTA Enrichment will partner with Meeples Games once again to bring you a chill and fun family game night. Meeples will provide the games and instruction. FPE provides volunteer instigators and the families. **If you are interested in becoming a volunteer for the night** or have questions, contact enrichment@fpepta.org. This volunteer experience is also great for high school service projects. .

Do YOU have anything that you would like to include in the Falcon Flyer? Send an email with the information to 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.