SAVE THE DATE
The DH Circus is Coming to town!

During the week of November 18th, all students will participate in the annual Deer Hill Circus Program. Instructors from Circus Kid Productions will spend the week at Deer Hill and teach circus performance skills to students from juggling to balancing on stilts, which inherently builds students’ self esteem and positive teamwork skills. The week will end with a celebratory circus performance by the 5th Grade Class on Friday, November 22nd at 7 pm in the DH Gymnasium. Fifth graders are asked to wear a white top for their performance.

Need a white t-shirt or a congratulatory performance gift? ORDER A DEER HILL CIRCUS T-SHIRT NOW THROUGH THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH AT cohassetpso.org AND PICK UP AFTER 6 PM ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW. The t-shirt serves as a great memento from the week and can be used by 3rd and 4th graders as well during upcoming DH spirit days. ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE DH CIRCUS PROGRAM. Tickets for this show as well as circus performance merchandise will be available to purchase online starting Monday, November 18th. The Deer Hill Circus is a curriculum enrichment program funded by a grant from the South Shore Music Circus, Massachusetts Cultural Council and funds from the Cohasset PSO. Hope to see you there!

Upcoming Events

November 5
• Grade 3 Curriculum Enrichment, “Young Audiences of MA: Sacagawea”

November 7
• DH Veteran’s Day Assembly

November 8
Early Release - Professional Development 12:40 Dismissal

November 11
No School - Veteran’s Day

November 12
DH PSO Meeting, 9:30 am, DH Cafe

November 13
SEPAC General Meeting, 9:30 am, CM&HS Community Use Room

November 18-22
DH Circus Week

November 22
• DH gr. 5 Circus Performance, 7 pm, DH Gymnasium
• Last day to submit BoxTops

November 27
Early Release - Thanksgiving Break Begin - 12:40 Dismissal

November 28 - 29
No School- Thanksgiving Break
Be a part of our Retail Rewards Campaign!
JUST REGISTER, CLIP AND SCAN!

BOXTOPS RAFFLE GAME AND PRIZES! Students can play BOXTOPS BINGO! to help earn money for our school and they can win a fun prize! Play BINGO! by clipping and scanning Boxtops and registering your Stop & Shops A+ Rewards. Last day to enter this cycle is Friday, November 22nd. For questions contact Kristen Dean (kcanova@yahoo.com) or Janet Murphy (jmm1068@yahoo.com), DH PSO Retail Rewards Chairs.

Register your Stop & Shop A+ Rewards: You must re-register your card each year to activate A+ Rewards. Go to stopandshop.com/school-rewards/ and select Deer Hill School as your designated A+ Rewards school (or call 877-275-2758 for assistance as some cards will not register online). After you register, each time you scan your card at a Stop & Shop store, our school will automatically earn money based on your purchase amount.

November Deer Hill PSO Meeting
Join us at our next Deer Hill PSO Meeting on Tuesday, November 12th at 9:30 am in the DH Cafeteria. Our agenda includes an update from Principal Alex Sullivan, a brief presentation by School Adjustment Counselor Robyn Costa, Fun Run Report and more! All welcome!

SEPAC Presentation
Please join SEPAC for a General Meeting on Wednesday, November 13th at 9:30 am in the Community Room at 143 Pond Street. For questions, please visit www.CohassetSEPAC.org, or email Kelley McGhee at kmcghee1988@msn.com.

5th Grade Promotion Ceremony Committee
Do you have a fifth grader and like to plan fun parties and events? Join the 5th Grade Promotion Ceremony Committee! This committee plans the traditional end of year 5th Grade Promotion Ceremony Reception by coordinating refreshments, decorations and other fun surprises. If you are interested in helping please contact Brooke Jewel at jewell.brooke@gmail.com.
The 2019 Fun Run Campaign

One last BIG thank you to everyone who supported our 2019 Fun Run Campaign by donating to the event and volunteering your time! Your contributions help the Cohasset PSO fund curriculum enrichment programs that enhance the educational experience of our children. The following Curriculum Enrichment has been planned and will be funded by the Cohasset PSO this year at the Deer Hill School. In addition, donations also go directly to your child’s classroom by supporting a wide range of learning materials requested by teachers and staff in all disciplines through the Cohasset PSO Teacher Grant Program. The Teacher Grant Program application process is now open for this school year. Below are the Deer Hill PSO Teacher Grants that were awarded and funded by the Cohasset PSO last school year at the Deer Hill School.

Supported by our fundraising...

2019/2020 * DH Curriculum Enrichment Programs

- Theatre Espresso: “Justice at War: The Story of the Japanese Internment Camps” (Grade 5)
- Museum of Science: “Now Hear This: The Science of Sound” (Grade 4)
- Theatre Espresso: “Uprising on King Street: The Boston Massacre” (Grade 5)
- Tanglewood Marionettes: “An Arabian Adventure” (School wide)
- Museum of Science: “Animal Adaptations Program” (Grade 3)
- Techsploration: Transportation (School wide)
- Neal Nichols “Geography Game Show” Map Artist (Grade 4)
- Massachusetts Audubon Society Coastal Investigations/Duxbury Beach Fieldtrip Pre-Visit Instruction (Grade 5)
- DH Circus Week, (School wide/5th grade performance)
- Youths Audiences of Massachusetts: “Sacagawea” (Grade 3)

Supported by our fundraising...

2018/2019 Deer Hill Teacher Grants Awarded

- 10 Casio Premium Keyboards for the Music Classroom for students to advance their musical literacy.
- Five educator licenses for the online application, Pear Deck. Pear Deck allows teachers to create interactive presentations with real time student assessment. These teachers become part of the “train the teacher” model for grade level teachers in the future.
- Indoor & Outdoor Recess Equipment
- 25 Snap Circuit Jr. Circuitry Kits for 4th grade Science Classes to explore and build different types of electrical circuits providing hands-on experiences with fun manipulatives.
- Massachusetts Audubon Society Duxbury Beach Field Trip Pre-Visit from the Mass Audubon Society’s South Shore Sanctuary Director. The Director will work with each of the 5th grade classes during an engaging and hands-on one hour presentation.

Look what our Deer Hill educators are saying...

“Deer Hill School is fortunate to have a dedicated PSO who work collaboratively to provide learning with opportunities that students will always remember. This provide the exploration, the happy face, and the cherry on top to the many wonderful things that occur in our classrooms with love!”
- Alex Sullivan, Deer Hill School Principal

“The visiting artists program adds so much to our students’ school experiences. This highlights the content that we are working on in our social studies unit, whether it’s in art, mathematics, or science. It’s the perfect supplement to our learning and makes us feel special as a school.”
- Erica Parrell, Deer Hill Teacher

“Because of the PSO’s generosity, we are able to offer many exciting learning experiences that cannot be replicated in the classroom.”
- Cassy O’Brien, Deer Hill Instructional Technology Specialist
Dear 2019 Fun Run Volunteers,

To all of you who helped with set up, manned the water stations, attempted the death defying act of "marking laps", stayed for breakdown, or assisted in any other way, thank you for your help. We could not have done it without all of you awesome people. It truly takes a village and everyone should be so lucky to live in ours! Thank you Abby Greco, Allison Wilson, Amanda Axon, Amy Alberti, An LeFevre, Anajli Stevenson, April Romano, Ashley Rohn, Britta Casieri, Bronwen Santacroce, Cait O'Hara, Cassie Muir, Colleen Magri, Corey Ferguson, Dave Tabaczynski, Dawn Newell, Deirdre Riley, Diana Watkins, Dima Omran, Douglas McGregor, Elisabeth Kavanaugh, Erin Ryan, Franny Moyse, Gina Swanberg, Gloria Coburn, Jamie Bourbeau, Jen Dial, Jennifer Palmer, Kaitlin Brophy, Karen McDowell, Kathleen Burns, Kathryn Williams, Katie Seeley, Kelly Fleming, Kelly Jo Sunday, Kerri Deroche, Kristin Rosebach, Kristin Berg, Kully Reardon, Laura Soderberg, Laurie Tabaczynski, Leslie Lagsdin, Liz Beaulieu, Maggie Levy, Mary Corwin, Mary Anne Greener, Meaghan Barry, Megan Hartwell, Megan Elder, Molly Phifer, Montse Garriga, Nicole Regan, Nicole Roth, Nicole Henry, Nikki Storer, Rachel Lorimer, Samantha Lanza, Sara Norman, Sarah Offen, Sarah Davis, Shana McCarthy, Tanya Buchanan, Tony Vlasak, Tracy Kearney, Wandaly Pellicier, Whitney Berns, Windy Jansen. Thanks also to the DH Teachers & Staff, the DH PSO Room Parents and our sponsors.

With Sincerest Gratitude,

The 2019 Fun Run Committee

Julie Burke, Dianna Staunton, Diane Roach,
Jane Pennington, Denise Bayles, & Karen Cacciapuoti