

Odyssey Charter School PTO

November 2018 Newsletter • Issue 2



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Family Night fundraiser

Join us on Tuesday,

November 13th

5pm -9pm

at the North Wilmington
location of **Friendly's**

(5311 Brandywine Parkway –
by Target)

Come dine with us to have
10% of your total bill donated
to the Odyssey Charter
School PTO!

***Note:** You do not need to
bring a flyer with you to this
event. Please tell your family
and friends!



OCS PTO's Yankee Candle Fundraiser

Monday, October 22nd - Wednesday, November 7th

The Yankee Candle fundraiser ended on Wednesday of this week. If you haven't already, please send in your orders to your child's homeroom teacher. All gifts ordered will be in before winter break and the PTO gets a percentage of each sale. Thank you for your participation.

Order your OCS Spirit Wear

Order your Spirit Wear today --- T-shirts, hoodies, hats, car magnets, and more! OCS Spirit Wear can be purchased at miscellaneous PTO Events OR ordered anytime online at https://squareup.com/store/OCS_PTO/

Our first OCS Spirit wear dress down day of the year will be Friday, December 14th.



Where do your PTO dollars go?



Here are some ways that your PTO dollars have been used so far this year –

Flocabulary subscription which benefits teachers and students in all grades -

Flocabulary is a learning program for all grades that uses educational hip-hop music to engage students and increase achievement across the curriculum. (\$2000)

Dinner and breakfast for the teachers and staff - The PTO catered a dinner and a breakfast for the 2 in-service days during parent-teacher conferences. (~\$2000)

Laminators for the lower school and intermediate school – (\$1500)



If you shop on Amazon.com, you can effortlessly earn money for Odyssey's PTO by simply going through the link below. Just copy and paste the link below and shop Amazon as you usually do and a percentage of your sale goes to the Odyssey Charter School PTO.

[https://www.amazon.com/?
encoding=UTF8&tag=odyscharsch01-20](https://www.amazon.com/?encoding=UTF8&tag=odyscharsch01-20)



Shop
Buy any item from any
store, like you do today



Snap
Take a picture of your
shopping receipt



Earn
Shoparoo donates to
your school!



OCS PTO Turkey Trot / Walk-a-thon – Monday, November 19th



This annual PTO fundraiser promotes school spirit and physical fitness. This year's OCS PTO Walkathon has a fun new theme – Turkey Trot. Students in grades K-5 will participate during their recess times. Gym uniforms can be worn on the day of the event and students will receive a prize for participating.

Keep an eye out! More information will be forthcoming.



November



Don't Forget!
December 5th

PTO Meeting @ 7:00 PM



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
				1 No School Parent-Teacher Conferences	2 No School Parent-Teacher Conferences	3
4	5 PTO Skating Party 6:30pm – 8:30 pm	6	7 Used uniform sale and spirit wear sale 6:15pm PTO Meeting 7pm	8	9 Athletics Dress down day - \$2	10
11	12 No School	13 Friendly's Family Fun Night 5pm-9pm	14 Picture Makeup Day	15	16	17
18	19 PTO Turkey Trot / Walkathon	20	21 No School	22 No School	23 No School	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

November 1st and 2nd

No School

Parent Teacher Conferences

November 5th

PTO Skating Party

6:30pm – 8:30pm

Christiana Skating Center

November 7th

Used Uniform Sale

6:15pm@ Lower School

Spirit Wear Sale

6:15pm@ Lower School

PTO Meeting

7pm @ Lower School

November 9th

Athletics Dress Down Day

November 12th

No School

November 13th

Friendly's Family Night

Fundraiser

5pm – 9pm

Brandywine Parkway in North

Wilmington

November 14th

School picture make-up day

November 19th

PTO Turkey Trot / Walkathon

November 21st – 23rd

No School

Upcoming events for

December:

December 1st – 31st

Five Below fundraiser (all DE locations)

December 5th

PTO Meeting

December 14th

Storytime with Santa



The first Scholastic Book Fair of the year wrapped up last month

Thank you to Colleen Domanski and Kim Federico for all of your hard work on chairing this event. Thank you to all of our volunteers, the OCS staff, and to all of our students, grandparents, and families for your participation.

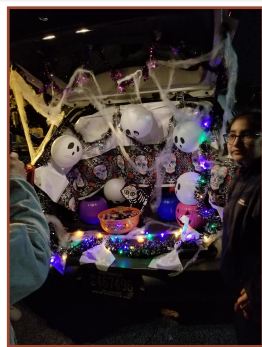
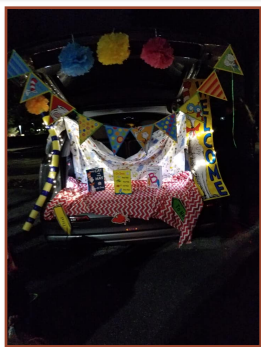
This book fair set a new school record and sold \$25,100.68 in books in just one week! This earned the Odyssey Charter School \$12,550.34 in Scholastic dollars which will be used to buy books and miscellaneous equipment for the teachers, their classrooms, and the school overall.

Thank you also to all of those who participated and volunteered in the OCS PTO's 4th annual Trunk or Treat on Friday, October 19th.

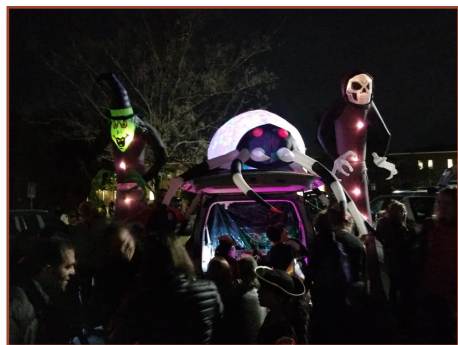
We had around 55 cars ("trunkers") and loads of "trunk or treaters"!

A fun time was had by all and we couldn't have done it without our volunteers!

***An extra special "Thank you" to Kelly Padovani and Kim Federico for chairing this awesome event.



Trunk or Treat



**Congratulations to our decorated trunk contest winners:
Spider, Unicorn, & Death Restaurant.**

Like us!  
Tweet Tweet!

The PTO uses [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) to notify our parents with the current happenings of the PTO so be sure to like our page [ODYSSEY CHARTER SCHOOL PTO](#) and find us on Twitter [@OCSpto!!!](#)



FUNraising at

Friendly's

**Odyssey Charter School
is Hosting a FUNraising
Event at Friendly's on**

**Tuesday, November, 13th
5:00pm - 9:00pm**

10% of all sales will be donated to our organization.

Come Join Us at

5331 Brandywine Pkwy, Wilmington, DE

