

OCEAN SHORE

SCHOOL

🐠 Welcome

Agenda

- 🐬 🛛 PTO Presidents Michele Tuman & Patricia Balmas
- Principal Report
 - 🠬 Jeanne Bellinger
- Announcements
 - Oceans411, Diversity Learning Group, Environmental Action Team
- 🐠 Budget
 - Current year and Expectations for Next Year
- Fundraising
 - 🠬 🛛 Jenny Abellana & Gina Smith
- 🀠 Family Education
 - Reading with your Child K-1 Jennifer Mitchell
 - Restorative Practices Natalie Abinante
 - Trauma Basics targeted to 6-8, but open to all RTS
 - 🐬 Help making the Yearbook Tanya Guido

Principal's Report

W Teacher Training: New Social/Emotional Learning Curriculum

• On Campus Updates: portable classrooms almost complete

M Return to School Task Force Update: we aren't going back yet

More Newsletter: Shout out of the week, community events, school business

Announcements

🐠 OCEANS 411: Sophie Korn & Michelle Zuromski

Diversity Learning Group: Sharon Turner



Environmental Action Committee (EAT):
 Jonelle Chase

OCEANS 411

2021 Theme: Marine Mammals! Important Details:

• Dates: May 24, 2021- June 4, 2021

 Check the website to learn more about the program and what was created during the 2020 Virtual Oceans 411: Wave Zone <u>www.oceans411.org</u>

Stay tuned for whale themed t-sales!

Marine Mammals Across the Grades K-1st grade: Marine Mammals 2nd-6th Grade

- Polar Bears (Katy)
- Baleen (Marguerite/Sandy)
- Toothed Whales (Jonathan)
- Manatees/dugongs (Ally)
- Pinnipeds/Walruses (Michelle)
- Sea Otters (Renee)

 Human Impacts (Virginia)
 7-8th Grade: support k-6 by designing lessons, websites, and activities to supplement teacher/parent lessons Contact your child's homeroom teacher if you have time, ideas, resources or contacts to support our delivery of engaging Marine Mammal curriculum!

Oceans 411

Charles A. Becker Foundation funds:

- <u>Oceans411.org</u>
- K-8 oceans curriculum
- Oceans 411 T-shirts
- Mosaic murals
- Assemblies
- Field trips and professionals (Marine Science Institute)
- Taste of the Oceans
- Partnership with City of Pacifica to create signs around Linda Mar wetlands and Informational Totems



Diversity Learning Group Meets the last Wednesday of the month 7pm via Zoom

DLG Bookclub meetings: Mon 2/8 and 2/22 from 7-8pm. The book is *How to be An Anti-Racist* by Ibram K. Kendi. Please join even if you haven't yet participated!



Next DLG meeting is Wednesday, 2/24 @ 7pm

tps://zoom.us/j/94549565997?pwd=bFBpcFRoZUZsZ25vL2InR2Zkenc2UT09

- Celebrate Diversity Week (March 16-18)
- Meeting ID: 945 4956 5997 Passcode: DLG
 - Interested in helping out? Please email at <u>dlg@osspto.org</u>

Resources:

- OSS MLK Celebration (Flipgrid)
- <u>10 Tips for Teaching and Talking to Kids about Race</u> (Embrace Race)
- How White Parents Can Use Media to Raise Anti-Racist Kids (Common Sense Media)



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COVID OSS GARDEN

Pandemic Garden.mp4

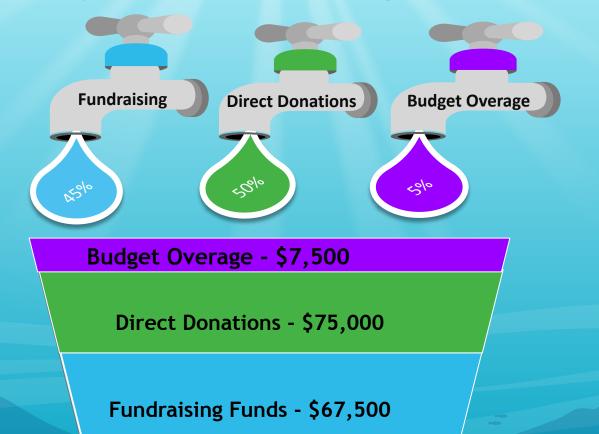
Exciting Updates to our Budget

We added \$2,000 for Full Year DL Class Support We added \$250 for each OSS class to support DL needs

Distance Learning PE for K-5



Our Typical School Year Funding Sources





A **rainy day fund** is a reserved amount of money that our organization put aside to use in the case regular funding becomes disrupted.

It relieves the stress from our membership and school staff in times of financial distress and helps keep the important programs until things hopefully go back to normal.

Typically, it is suggested that we have at least 1 year worth of funds. Rest assured we have have the funds.

This School Year is a bit Different!



FUNDRAISING

Passive fundraising (Easy Money) important for 2021

- Amazon Smile, Oceana Market, BoxTops, Dine Out Days
- Details at osspto.org/easy-money



You shop. Amazon gives.

Amazon Smile TIPS:

- Set up Amazon Smile and choose Ocean Shore PTO as your charitable organization.
- If shopping in a browser, ALWAYS use smile.amazon.com NOT amazon.com
- Now available on Amazon app! Click on 'settings' in the app, tap on Amazon
 Smile and follow the instructions.

Get Involved! email: fundraising@osspto.org

DINE OUT DAYS



Panda Express (20% donated to OSS) Dates: Feb. 12, Mar. 19, Apr. 23, May 28



Round Table Pizza Linda Mar (15% to OSS) Dates: Feb. 19, Mar. 5, Apr. 2, May 7



Chipotle (33% donated to OSS) Dates: Feb. 17, 4pm - 8pm

Get Involved! email: <u>fundraising@osspto.org</u>

SPRING / FALL FUNDRAISING

- Spring 2021 Focus: Fun & Community!
 - See's Candy
 - Adult & Student Paint Nights
 - Trivia Night
- Planning now for Fall 2021 Want to join us?

Have ideas?

Reach out!

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FAMILY EDUCATION All Sessions begin at 7:45pm



<u>Session Room 1</u>

Jennifer Mitchell: How to Read with Child 🍣



<u>Session Room 2</u>

Natalie Abinante: Restorative Practices



<u>Session Room 3</u>

RTS: Trauma Basics

Session Room 4



Tanya Guido: Yearbook



Thank you Ocean Shore School General PTO Meeting