

WALKATHON

MONDAY, APRIL 14 AT 8:30 AM | FRCSMINUTEMEN.COM/WALKATHON

Each year, Franklin Road Christian School is privileged to host our annual Walkathon. This event serves as an opportunity for our students to show their support for our school while engaging in a physically fun and fit activity. Participants in the Walkathon can either be sponsored based on the distance they walk or by simply receiving a donation to walk.

This year we are excited to introduce a new method of raising funds for our cause. In addition to individual sponsorships, we are also promoting corporate sponsorships by local businesses. These businesses can sponsor select students or the entire Walkathon event. Businesses who choose to sponsor our school and students will have advertisements placed in our gymnasium, on our school website, and on our weekly Parent Page.

We have set a goal for \$100.00 per student. The funds we raise will go towards many improvements and upgrades in both our elementary and high school. As an extra incentive, students will be rewarded based on how much they raise. Students participating in the Walkathon could win a day off school or up to \$2,500 dollars in tuition credit!

We want to thank everyone in advance for supporting our school in the Walkathon. We are excited to see the improvements that come to Franklin Road Christian School as a result of your generous donations.

SPONSORSHIPS					
Standard			Corporate*		
Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum	Diamond	
\$50	\$100	\$250	\$500	\$1000 +	
Mentioned on Parent Page	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Engraved Paver**	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓
Advertised on Parent Page and frcsminutemen.com	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓
Gymnasium Banner	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓
Personalized Gymnasium Banner	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓

*All Walkathon donations are tax deductible for businesses.

**Engraved pavers are limited to 16 characters and can be purchased separately.

PARTICIPANT RULES

1. Students may start collecting pledges as soon as they receive the pledge sheets. Reminder: April 14th is the deadline to turn in your pledges.
2. Each sponsor making a pledge should write their own name, pledge per lap, and maximum pledge. Students may collect the pledge in advance but must turn them in to their teacher on Monday, April 14th, in their Walkathon Envelopes during home room.
3. On Walkathon day, each class will start walking at 8:30 a.m. on our parking lot. Each lap is approximately 1/4 mile. (Preschool Students will participate in a tricycle ride which will begin at 9:00 am and last for 30 minutes.)
4. Upon the student's completion of the Walkathon, each student's lap total will be recorded on their pledge sheet. Students may then collect outstanding pledges. Please return pledge sheets with the collected pledge money for Standard Sponsorships to FRCS by Friday, April 18th. (Corporate Sponsorship pledges can be received as late as May 19, 2014.)
5. No running or jogging will be allowed. Participants are encouraged to wear hats and sunscreen if it's sunny or bring rain gear if it's rainy. To avoid injury, please dress appropriately for walking.
6. Dress Code: PE shorts that are to the knee, good tennis shoes, and an FRCS T-shirt may be worn for this activity. Please bring school clothes to change into after you have walked.
7. Students who do not participate will remain in class. Students who are planning to walk must raise a minimum of \$25 to walk.
8. The kitchen will not be serving lunch. You can bring your own lunch or lunch may be purchased for \$5.00 in advance. Lunch includes: Chick-fil-a sandwich, chips, drink, and dessert. Your student will receive an order form at a later date to purchase this meal.
9. Adults are encouraged to participate. However, there will be a fee of \$25 for all those who want to participate without obtaining sponsors. We ask that you dress according to the school standards outlined in our handbook.
 - Only Walkathon participants are eligible for prizes.
 - All students who raise \$50 or more will not be required to attend school on Wednesday, April 30th. For those students who choose to attend school this day, games and activities will be planned for them.
 - All students who do not reach their \$50 goal will be required to be in school on April 30th as a regular school day.
 - Franklin Road Christian School reserves the right to deny sponsorship from any business that may not support the moral standards and general philosophies of our school.

PARTICIPANT PRIZES

Students receive prizes based on the amount of sponsorship they obtain.

\$50	DAY OUT OF SCHOOL <i>TOYS-R-US \$10 GIFT CARD FOR PRESCHOOL</i>	\$1,000	LUNCH CREDIT OF \$250
\$100	LUNCH CREDIT OF \$10	\$5,000	TUITION CREDIT OF \$1,000
\$250	LUNCH CREDIT OF \$25	\$10,000	TUITION CREDIT OF \$2,500
\$500	LUNCH CREDIT OF \$100		