



DEERFIELD

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Falcon Flyer September 10, 2021

Happy Friday Deerfield! Next week, we are excited to welcome Sami from Sami's Circuit to Deerfield. Each class will get to participate in a fun assembly with him on Monday. And, on Wednesday, September 15, we will host the first Sami's Circuit Family Night of the year. If you did not get to participate in one of these last year, don't miss out! This is a great hour of fun for the whole family. Follow this link to join the livestream from 6-7 p.m. <https://www.samiscircuit.com/familynightcalendar>. Please log in and show your Deerfield school spirit!

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

- **Wednesday, Sept. 15:** Sami's Circuit Virtual Family Night 6-7 p.m.
- **Sept. 18:** PTA Move N' Groove Zumba Class
- **Oct. 5:** No School – Parent Conference Day
- **October 4, 6,7,8:** Parent Conference Week, minimum days Gr. 1-6, TK modified day
- **October 8:** PTA Fall Carnival

Announcements:

Jr. Vaquero Cheer Camp: Come show your spirit at the Irvine High School Jr. Vaquero Cheer Camp. The fun takes place at Irvine High on Friday, Sept. 17. All Jr. cheerleaders ages 4—grade 6 can participate. For more information, click [here](#) for the flyer.

“Youth Ride Free”: The Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) is excited to announce a new “Youth Ride Free” promotional pass. This free youth pass will allow youth ages 6 to 18 to ride all OC Bus fixed-route buses every day for free during a six-month promotion Sept. 2021 through Feb. 28, 2022. For information regarding the program visit: [OCbus.com/YouthRideFree](https://ocbus.com/YouthRideFree). To participate in the program, complete the [Parental Request Form](#). Printed forms are also available in the front office. Then return the completed and signed form to the front office to be issued a youth bus pass.

REMINDERS:

Deerfield Calendar: Our new Deerfield calendar for the 2021-2022 school year is out. Your student will be bringing a copy home next week.

Data Confirmation: Please complete the data confirmation process in the parent portal. Simply go to **myiusd.org** to update your contact information. This will ensure we have the most up-to-date information regarding your student. Please see the [attached document](#) for instructions.

Health and Safety

Deerfield, along with all of the IUSD, will follow the guidelines for schools provided by local and federal health agencies. For up-to-date district information, visit <https://iusd.org/covid-19-resource-page>.

School Lunch

Menus are always available on the IUSD website [here](#).

PTA Announcements:

NEW! Room Parent Kick-Off: This is the BEST YEAR to join forces with Deerfield's staff and PTA. We need YOU (moms & dads) to keep it going all year long. For responsibilities and to sign-up, click [HERE](#).

NEW! Move N' Groove Fitness Saturdays, 9/18: Families, join us at 8:30 a.m. on the Deerfield blacktop for a FREE Zumba class. Music, dancing, and exercise - don't miss it! Full year schedule and more info [HERE](#).

NEW! Deerfield Carnival Fundraiser 10/8: Mark your calendar! Join us Oct. 8, from 4:30-7:30 p.m., (tentatively) for some family fun, in partnership with [Fun Services!](#) Games, contests, food trucks and more! Sales from event wristbands and business sponsorships will go directly to PTA programs.

- Volunteers Needed for Carnival - Check out the opportunities to help PRIOR to the event and "DAY OF" activities. Click [HERE](#)
- Want to promote your business at the event? Contact dfptainfo@gmail.com for more info.

PTA Membership: We handed out more than 200 popsicles this week -- way to go Deerfield! Join by this Friday so your kiddos receive a cool treat on Wednesday - only \$15 per adult. [Join Now](#)

Reflections Art Program 9/1 -10/20: Show us what this year's theme ..."I will change the world by ..." means to YOU! Entries are due ONLINE by **10/20**. More info [HERE](#).

General PTA Meeting Notes: Did you miss the meeting? [Check out our presentation and meeting minutes!](#) Thank you to everyone who joined us. Our next meeting is Nov. 10!