

HELMS **PTA** Year in Review 2023-2024



MEMBERSHIP

**252 Parents, Teachers,
Grandparents and Other
Community Members
Joined PTA**



STUDENT ENRICHMENT

- **Magician**
- **Lunar New Year Dragon Dance**
- **Yoga (3-5th Grade)**
- **Solar Eclipse Glasses for for the Entire School**
- **Observatory Tent (3rd-5th)**
- **Puppet Show**
- **Crocodile Encounter**
- **Outdoor Spaces - Tadpole Activities, Seed Bombs and Tree Planting on Campus**



PROGRAMS & EVENTS

- **3 Summer Playdates**
- **Ready to Grow Gardens (1st-5th/SLC)**
- **Writers in the Schools (3rd-5th)**
- **Odyssey of the Minds (3rd-5th)**
- **Compost Program**
- **Garden/Wetland Days**
- **Safety Patrol (4th & 5th)**
- **Chalk the Walk**
- **Tacos & Tissues**
- **Movie Night on the Turf**
- **1st Year for School-wide Yearbook**
- **Hispanic Heritage Festival**
- **Loteria**





STUDENT SUPPORT



- Music & Dance Ancillary
- SPARK Park All-Abilities Update
- PK/K Turf & Privacy Fence
- Chalkboards on Both Playgrounds
- Wetland Refresh
- Oddesey of the Minds - Team Made it to State!
- Water Filters
- Imagine Espanol
- New Spirit Shirts

TEACHER SUPPORT



- 1 Spanish Language Assistant
- All Teacher & Staff Wish Wall Purchased
- Reception Area Refreshed
- Teacher/Staff Work & Lunch Room Refresh

HOSPITALITY



- 5 Special Days for Teachers/Staff (National Popcorn Day, Souper Bowl, Valentine Dessert Bar, Cotton Candy Day Turkey for Thanksgiving Meal for Teachers)
- Inservice Meals Provided to Teachers
- 2 Helms After School Hours Meetups for Parents and Teachers
- A Successful Teacher Appreciation Week!

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM



- 286 Students Registered
- 34 Staff Members
- AMAZING Parent Volunteers
- Enrichment Offerings: Baking, Coding, STEM, Financial Literacy, Hip-Hop Dance, Soccer, Art Club, Creative Movement, Homework Lab, Chess, Academic Games, Culinary, Free Play and Much More!

Helms Families, Community Sponsors & Donors



Masquerade Gala
de Mascaras
October 7, 2023



Helms Carnival
April 13, 2024