

FRIENDS OF STOCK NEWS

October 2025 | ISSUE 3

GENERAL INFORMATION

Join FOS and WIN!

Classrooms with 80% FOS membership by October 24th will receive an in-class glow stick party! Join [HERE!](#)

Thank you to everyone who's already a member!

Volunteers Needed

We're looking for volunteers to help with the following events, sign up is easy- just follow the links below!

- **Fall Fest: October 24**
- **Nonno Pino's Meal Pick-Up at Stock: October 27**

Stay Connected!

Instagram: [@friendsofstock](#)

Facebook: [The Friends of Frederick Stock](#)

E-mail:
friendsofstock@gmail.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct 6-19: Read-a-Thon
- Oct 8: City Barbeque Dine Out
- Oct 24: Fall Fest at Stock
- Oct 27: Nonno Pino's Take and Bake Fundraiser
- Nov 12: Moretti's Dine Out
- Nov 18: FOS Virtual Meeting
- Dec 4: Portillo's Dine Out
- Jan 11: Wolves Game

See the flyers attached to the back of this newsletter for more details!

FUNDRAISING RESULTS

A huge thank you to everyone who has participated in our events! Here are the results of our recent fundraisers:

Stock Rocks T-Shirt Presale:\$462

Touch-A-Truck: \$759.40

Lou Malnati's Dine Out: \$230.40

Dairy Queen Dine Out: \$300

Scholastic Book Fair: \$1,202.09

NONNO PINO'S TAKE AND BAKE

Pre-order your Take and Bake Meal and pick it up during Parent Teacher Conferences on Monday, October 27! Meals feed 4 people!

Option 1:

(\$45, FOS receives \$10 back)

- Baked Penne Marinara & Mozzarella
- Sides of Meatballs and Italian Sausage with Marinara
- Brownies

Option 2:

(\$60, FOS receives \$15 back)

- Penne Pasta with Marinara
- Chicken Parmigiana
- Brownies

Complete pre-order form [HERE](#) by Tues, Oct 21st!

CITY BARBEQUE DINE OUT

City Barbeque
October 8
11AM-8PM
123 N. Northwest Hwy
Park Ridge
Code: GIVEBACK



BOOK FAIR FUN

Thank you to everyone who came to the Book Fair last week and purchased books for their classrooms. Classroom picks that were not purchased by families, were purchased by FOS for the classroom. Another big thank you to the volunteers who made the event possible!



STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Meet Ms. Jennifer

Ms. Jennifer is our Studio teacher. She has taught at Stock for 29 years, and has 33 years of Early Childhood experience!

Fun Facts about Ms. Jennifer:

- There are 4 (almost 5) CPS educators in her house!
- She loves rainbows and sunsets!
- She plays the drums!

Don't forget to send in photos of artwork from home to Ms. Jennifer to be displayed at Stock:



FAMILY CONNCETIONS

Meet the Labombard Family!



They have been a part of the Stock community since 2019!

Fun facts about the Labombard family:

- Their daughter has a rare genetic disorder affecting 1,000 people in the world
- They live 3 blocks from Stock!
- Check out Maggie's delicious sourdough for a great cause on Instagram: @windycitysourdough

EMAIL US!

Want to be featured in the next Staff Spotlight or Family Connection? Send us a photo, and your fun facts to friendsofstock@gmail.com, with the corresponding subject line. Be on the look out for your feature in our newsletter, bulletin board or socials!

Stock Read-A-Thon

OCTOBER 6- OCTOBER 19 2025

WHAT IS IT?

All-School Fundraiser

A fundraiser to encourage our entire student body to read with families and friends while simultaneously raising funds for Friends of Stock School. Monies fundraised will be used towards ChiMe music program, staff supports, and special events.

Timeline

Read-A-Thon will run from October 6 through October 19!

How Will It Work

Every student will be assigned their own page on our platform, 99Pledges. Students and families will use this page to share their reading goal, and collect donations. Families can choose to request a flat, one time donation, or ask for pledges based on how many books their student reads. 99Pledges is COPPA compliant; keeping your families information safe and secure.

What Counts As Reading

Everything! Reading with someone, independent reading, viewing and browsing picture/chapter books, audiobooks, and magazines!

ALL-SCHOOL GOALS

Collectively, across the school!

BOOKS READ

1000

DOLLARS EARNED

\$2500

READ-A-THON RESOURCES

- Roden Public Library: 6083 N. Northwest Highway. Check out our suggested reads in the children's corner, and sign up for a library card!
- Your classroom's lending library: located on your mailboxes!
- Scholastic Book Fair October 1-2: Pick up a book to read!

PERMISSIONS

Please read the following page for specifics on information sharing and privacy!

The poster is framed by various watercolor illustrations of autumn-themed elements. In the top left, there are large orange and red oak leaves and a smaller yellow leaf. To the right are yellow leaves and two acorns. Further right is a cluster of orange berries. On the left side, there are purple berries and a cluster of red berries. On the right side, there is a single red and orange leaf and a cluster of orange mushrooms. At the bottom, there are yellow leaves, a branch with yellow leaves, and a cluster of purple berries.

Friends of Stock Presents

FALL fest

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH
4:00PM - 6:00PM
STOCK SCHOOL
7507 W BIRCHWOOD AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60631

Join us for an afternoon of kids' activities, crafts, and family fun! Best of all, **entry is covered by FOS!** Concessions and pizza will be available for purchase. Proceeds will support the ChiME music program, staff supports, and special school initiatives.



EAT TO SUPPORT
FRIENDS OF STOCK

PREORDER YOUR TAKE & BAKE MEAL

from Nonno Pino's

Meal 1 - \$45 - Feeds 4

- Baked Penne Marinara & Mozzarella
- Sides of Meatballs and Italian
- Sausage with Marinara
- Brownies

Meal 2 - \$60 - Feeds 4

- Penne Pasta with Marinara
- Chicken Parmigiana
- Brownies

Please place your order by **Tuesday, October 21st**. Orders will not be submitted unless payment is received. Complete your order form [here](#), or scan the QR code below.

Pick it up at Stock on Parent-Teacher Conference Day, Monday, October 27th.

Monies raised help fund ChiME music program, special events and staff supports.

Instagram: @friendsofstock
Facebook: The Friends of Frederick Stock School



FRIENDS OF STOCK

GLOW STICK DANCE PARTY



CLASSROOMS WITH 80%



PARTICIPATION OF FOS MEMBERSHIP BY
OCTOBER 24TH WILL WIN AN IN-CLASS
GLOW STICK DANCE PARTY!

\$25

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