

## September 2021

Hello Island Family!

As we move into September, we are starting to grow our initiatives for the year.

First, we are very much looking forward to building community on Thursday night during our first ever Glow Golf event! If you haven't signed up yet, there are still spaces available. Click the calendar link to register!

We are also prepping for our major fundraising campaign known as the Alternative Fundraiser. An alternative fundraiser allows us to reap the benefits of traditional fundraising without having to sell various merchandise to family, friends, neighbors, coworkers etc. It's a safe, easy, and effective way for your family to do a once yearly contribution. More information is located on the next page of this newsletter.

Everyone's favorite purchase item comes up for sale this month as well. We will be taking orders for our Year of Roots Spirit Gear. All orders are due by Wednesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, to ensure delivery before Spirit Week.

And, finally, we are already prepping for our next big event(s): Spirit Week and Fall Festival. If you are interested in serving on any of our event committees, please see the sign ups below.

Thank you for all your support and enthusiasm as we get this school year started. We are excited to connect with you along the way!

### *Your Island Montessori FSA*

*AmberLynn Pappas, President*

*Shannon Warner, Vice President*

*Jennifer Garrabrant, Treasurer*

*Melanie Hodge, Communications*

*Mattie McMurray, Historian*

*Lindsay Moye, Children's School Liaison*



## Mark Your Calendar

September 9 - [Glow Golf](#)

October 25-29 – Spirit Week

October 28 – Fall Festival

November 10 – Take Out Night

November 15-19 – Book Fair

December 5 – Holiday Bazaar

December 15 – Take Out Night

January 11 – Take Out Night

February 10 – Bowling Night

February 22 – Take Out Night

March 11 – Freak Out Party

April 10 – Tinted Turtle Trot

May 2-6 – Teacher Appreciation Week

May 25 – End of School Night

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FSA**

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## Alternative Fundraiser

Friday your family will be receiving our Alternative Fundraiser envelopes. In the Year of Roots the FSA's 4th Annual Alternative Fundraiser aims to raise over \$10,000 to support teacher grants and other school improvements.

An alternative fundraiser allows us to reap the benefits of traditional fundraising without having to sell various merchandise to family, friends, neighbors, coworkers etc. It's a safe, easy, and effective way for your family to do a once yearly contribution.

We have two options this year for contributing:

- The first is that you can simply drop the envelope back to the school with your donation and it will be collected by the FSA after September 30th.
- The second option allows you to contribute without leaving your house by donating via our [Pay Pal Link](#)



## Spirit Gear

[Click here to order now](#)

*All orders are due by 10/6*



## Our Committees Need Your Help

Email us to join the Fall Festival Committee

OR

Email us to help plan the Holiday Bazaar

OR

Join the Turtle Trot Committee to help plan for the race held in April