

NICHOLS MIDDLE SCHOOL ANNUAL WALK-A-THON

Nichols has Heart

A Walk-a-thon in Memory of Sandy McDermott

Friday, May 29th, 2015

Nichols Middle School

12:00 pm

The eighth annual Nichols has Heart Walk-a-thon will be held Friday, May 29, 2015 starting at Nichols Middle School! The Nichols has Heart Walk-a-thon is a much anticipated Nichols community celebration that includes a picnic lunch and carnival like games in addition to the Walk.

The Walk-a-thon began in 2007 as a Nichols student council event that partnered students, staff, parents and the community. In 2008, the Walk-a-thon was dedicated to honor Sandy McDermott, a beloved Nichols teacher who died suddenly of a heart attack at school in February of that year. It officially became known as the “Nichols has Heart – A Walk-a-thon in Memory of Sandy McDermott. “

Over the past 7 years, the Nichols Has Heart Walk-a-thon has raised over \$140,000; \$42,000 has been awarded in college scholarships to Evanston Township High School students who also attended Nichols Middle School, \$35,000 has been donated to great causes like the American Heart Association and Presence Saint Francis Hospital, and \$35,000 has been given to the Nichols PTA

Our continued partnership with Presence St. Francis and an improved social media platform made 2014 our most successful year yet. Adding more community sponsors this year will help to ensure that this great event continues to grow and provide supports for students and other community members throughout Evanston.

If you would like to learn more, please visit and LIKE our FACEBOOK page at

www.facebook.com/NicholsWalkathon

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www.mcdermottwalkathon.weebly.com



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Make Checks Payable to
NICHOLS MIDDLE SCHOOL WALKATHON

MAIL form back with contribution to:
Nichols Middle School
Attn: Maria Kareotes
800 Greenleaf
Evanston, IL 60202

____ Yes- include us on Sandy McDermott social media pages.



____ No- do not include our company on social media.

Contact Maria Kareotes at 847-859-8669/ kareotesm@district65.net