

## Walker Student Leadership Team

Hello Walker Parents,

We wanted to inform you about a new and exciting club that is being offered to all 3rd, 4th and 5th graders at Walker this year - the Student Leadership Team (SLT)! The motto of the Walker SLT is “**Dare to Care...Be a Leader!**”. Student leaders will demonstrate leadership qualities and set an example for their fellow Walker students. They will also have the opportunity to earn special leadership responsibilities which may include making special announcements and participating in special projects throughout the school year.

Some of the activities of the SLT include:

- leading activities and projects at Walker that focus on helping people less fortunate than ourselves, such as our Basket of Basics project
- leading the school in our annual service project (we are partnering with an organization called Feeding Children Worldwide)
- promoting and supporting special events within our school and community
- promoting the Fish Philosophy
- fostering school spirit
- nominating fellow classmates for exhibiting leadership qualities

There are also some fun responsibilities that are part of the SLT, such as:

- choosing the dress up theme for Wacky Wednesdays which will be one Wednesday per month
- nominating the song for Spirit Fridays
- making special announcements to the school that pertain to SLT
- Promoting our leadership by wearing Dare to Care t-Shirts

Adult Sponsors: Walker Staff: Eric Chisausky  
Walker Parents: Anne Deis, Tracy Korbus, rotating parents from the SLT Committee

The Walker Student Leaders will meet from 3:05 pm - 4:15 pm on the second Thursday of every month, with the exception of our first meeting. Below is a list of meeting dates for the school year:

September 18th - kick off meeting  
October 9th  
November 13th  
December 11th  
January 8th  
February 12th  
March 12th  
April 9th  
May 7th - end of year meeting

We would love to have your child join our Student Leadership Team. If he/she is interested, please complete the attached parent permission form and have your child(ren) return it to their classroom teacher by Monday, September 15th.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact:  
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