



It's time for the....

# **VES ANNUAL READ-A-THON**

**Monday April 8<sup>th</sup> – Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup>**

Our goal is to encourage good reading habits and build strong readers. Donations raised from this event will help fund our popular Author Visit Program. Please support your PTA! All money raised goes back to the elementary schools for the benefit of our children!

Here's how it works:

- Read as much as you can! Fill out the pledge sheet and return it, along with your pledge money to your teacher by April 18<sup>th</sup>. Please direct questions to Jennifer Harris at [jenniferkh1@gmail.com](mailto:jenniferkh1@gmail.com) .
- Please make all checks payable to the "MES PTA". Friends and family may also donate to the Read-A-Thon by using *PayPal*, which can be accessed on our website: [www.mespta.net](http://www.mespta.net).
- Only reading during the Read-A-Thon week counts toward your minutes.
- All reading during the Read-A-Thon week counts, including reading homework and in-class reading! Reading by yourself, reading to someone else and having someone read to you all counts!
- Small pledges are appreciated as much as large pledges! Sponsors may pledge per minute or donate a fixed amount.

*\*\* Raise \$100 or more and enter to win a Kindle Fire 7  
- see prize page for details! \*\**

## **\*\*Important Dates\*\***

**Week of April 1** – Students receive Pledge Packets and may start collecting sponsors!

**Monday, April 8** – Read-A-Thon begins!

**Sunday, April 14**– Read-A-Thon Ends!

**Thursday, April 18** – Pledge sheets, reading logs and pledge money due!



**LEVEL 1: RAISE \$5**  
 Raise \$5 - \$14.99  
 EARN a Woodland  
 Animal Mochi Squishy



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**LEVEL 2: RAISE \$15**  
 Raise \$15 - \$24.99  
 EARN Level 1 plus an  
 "I Love Reading" Pencil  
 and Notebook



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 Raise \$25 - \$49.99  
 and EARN Levels 1 & 2  
 plus a Reading Stress Ball



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 Raise \$50 – \$74.99  
 and EARN Levels 1 - 3  
 plus a personalized  
 Reading Certificate &  
 "I Love to Read" Plush  
 Puppy!



**LEVEL 5: RAISE \$75:**  
 Raise \$75 – \$99.99  
 EARN Level 1 - 4 plus  
 an "I Love Reading"  
 Drawstring Bag!



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**LEVEL 6: RAISE \$100:**  
 Raise \$100 or more  
 EARN all levels plus a  
 9.5" x 7.5"  
 "2019 Read-A-thon  
 Champion" Bear!



**CLASSROOM PRIZES:**

PAJAMA DAY for the class in each grade with the most minutes read!  
 EXTRA RECESS for the class in each grade with the most donations!

**GRAND PRIZE DRAWING!**

All students who raise \$100  
 or more will enter a drawing  
 for a chance to win  
 a Kindle Fire 7!  
 (One per grade)





# Read-A-Thon Reading Log

Read-a-thon Dates: 4/8 through 4/14



Each time you read, write the title of the book and the number of minutes you read below and ask an adult to initial that line. At the end of the Read-a-thon, add up the total number of minutes and ask your sponsors for the money they pledged to support your effort! Pledge Packets are due 4/18!

Student Name:

Teacher:

Grade:

**My goal is to raise \$\_\_\_\_\_ to support Village Elementary School!**

| Session | Date | Title of Book | Number of Minutes | Parent's Initials |
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| Total Minutes Read on This Page:    |  |
| Total Minutes Read on Other Pages:  |  |
| <b>Grand Total of Minutes Read:</b> |  |