

*Shadow Lake Elementary*  
**Get 5 for \$5.00 Challenge**  
*2012 Read-a-Thon Fundraiser*

*Parent Update*

On February 9th, your student will attend an assembly explaining the Read-a-Thon Fundraiser and Dr. Seuss Celebration happening now through March 2nd. Every child will go home with a packet of information about this fundraiser.

Please check your child's back pack and go through the packet with them to be sure they understand the rules of participating in this great fundraising opportunity for Shadow Lake. We want this to be a fun way for the kids to participate while gaining valuable skills through reading, so please consider working toward at least the minimal goal of **5 sponsors for \$5.00 each** for every student.

Earning \$5.00 is as easy as skipping a morning mocha!

Information and additional sponsor sheets and reading logs will be available online at the PTA website, linked through the school website at: [www.tahoma.wednet.edu/SubSite/SLES](http://www.tahoma.wednet.edu/SubSite/SLES)

There is also a sample letter kids can use with parent permission to contact out of town family and friends through email or post.

**Timeline:**

Feb 9th -Mar 5th

Kids find sponsors for pledges to read during the Read-a-Thon.

Feb. 27th-Mar 5th

**Kids to read as many minutes as they can for this week!**

Guest readers in classes all week to Celebrate Seuss and National Read Across America Event.

Mar 5th - 9th

Total reading logs and sponsor sheets, collect donations and turn them in **NO LATER THAN** March 9th to be eligible for prizes.

**Kids can earn great prizes like an iPod Touch and Nook Color e Reader.**

Look in the office and library for information and samples of some of the great prizes kids can win in this event.

***PAWS TO READ BONUS ALERT-*** Kids who participate and read during Read-a-Thon will get to count their minutes toward their March PAWS reading as well! All reading logs turned in by March 9th will be transferred to the PAWS records for them automatically!