



# HAVE FUN READING!!!

**WHO:** All Newcastle Elementary School Students

**WHAT:** Read-A-Thon Fundraiser - Read at least 20 minutes per day for 14 days = 280 minutes

**WHERE:** Wherever you can get some reading done!

**WHEN:** Monday, May 9th at 7am through Sunday, May 22nd at 9pm

**WHY:** Raise money for the Newcastle Elementary School PTSA and win some awesome prizes!



## READING THAT COUNTS

- > Before and after school
- > During recess
- > Free time reading in the classroom
- > Other people reading out loud to you
- > Reading out loud to other people
- > Reading out loud to your pets
- > Assigned reading for homework
- > Reading comic books & magazines
- > Reading in another language



## WHAT YOU CAN WIN

- > Everyone - Bookmark
- > Classroom top readers - Headlamp Hat
- > Classrooms meeting reading goal - Popsicle Party!
- > Top reader every grade - Gift card to Books-A-Million
- > Every reader who meets individual goal - Plush Lion
- > School meets reading goal (90,000 Minutes) - Special surprise with Dr. Wood (HINT: his hair color will never be the same!)
- > School meets \$ goal = 10% Donation to Library
- > And even more special prizes!!



## HOW TO GET SET UP

1. Create your own fundraising website! Go to <https://app.99pledges.com/fund/newcastlekidsread>
2. Choose your classroom name and then click on the option to create a participant page
3. Send your fundraising website to all of your friends and family and ask for their support
4. Link your fundraising website on social media
5. After May 9th, start reading and remember to log your minutes! Your goal is 20 mins per day!
6. Meet your reading goal by May 22nd!



# READATHON

MAY 9TH - MAY 22ND, 2022