



Mark Your Calendar!

We are excited that West Elementary will be participating in Our City READS at the Alton Square Mall. READS Spirit Night will be held Tuesday, September 24th from 4-7pm.

The Alton Square Mall on Tuesday announced the start of Alton READS, a program designed to publicly promote reading through special events at the mall that inspire students, make reading fun and give back to school libraries.

Alton READS features two events for partnering elementary schools. The first is a READS Spirit Night that encourages reading and supports local libraries. The event features interactive games for students who can use their reading skills to win prizes. For every student who attends, the program donates \$1 for the school's library.

The second event is a READS Recognition Night that celebrates the reading achievements of students at the end of the school year. The event features a presentation of certificates by local leaders and a wall of recognition displaying the names of student readers.