## BI-WEEKLY

# FOCUS



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### NYSUT/FFT MAKING STRIDES WALK 2025

The American Cancer Society's Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk was held on Sunday, October 19, 2025. More than 60,000 people, along with Team Farmingdale, walked united at Jones Beach State Park Field 5. Donned in pink, Team Farmingdale celebrated survivors and raised awareness about breast cancer by walking in the annual event. This year, the Federation of Teachers raised over \$2,000.00 for the ACS.



#### FFT SOCIAL GATHERING

Villager in Farmingdale Date: November 7, 2025 Time: 2:45 PM - 5:00 PM

- Drink Specials
- Delicious Appetizers
- Raffles and Door Prizes

Let's celebrate the dedication of our educators and foster our UNION SPIRIT!



### **BENEFIT INFO**



ALL VISION AND DENTAL claim forms must be mailed to:

Administrative Services Only, Inc. 303 Merrick Rd. Suite 300 Dept. 32 Lynbrook, NY 11563

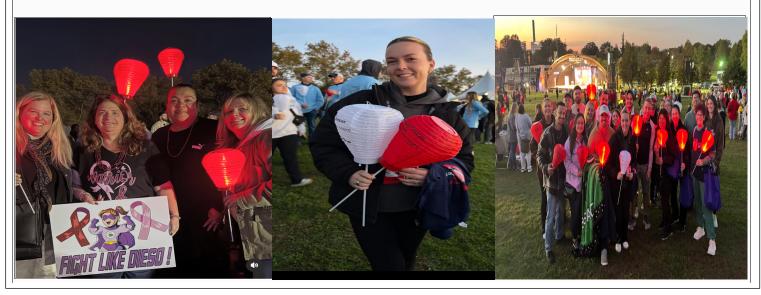
Claim forms can be found on the FFT website:

www.farmingdaleteachers.org www.asonet.com

Any eye care services, or products must be completed or purchased with a receipt by December 31, 2025.

### LIGHT THE NIGHT FFT DALERS FIGHT CANCER WALK 2025

On Saturday, October 18, 2025, the Light the Night Walk took place at Eisenhower Park. Thousands of participants, including Team Farmingdale, gathered to show their solidarity in the fight against cancer. The Dalers Fight Cancer Farmingdale Team paid tribute to survivors, caregivers, and thrivers by joining this meaningful annual event. This year, the Federation of Teachers' fundraising efforts succeeded in raising over \$6,500, contributing to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's (LLS) research funding.



# **Upcoming Events**

# NOW IT'S TIME FOR THE BIGGEST ACTION YET!

On March 8, 2026, at the MVP Arena in Albany, join 10,000+ of your fellow NYSUT members for our largest, most powerful Fix Tier 6 rally yet.



