

# ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

(Deadline for submitting items for the newsletter is 12:00 on Tuesdays)

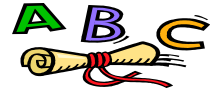
**FEBRUARY 2, 2012**



## ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA SCHOOL MISSION

United by One God, One Faith and One community, St. Anthony of Padua School partners with parents to help students build a strong moral and academic foundation, develop their talents, serve others and cultivate a lasting knowledge of their Catholic faith with the courage to live it daily.

W.O.W. IS: **ACCOUNTABILITY**



## SCHEDULED EVENTS:

### February

- 3: All-School Mass – Gr. 3G (CSW VIP Mass)
- 9: Conferences – 5:00-8:00 pm
- 10: Jr. High Production of *Alice in Wonderland, Jr.* (Matinee for school)  
7:00 pm - Evening Show
- 11: Jr. High Production of *Alice in Wonderland, Jr.* – 7:00 pm - Evening Show
- 13: Sports Boosters Meeting – 6:30 pm (Library)
- 14: Conferences – 5:00-8:00 pm
- 16: **11:30 Dismissal – THERE WILL BE NO BUSSING HOME**
- 17-20: **Mid-Winter Break – NO SCHOOL**
- 21: **School Resumes**



**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2012**

**THERE WILL BE NO BUSSING HOME ON OUR HALF DAY – 11:30 AM DISMISSAL.  
(THERE WILL BE BUSSING TO SCHOOL)  
PLEASE MAKE OTHER DISMISSAL TRANSPORTATION ARRANGEMENTS  
FOR THIS DAY!**

## SCRIP NEWS



Sobie Meats is having a Grand Opening/Meat Sale on February 10 & 11<sup>th</sup>. You can phone or fax your order in ahead of time for faster order pick-up. They are now located at 3450 Remembrance Rd. at Walker Village Drive. Don't forget to order your Scrip! We can order larger denominations than \$10's & \$25's - you have to order them.

Marriott and Great Lakes Scrip Center are excited to offer a 2% bonus contribution from Saturday, February 4, 2012, through Friday, February 17, 2012. That means you can purchase the \$50, \$100 and \$500 Marriott with a 10% contribution instead of the normal 8%.

Don't forget Valentine's Day is right around the corner. We have movies, restaurants, and stores for all of your Valentine's Day needs.

Dr. Laura Fogle DDS payments are due with your next order.

Thank you for using Scrip!



WEST CATHOLIC Senior All-Night Party is selling pennants for \$8.00 each or 2 for \$15.00 and winter hats for \$15.00 each.

Please send money (in an envelope with student's name, grade, and item ordered) into Mrs. Sweedyk or stop by her office.

## Sports Boosters

Come check us out! On Monday, February 13, at 6:30pm, we are having an open Sports Boosters meeting. We are looking for people to join our team!! Next year we will have two positions open that we will be discussing. Positions available are Vice President and Treasurer

Both positions are needed to keep our sports programs running. We would also like to get more parents involved in Boosters and all our activities. This is a great opportunity to ask questions on what Boosters is all about and what we do. Remember the date: Monday, February 13, at 6:30 pm, in the Library

## **Grand Rapids Nutrition Center News and Notes...**

Check out what is on the menu in February!

On Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, be sure to try the new **Italian Dunkers!** These Italian Dunkers are flakey bread bites baked with cheese inside served with marinara dipping sauce.

Also, "**Breakfast For Lunch**" is back on Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.

Don't forget to warm up with our yummy **Broccoli Cheese Soup** with your turkey burger on February 13<sup>th</sup>.

**Chicken Drumsticks** will be served with **Mashed Potatoes and Gravy** on February 21<sup>st</sup>.

We love your feedback and your students' participation in the program. Let us know what your children think of the menu!

If you have any questions, please contact Paul Baumgartner, GRPS Nutrition Services Director, [baumgartnerp@grps.k12.mi.us](mailto:baumgartnerp@grps.k12.mi.us) or 819-2135. Thank you!

## **Box Top Jean Days!**

### **February 9th**

Your efforts in collecting Box Tops and Labels for Education are **very** appreciated and helpful for our school. But did you know?...the torn box tops and untrimmed Campbell labels make extra work before we can submit them for cash or points to benefit the school. **You can really help us by...trimming your box tops and soup can labels around the dotted lines before turning them in.** Each **Label for Education** has a Point Value. Be sure that is trimmed with the barcode. If the soup can label is sticky on the back, you can fold the edge of the barcode under, just to eliminate the sticky edge, or rub the back on a dusty or floured surface. Each **Box Top**, though some are very tiny, should be cut around the dotted line. **THANK YOU!**

We are nearly ready to turn in the **Box Tops** to meet a March 1 deadline. Be sure to send all you have, neatly trimmed, with your child on the next Box Top Jean Day on February 9th. I will continue to check the drawer in the Gathering Space for submissions after that date. Thank you for your help in this, and thank you to all my Parent Helpers, and their helpers! Lisa Barnum, Amy Dorato, Liz Korzeniauskas, Erin Kragt, Annette O'Brien, Laura Schuitman, Ellen Schwartzfisher, Billie Jo Shabluk and Jenny Willsea.

From Chris Jaroszewicz

## *Counselor's Corner*

Quest has been working on several topics over the past semester. We have covered bullying, self-esteem, home court, friendships, nicknames, safe touching, substance abuse/the dangers of alcohol, and tobacco use and now searching out positive heroes.

A Positive Hero is a student who includes others in the classroom, at recess, and at lunch time. They treat others with respect and encourage others. Positive Heroes speak kindly and are happy, positive students. 8<sup>th</sup> grade students interviewed our heroes. Please read below as to who they are and what they had to say.

Your Positive Heroes for this month are:

### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

- Ryan Wilder—a positive hero is someone who helps others. Ryan sees 'sponge bob' as a positive friend. He also says that Peyton Helsen is someone who helps others. Ryan sees himself as a good person and is nice to everyone.
- Ally Olszewski—A positive hero is a good friend!

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

- Jillian Reens—a positive hero is like a fireman. Someone who helps you when you're hurt.
- Kate Schwartzfisher—A positive hero helps friends and is nice. Kate says she plays with everyone and likes helping others. She says it is a big responsibility.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

- McKenzie Daugherty—says being a positive hero means to never give up. She feels she gets along with everyone in her class and is helpful.
- Jenna Spencer—says she likes being a good friend to others and it's fun to have friends so you are not lonely.

### 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Burke Faber—Burke feels he is a positive role model and has learned this from his teachers and parents. He thinks he is a positive hero because he is trustworthy and helpful to others.
- Audrey Schoenborn—is happy and fun to be around. She is supportive and helpful to others.

### 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Nolan Rood—says that he has been influenced by his parents to be positive. He thinks being a good, positive friend is including others and being kind to them.
- Angela Corey—believes she is a good friend to others and can be trusted. She likes helping others and being a good student. She feels that her Aunt Roe has inspired her to do well and be a positive hero.

Positive Heroes (continued):

6<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Shaye Wolfe—Shaye says that her mom has taught her how to be a positive hero. She feels she sticks up for others and would tell a bully to stop. She sees Tim Tebow as a positive hero, too.
- Jenna Doyle—Jenna says that she likes helping others, feels she is honest and gets along with others.

7<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Luke Van Hammen—feels to be a positive hero you need to get along with others and not mock friends. He feels his role model to being a positive hero is his dad. Luke says that he likes to be nice to others and include them.
- Clare Faber—thinks that Taylor Swift is a great role model because she gives a lot to people in need. She wants to be like her. She gets encouragement from her parents and her friends. She feels she is a friend that others can trust. Clare likes helping others and helping those in need.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Anna Masson—overall a positive friend to everyone at all times.
- Daniel Heibel—is a positive friend and does not judge others.



# GO WILDCATS !

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball

Saturday, 2/4: SA vs Rockford Christian - 10:10 am @ OLC

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball

Saturday, 2/4: SA vs St. Thomas - 10:10 am @ St. Thomas

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball

Thursday, 2/2: SA (white) vs ASA - 7:10 pm @ St. Isidore

Monday, 2/6: SA (blue) vs TBA - 6:00 pm @ Rockford Christian

Tuesday, 2/7: SA (white) vs IHM - 7:10 pm @ IHM

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball

Saturday, 2/4: SA vs Holy Trinity - 9:00 am @ Holy Trinity

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball

Saturday, 2/4: SA (white) vs St. Paul's - 10:10 am @ St. Paul's

SA (blue) vs St. Thomas - 12:30 pm @ St. Thomas

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball

Saturday, 1/28: SA (blue) vs St. Paul's - 11:20 am @ St. Paul's

Thursday, 2/2: SA (white) vs St. Stephen's - 6:30 pm @ St. Thomas

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball

Thursday, 2/2: SA vs St. Thomas - 7:40 pm @ St. Thomas

Saturday, 2/4: SA vs St. Paul's - 10:10 am @ St. Isidore

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball

Saturday, 2/4: SA vs Holy Spirit - 12:30 pm @ Holy Trinity



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EXCELLENCE & INNOVATION

# WEST CATHOLIC / CEDAR SPRINGS HOCKEY BOOSTERS DINNER DANCE

February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012  
6:00 PM till 12:00 AM

Polish Falcons Hall  
957 West Fulton

**\$10.00 per person**  
Dinner Provided

Cash Bar

DJ Entertainment provided by "Kevin Bowe"

Silent Auctions

Chinese Auctions

Raffles

50/50 Drawings

-- TICKETS --

Contact:

Diane van Hartesveldt - (616) 453-7618

St. Anthony Drama Club presents:



When:

Friday, February 10, 2012  
Saturday, February 11, 2012  
Both nights at 7:00 pm

Where:

Kenowa Hills Performing Arts Center  
3825 Hendershot NW

Cost:

Adults \$5  
Kids \$3  
Kids 5 and under FREE