

ST. LAWRENCE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

October 6, 2011

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Principal's Corner

Dear Parents,

Today your youngest child is bringing home a parent satisfaction survey. Please take a few minutes this weekend to fill it out and send it back to school on this coming Monday, October 10th. This will help us know what we are doing right and how we can improve. This survey is part of our accreditation process and will help us set our goals for school improvement. Remember that school will be closed on Monday, November 7th so that the faculty can work on our school improvement plan.

The children will continue taking the Iowa Test of Basic Skills next week. Please make sure they get plenty of sleep and get to school on time every day.

So far we have sold 150 Buddy Cards and 50 White Castle Crave Cards. Any child who has sold at least one card may be out of uniform tomorrow. They received their passes today. Please continue to ask friends and relatives to help us reach our goal of selling 800 fast food cards.

Thank you to the parents of the following students who worked Bingo during the month of September.

Students will receive an out-of-uniform pass for Monday, October 10th.

B Dugan	T Paxton	S Sunderman	J Haverbusch	M Young
B Dugan	H Paxton	C Sunderman	S Haverbusch	J Smith
M Niangane	I Paxton	D Miller	M Haverbusch	T Swis
Y Niangane	S Paxton	J Priddy	M Clayton	D Watkins
J Clark	E Stacy	C McGinnis	S Hsu	D Hines
D Crawford	B Portillo Curry	A Lorenzo Hernandez		

Girl Scout Meeting for girls in the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grades will be held TONIGHT, Thursday, October 6th from 6:30-8:00 in Heritage Hall (cafeteria). If you have not registered come and sign up. The cost to join is \$12.00. Hope to see you there! Any questions please call Enid Sunderman at 921-6102.

Free Clothing Giveaway at Western Hills Church of Christ, 5064 Sidney Rd, 45238 (next to Covedale School) on Saturday, October 15th from 9 am-Noon. All are welcome to come; no registration required. There will be clothing for all genders and ages.

The 8th graders are collecting gallon & ½ gallon jugs (milk or orange juice) to use as our table decorations for the Halloween Happening. Please help out by sending the jugs home with an 8th grader. Thanks for your support!

ALL 8th graders and Parents, there will be another planning meeting for the Halloween Happening next Thursday, October 13, in the Assembly Hall at 7:00 p.m. We will be assembling table decorations. Please bring scissors, start up money and 3 bags of candy.

Congratulations to the 11 eighth graders who have successfully completed their training and have become Mediators for St. Lawrence School. These Mediators will use the leadership and peacemaking techniques they have been working on to help students in grades 2-7 resolve arguments and conflicts with classmates and friends. May we have a very peaceful year as we get by with a little help from our 8th grade friends. Kudos to: K Studt, C Ernst, A Griffin, B Brannon, S Sunderman, D Byrd, B Lin, J McAfee, C Smith, M Wolf, T Jones.

SERVERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF

October 8 / 9, 2011

Please be in the sacristy ten minutes before Mass

4:30 pm: S Sunderman, M McGinnis

9:00 am: J Perry, D Miller

11:00 am: V Nguyen, B McEntush

7:00 pm: D Weingartner, B Aufermann

BINGO WORKERS

Sunday workers please report at 12:30 pm

Tuesday workers please report at 5:30 pm

****100% Smoke-Free Facility!****

Sunday, October 9: Parents of J Trester, Z Walker,
E Wolf, J Wu

Tuesday, October 11: Parents of J Behanan, L Bell,
I Hand, S Haverbusch

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IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES

October 3-21	Iowa Testing for Grades 2-8
October 7	First Friday Mass & Awards
October 7	Grades 7 & 8 to Cathedral
October 12	School Picture Day
October 14	Fast Food Frenzy ends
October 21	<u>NO SCHOOL-</u> Teacher In-Service Day
October 26	End of First Quarter
October 28	Halloween Happening
November 3	Report Cards
November 4	First Friday Mass & Awards
November 7	<u>NO SCHOOL-</u> Teacher In-service Day

SCRAP PAPER, which may be used by the school office to run copies for the teachers is always needed. If you know of any persons or businesses that may have usable scrap paper please notify the school office at 921-4996.

BoxTops for Education and Campbell's Soup Labels

are collected by our school. They can be found on many of the grocery items you already buy. Simply cut them off the carton, package or can and send them into school with your children. These labels are redeemed by the school to get classroom supplies and playground equipment.

We collect pop tabs to benefit the Ronald McDonald

House. Pull those pop tabs off those cans and send them into school with your student. They are weighed throughout the year and the class that brings in the most gets a pizza party. Ronald McDonald House is now offering a contest for the school that gives the most and we would love to win! Just Open, Drink, PULL TAB, & send to school!

Health Hints

from

Ms. D-C, School Nurse

The cooler weather of fall has arrived and unfortunately so has LICE! Lice are very small insects (the size of a sesame seed), which live on your head. They bite and feed on blood. They lay eggs called "nits" which attach to the hair shaft. Nits are white or gray and feel hard like a seed. Lice do not jump or fly but can move very fast!

Lice do not spread disease but cause intense itching of the scalp. St. Lawrence School has a "No Nit-No Lice" policy for the comfort of all our students and so we will have the very best environment in which our students can learn.

If your child has live lice or nits, do not send to school. Check with your doctor or pharmacist for the best method of eliminating lice. Please call so that classmates can be checked. Your child will need to be checked by the office or school nurse before returning to class.

Head lice can happen to anyone. Teach your child not to have "head-to-head" contact with other children. Do not borrow hats, headbands and hair holders of any kind. Here at St. Lawrence all students use a large plastic bag to hold coats, hats, scarves,

COKE REWARDS Please continue to donate the Coke Points found on bottle caps and cartons to our school by going to : www.mycokerewards.com clicking on "give points to school" and checking "St. Lawrence".

SunnyD is offering a wonderful program to help get books into our schools. It's called the SunnyD Book Spree, and the program will donate 20 books to every classroom that sends in 20 SunnyD UPC labels. Every classroom can use more books, but teachers often have to spend their own money to supply them. This is a great way to help your student, the teacher, and our school to get our hands on some good books. Last year SunnyD donated over 250,000 books across America. We hope to be included this year so simply collect the labels and send them into school, we will mail them in for our free books. Ask your friends and family to help!

All Ghosts and Goblins save the date as you are invited to the Halloween Happening on Friday, October 28th from 7-11 PM in the Parish Center. It is being sponsored by the eighth-grade students and promises plenty of tricks and treats!