



The Laker

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**We are the Lakers.
We are keepers of God's creation.**

BECKER'S BREAKING NEWS

The first ever St. Edward School Lego Workshop will be starting Wednesday, November 4th in the Fr. Hogan Center cafeteria from 2:45 -3:45 p.m. Please have your registration forms for the Lego workshop in to the office by 11/2/09. The first (20) K-5th grade registered students will get the spots! Any parents interested in helping out and or registering their child/children for any after school activity, please call Lynn Heithoff at 810-385-5093.

Attention Kinder and First Grade girls! If you are interested in joining a St. Edward daisy troop, please have your parents call Julie Rexford at 810-404-3245. If you checked the "Brownies" box on the After School Activities form at the beginning of the school year then you will be getting a call from Mrs. Rexford in the near future. Any Moms interested in leading a 2nd-3rd grade Brownie Troop, please call Mrs. Lynn Heithoff.

I am excited to announce that along with many of our other school activities we will also offer a Little Flowers Girls Club and Blue Knights club during lunch hours at school. I will be leading each of these groups. Little Flowers Girls Club is open to girls ages 5 and up. (Kinders- 5th Grade). See the link below for more information about the philosophy/background of Little Flowers and Blue Knights clubs.

While meetings are held at lunch, optional field trips and activities will sometimes be held after school. I will work with our new Daisy and Brownie leaders and our Cub scout leaders to ensure that Little Flowers and Blue Knights do not conflict with their schedules/activities. Before I begin meeting with the children, I will hold evening informational meetings with parents about each of these clubs. More Info coming soon...

St. Edward on-the-Lake Catholic Elementary School has so much to offer our children. Spread the word!

TRUNK N TREAT NOTES

There will be food on sale from 6:00 - 6:30 in the Hogan Center. Items will be Nachos, chili, or macaroni & cheese, dessert and beverages. Cost is \$3.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children. Proceeds from this will help defray cost of heating the Hogan Center.

From 6:30 to 7:00 - Trick or treating in the north Father Hogan parking lot.

From 7:00 to 8:00 - Games and prizes in the gym. Wear you best Saints costume and receive a prize!

BINGO WORKERS

FOR 10/26:

Lynn Heithoff

Duke Fields

Kim Parraghi

Please see your BINGO Schedule or contact Mrs. Bhesania @ 810-327-6326

SCRIP Workers

5:00 p.m. - Joe Crawford

9:30 a.m. - Stephanie Scandalito

11:30 a.m. - Donna O'Mara

PTO MEETING

The PTO meeting has been changed to October 28th in the school library at 7:00 p.m.

All Saints Day

We will have our All Saints Day Parade on Wednesday, October 28th in the morning with classroom parties in the afternoon. Teachers will be sending home information on this.

NO SCHOOL

There is no school next Thursday and Friday due to MANS Conference for the teachers.

Next Weeks Lunch Schedule

Monday -

Pizza & Bread Sticks \$2.00
2 slices Pizza - \$2.00

Tuesday -

Nacho Salad Bar - \$2.00

Wednesday -

Turkey Sub - \$2.00

Thursday -

NO School - MANS Conference

Friday -

NO School - MANS Conference

NOTE: Beginning November 2nd, 2009 we will begin to offer daily Port Huron Area School Hot Lunches. Two of the many advantages to utilizing the PHASD hot lunches are daily balanced meals, and the ability to offer free and reduced school lunches/milk to qualifying students on a daily basis. Determination of qualification requires completing a strictly confidential application. An application will be sent home to all families. We encourage every family who might qualify to apply. This can benefit not only family finances and children, but our entire schools Title I money allocations (money from the public school district that we are entitled to by law even as a private school). A "banking" system for parents to bank lunch money for their students will also become available. Stay tuned for more information.

CAMPBELL SOUP

We will be collecting Campbell Soup product UPC codes for free items for our school. Attached is a flyer listing eligible products. You can send the UPC's to school with your child or fill the UPC code flyer which is also attached. Each classroom has a bag for these items. The class that collects the most will receive a treat in June.

RUMMAGE SALE FUNDRAISER

Thank you to Mrs. Garofalo for coordinating our first Rummage Sale meeting this past week.

Rummage sale items can be dropped off at the school office between the hours of 7:40 a.m. - 2:40 p.m. After hours small items can be placed in the bin outside the convent doors. Large items like furniture can be dropped off by appointment only.

EARN A FREE DRESS DAY!

Reminder..turn in your completed survey for the "Rummage Sale volunteers" and your child may wear free dress on Monday, October 26th. We need your help to pull off another great sale...\$4000 earned last year! A few hours of your time will go a long way and is greatly appreciated.

CALENDAR DATE

We will be hosting a Chuck E. Cheese Night on November 20th. Our students will sing between 5:30 and 6:00 p.m. Please mark your calendars!

PIP HOURS

We have many different ways of earning PIP hours. Here are just a few -

Scrip -

Debbie Gibbons - 327-6160

Poker -

Lynn Heithoff - 385-5093

Lunch Supervision

Office - 385-4461

Rummage Sale -

Laura Garofalo - 359-2383

Lowe's Giveaway

St. Edward School could win up to \$1,000 just by purchasing a \$25 Lowe's Gift Card through scrip from now until November 13th. Every \$25 Lowe's card purchased during this period will give our school one drawing in the drawing pool. Buy one Lowe's \$100 gift card and get four entries. Reload a Lowe's gift card with \$200 and get eight entries! Think Christmas presents people! Use the attached scrip order form to place your order or purchase what we have in stock if you have a minimal quantity.

Choir

Choir rehearsals are now on Tuesday afternoons from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. If interested, please call Mrs. McCarthy at 385-5428.