

The news and happenings of the Shrine Catholic Grade School Mothers' Club

Mothers' Club Newsletter

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A Night Out With the Mothers' Club-

We will have our final Mothers' Club meeting on May 18th, at 6:30 at Shield's pizza. **PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR.** An email invite was sent last week. If you do not receive Mothers' Club emails please call me at 248-545-6796 and let me know you can come.

Even if you have never been able to attend any other Mothers' Club meeting this is a great event to enjoy ourselves after a year of hard work. The Mothers' Club will be able to help defray the cost of the meal but we will ask for a donation to cover the cost of the meal and there will be a cash bar!

Call or email me with ??'s Sue Niehaus
248545-6796 or jniehaus@wowway.com

The KidsArt Fair was AMAZING! Whether you volunteered, created, or purchased for the KidsArt Fair, it was an overwhelming success, thank you! We started with 364 frames and sold approximately 272!!! That was our KidsArt Fair consultant's largest art fair yet! Way to go! Thank you so much for supporting the Arts in all the ways that you did. When we receive the check from the company, I will let you know how much we made and what specifically the money will go to. Thanks again, Mrs. Melissa Liford

Thank You Library Helpers!

The Library has been very smooth this year due to all the dedicated volunteers and the wonderful people on the substitute list. This has been an unusual year as a few moms had to find a replacement for a regular shift during the school year. The substitutes have been willing and able to take on a regular shift as well as substitute for people on an as needed basis. I want to thank every mom (and dad) who has checked in and out books, reshelfed said books, has smiled for the children and has helped fill each and every need which may come along. Thanks to Denise Adams, Mary Arce, Sue Barnowski, Mary Bolton, Malisa Burt, Sheryl Burley, Michele Chandler, Linda Cyrocki, Rose Golias, Lynn Goreyca-Trout, Laura Harbut, Mary Hichman-Kruszewski, Chris Howard, Maureen Hudson-Smith, Sarab Kamoo, Ana Krick, Jeannie Lillystone, Faith Luddy, Donna Luke, Erin Lyons, Connie Miller, Mary Moylan, Ann Newcomer, Natalie Padilla, Sandra Quigley, Cyndi Russ, Ann Wagner, and Mary Jo Wisneski

Upcoming Dates-

- 5/12 **Bagels**
- 5/12 Kindergarten Round-up 9am gym
- 5/17 **Family Event-Tigers' Game 1:05**
- 5/18 **Final Mothers' Club Meeting at Shield's Pizza** 6:35/29 Last day to order SPIRIT WEAR**
- 6/4 **Uniform Resale**

**Shield's Pizza is in Troy (on Maple near Crooks)

Committee News:

Homeroom Mom's Committee We wanted to thank homeroom moms: Donna Luke, Holly Miller, Anne Newcomer, Heda Ramirez, Tammy Velt-hovan, Kristin Maceroni, Colleen Overla, Teri Tinlin, Beth Ledford, Carolyn Benson, Anna Krick, Mary Ann McCourt, Ann Lichtenburg, Chris Buchanan, Laura Bonnell, Kelly Vogelheim and Marianne LaPoint for all of their help with the year-end Staff Appreciation Luncheon this month. From set-up to clean-up and everything in between, we could not have done it without your help. We would also like to thank all of the parents in these classrooms who were so generous with their donations. Together, we were able to provide the staff with a beautiful and much deserved lunch and let them know how grateful we are for all that they do for our children throughout the year. Erica Battle and Margaret Doman

Market Day- Grilling season is here. Check out the new items - Turkey Tournedos and Mixed Grill (burgers, ranch steaks and ChicNSteakes). In May, if you place a minimum order of \$35, you'll receive a free 4-pack of 1/4 pound burgers. You can order on-line at www.marketday.com until midnight, Mon - May 11th, phone it in at 1.877.MDA.PPLE or return it to the GS by May 8th. The delivery date is Saturday - May 16th. Questions - Cheryl Kennelly, 248.546.6406 or Jennifer Tenorio, 313.316.8163

Social-We need volunteers for the May 12th Kindergarten Round-up! We need a few ladies to help with setup and take down. It's in the morning and we will need to be setup by 8:30 am and we should be cleaned up by 11ish. **This is a great "best foot forward" event.** We get to show off to our prospective new moms what we do here at Shrine. Please contact Veronica Flynn at vaflynn@gmail.com or 248-584-2516.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR SPIRIT WEAR

Spirit Wear: Last week Gym Uniform Pre-Order forms were distributed via kid mail. Gym uniforms **MUST** be ordered this Spring for the next school year. *We will not hold a sale on the first two days of school as we have done in the past.* Gym uniforms (2nd - 6th graders) and uniform-approved sweatshirts can be pre-ordered now through **Friday, May 29th.** **All orders must be pre-paid and dropped off at the grade school office by that Friday.** There are no exceptions! Additional forms can be found on the grade school website or at the front office. All orders will be sent home via kid mail the first week of school. Our regular Spirit Wear sale will still be held next Fall during Meet the Faculty Night and we will have additional items at that time.

Uniform Resale-Please mark your calendars, June 4th, 2009 For the annual spring "Uniform Resale" This is a great opportunity to purchase gently worn uniforms at a fantastic price. Need some extra cash?? Start going through the closets and get organized! We would love to sell your gently worn uniforms...Jumpers, skirts, blouses, shorts, pants, shirts, gym uniforms & spirit wear

Kitchen Helpers	
5/11 Judy DeHondt Marian Ratton	5/18 Anne Lichtenberg Wendy Boji
5/12 Betsy Sinutko Teri Tinlin	5/19 Betsy Sinutko
5/13 Mary Johnson Laura Harbut	5/20 Marianne LaPoint
5/14 Mary Hickman Kruszewski Nicki Ciarlone	5/21 Theresa Mann Linda Cyrocki
5/15 Sandra Quigley Michelle Chandler	No School

Team members wanted to help raise funds for cancer support community

Gilda's Club Metro Detroit cancer support community is looking for walkers and runners alike to join its fundraising efforts during the **2009 Detroit Free Press/Flagstar Marathon on Oct. 18.**

Its team, Gilda's Runners, is hosting an informational meeting at **7:30 p.m., Thursday, June 11 at Gilda's Club**, 3517 Rochester Road, Royal Oak, 48073. Nonprofit and free of charge, Gilda's Club offers support and networking groups, educational lectures, creative arts workshops and social activities for men, women, teens and children impacted by cancer, along with their families and friends.

For more information about the team meeting or to receive a schedule of group training runs, call Gilda's Club at 248-577-0800.

Classified Ads- A Great Way to get the Word Out

The classified Ad section of our newsletter is offered as a service to Grade School parents, faculty, and staff. Each 2 line ad costs \$2 per week. Submit ads by email or hard copy to the office with payment by 3 PM the Thursday prior to publication to "MC President Classifies Ads", include your name & phone number. -Sue Niehaus, jniehaus@wowway.com

Looking for gifts for 1st Communion, Baptism or Easter? Check out **Faith@Work**, a Catholic Bookstore & Coffee House, that donates ALL profit to charity. Located on Wattles E. of Roch. Rd. Contact Beth at (248) 250-9216 or www.faithatworktroy.com (5/26)

Looking for a new dentist that is great with kids (and their parents too) ? Dr. William Palm's office is located at 11 mile & Woodward and offers great flexible hours. He is an "in-network" participating provider that accepts most insurance plans. Call 248-398-6046 (5/26)

Planning a get-a way vacation? Look to Northern Michigan's Leelanau peninsula for a summer rental cottage in Northport, MI. Many amenities to fulfill a memorable family vacation. Call Linda Cyrocki for details 248-433-3873

Think 80, sunny, beautiful beaches and sunset. Charming Northport, Michigan cottage in the lovely Leelanau peninsula. Call Denise Ray for details and availability 248-302-4603

BABYSITTER-Member of Shrine's H.S. youth group, including light house work, meal prep-Haley Hirzel 248.761.1236 5-26

HOUSE CLEANING SERVICE-Member of the Shrine, Reasonable, Flexible Schedule-Sharon Hirzel 248.761.1236 5-26

First Communion Children's Rosary Bracelets, personalized colors and sizing, handmade with sterling silver and Swarovski crystals. Great Mother's Day gift. Marie Bonello, 248-563-1305.

Need a night out? I am an experienced 12 year old certified babysitter. References available upon request. Call Madelyne Luddy at 248-543-9127.

Lake Charlevoix Rental. Special pricing for our fellow Shriners. Sleeps 12-14. Plenty of space for 2 families. Sandy beach, nature trails, hot tub, fire pit, 3 acres of land to explore. You won't be roughing it here. (248) 752-8411 Jennifer Zardus or jazardus@comcast.net.

Jeff's Sprinkler Service LLC. Is available to start up your lawn sprinkler system. Please call 248-320-7259 today to schedule an appointment. (Shrine Dad) (5/26)

Summer Reading Tutor-Private tutoring or "Book Club" style reading available. Call Mrs. Morrison for details @248-425-7913 or email at morrison@shrineschools.com (5/11)

College student currently working as a vet's asst. will watch your house/pets while you are away on vacation. Call Sarah Barbuscak 248-227-5904 (5/11)

Interested in Summer Tutoring? It's a great way to maintain knowledge and improve on skills. **Contact:** Mrs. Pierscinski at pierscinski@shrineschools.com **Available:** Monday-Thursday afternoons (5/11)

Make your Summer plans now. Acres of Arces cabin rentals are located on West Twin lake in Lewiston, MI. This is an incredible multi-cabin site 30 feet from the lake. Book now for discounted rates. Dates in July and August 2009 available! Go to www.AcresofArces.com for detailed information.