

October 2008

Dear Parents,

Muscular Dystrophy Association:

Our school raised \$221.64 from donations during 2 "Hat Days". Students were able to wear a hat of their choice for a donation of 50¢.

Boys Basketball is ready to begin soon. Practice begins Mon. Oct. 6 from 5:00 – 7:30 p.m. All boys planning on participating will need to have a sport's physical before they can begin practice.

Cheerleading will be beginning soon too. Practice will be Oct. 14th 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. Try-outs are Oct. 15 from 3:30-5:00. Ms Boyer will be the cheerleading sponsor.

Just a quick reminder that the school is collecting **BOXTOPS**. Please cut out and send all your BOXTOPS to school. Students need to turn them into the library or office.

Fannie May Candy Sales will kick off on Oct. 2nd. Mr. Gary Boyd the sales rep, will be here to explain to the students the details of the fundraiser. Please look for this information to come home with students. Last year the money raised was used to purchase a new gym floor for the cafeteria/small gym.

NURSE NOTES:

Reminder all 6th grade students must have a Dental exam. Please send in documentation for this state mandated policy. Any questions or concerns call Nurse Haub 815-857-3528 Ext. 302.

IMPORTANT DATES:

*****Boys Basketball games:**

10/14/08 @ Mt.Morris Blackhawk
10/20/08 Sterling Catholic (home)
10/21/08 LaMoille (home)
10/23/08 AFC (home)
10/27/08 Logan Jr. High Princeton
--7th grade Home 4:00
--8th grade Away 4:00
10/28/08 @Polo 4:00

Picture Retake Day – Oct. 15
Oct. 30 Parent Teacher Conferences
Nov. 1 Parent Teacher Conferences

Lunch- Please make every effort to keep money in your child's account. Daily lunch prices are \$2.00 per day and milk is 35¢. Many students like to purchase extras and cannot if their balance is negative. Also, if your child is free or reduced lunch, they may still purchase extras at \$1.75 but must have money in their account to do so. All students are charged for extras.

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be on Oct. 30 and Nov. 1
Notes will be sent home to parents to sign up for a specific time.

***** Remember parents must come to school on one of these two days to pick-up their child's report card.**

Happy Halloween!!

Joyce Schamberger