



# Mustang Newsletter

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*"Be strong and courageous. . .  
For the Lord your God will be with you  
wherever you go." Joshua 1:9*



## School News



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Deanna Fee – August 18, HB February 18



**BUSSING:** No bussing either way, February 15, 16, or 17 for Chippewa or Utica. No pm bussing on March 10.

**PTO MEETING:** TONIGHT, Monday, February 15 at 7:00 p.m. Last month's meeting minutes can be found on the school website.

**NO SCHOOL:** Thursday and Friday, February 18, 19 – Winter Break.



**PACZKI AND JUICE:** Student Council will be celebrating Fat Tuesday TOMORROW by selling paczki's for \$1.50 and juice for 50 cents. **THERE WILL BE NO DONUTS AVAILABLE TOMORROW.**

**ST. PAUL'S GOT TALENT:** This year for "Special Person's Day" we would like to feature talent here at St. Paul. So if your child has a talent - singing, dancing, magic, playing an instrument, etc. and would like to perform, please indicate on the attached form what your child will be performing and return by tomorrow.

**REGISTRATION:** Don't forget to send in your registration slip and \$125 for each child by **Tuesday, February 23** in order to avoid an additional \$100 book fee.

**REGISTRATION FOR PRESCHOOL:** We are now accepting registration for Preschool 3 and 4 for next year. Students must be 3 or 4 respectively by December 1 in order to enroll in classes. Students must also be potty trained. For registration forms call the school office or go to the school website. Tell your family and friends!!!



**LITTLE CAESAR'S PIZZA KITS:** St. Paul will once again be selling Little Caesar's Pizzas beginning today. Orders must be turned in by Wednesday, February 24. Delivery date will be on Thursday, March 4, 3:00 – 4:00pm. An additional incentive has been added to this sale. **For every five pizza kits, pies or tubs of cookies your family sells, each child in your family will receive their choice of either a NUT pass or homework pass. If you sell ten kits each child will receive 2 passes and so forth.**



**HANDBELL CHOIRS:** The St. Paul Ringers are scheduled to perform at 10:15 a.m. on Thursday, February 25 at the Music Festival at Trinity, Utica. We will leave St. Paul at 9:00 and return by lunch. Also, we will play in church on Sunday, February 28 at 10:30 a.m. Please let me know ASAP if there is a problem.

**ACCELERATED READER:** Prizes, prizes, prizes! Some great readers have earned the 1<sup>st</sup> grade candy bars! The candy bars will be awarded on Friday, February 26 at lunch. Special congratulations go to 2<sup>nd</sup> graders Mark and Mackenzie Veatch for making the Honor Roll! They will be earning gift cards to the store of their choice. Great job, readers! **This week Accelerated Reader testing will take place Wednesday afternoon instead of Friday morning, so get your books in early.**

**PROGRESS REPORTS:** Will be sent home next Monday, February 22.



**ZAP those Mosquitoes!!** Just \$10.00 buys a treated bed net that can protect African children and their families from malaria and kill lots of mosquitoes. We have already collected enough money to purchase seven bed nets.

**CLASS AUCTION BASKETS:** You may send in your class auction donation anytime before March 15. Kindergarten – Travel games, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – Bakugan or Tech Deck items, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade – crafts, models, beading kits, etc., 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade - \$6.00 to purchase tickets to Michigan Adventure and Cedar Point.



**ASH WEDNESDAY LENTEN DINNER:** The fellowship committee is sponsoring a Lenten Dinner on Wednesday, February 17 beginning at 5:30p.m. before the Ash Wednesday Service. We will be serving white chicken chili soup, turkey minestrone

soup, vegetable soup and hot dogs. There will also be an assortment of brownies and cookies for dessert. There will be a free will offering to help cover any expenses and contribute to the church maintenance fund. Hope to see you all there.

**SIGN OF SPRING:** Lutheran High School North cordially invites you to attend this special event. Join us on March 18, at the beautiful Palazzo Grande in Shelby Township, for an elegant evening with professional models showing us the newest spring fashions by famous designers. We will also be featuring spring formal and casual wear modeled by our own LHN students and some former St. Paul students. The evening will begin at 6:00pm with a Silent Auction, Diamond Draw, Balloon Draw and Luck of the Draw followed by dinner at 6:45, the show begins at 8:15pm. Tickets are \$53.00 and valet parking is included. There will be a cash bar available. For ticket information please contact Tamara Albright at 586.716.0618.



**TYSON PROJECT A+:** We are now collecting Tyson products with the Project A+ symbol. St. Paul will receive **24 cents** for each label turned in. Please see attached list for complete list.



**MUSIC PROGRAM:** If you would like to assist in helping to fund this enrichment program for the second semester, donations may be placed in an envelope marked “music program” and dropped off in the office. Any donation amount is welcome.



**SCHOOL CLOSING:** If St. Paul closes due to inclement weather you may tune into channels 2, 4, and 7 – we will be listed under Macomb County – St. Paul, Sterling Heights.



**PRAYER PARENTS:** On Monday mornings our prayer group will meet from 9:00 – 10:00 praying for our children and St. Paul. Come join us.



**DO YOU SHOP AT VG'S??** Know of someone who does? Just save your VG grocery store receipts and turn them into the school and we will receive 1% of all your purchases. What a great and easy way to help out the school with operating expenses.



the difference  
1 can make.

**BOX**

**TOPS FOR EDUCATION:** Please continue to save your Box Tops for Education.

**DON'T FORGET TO SAVE:** Campbell labels, Box Tops for Education, ink cartridges, cell phones, digital cameras, newspapers, magazines, junk mail, coke bottle tops or the coke rewards portion on 12 pack boxes.

# SPORTS



## **VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL:**

Practice Tuesday 3:30 – 5:00.  
Wednesday's Practice has been cancelled.

### **Games:**

LHN Tournament on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.



## **CHEERLEADERS:**

Practice: Monday February 22 and Monday, March 1 3:30 – 4:45.

## **THIRD SOURCE FUNDING WEEKLY UPDATE**

**Paper Retriever - \$18.77**

## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

February 15 – PTO Meeting at 7:00pm  
February 16 – Fat Tuesday – Paczki and Juice  
February 18 & 19 – No School-Winter Break  
February 22 – Progress Reports go home  
February 23 – Pre-Registration Due  
February 24 – Little Caesar's Pizza Kits Due  
February 26 – S.O.S. Auction Meeting at 2:15  
March 10 – Special Person's Day – 1/2 day dismissal at 11:30.  
March 15 – Class auction items due.

## **HOT LUNCH VOLUNTEERS**

Monday – Mrs. Veatch  
Tuesday –  
Wednesday – Mrs. Lupo  
Thursday – No School  
Friday – No School  
Monday, February 22 – Mrs. Veatch

*Thank you volunteers! If you would like to help, the sign-up sheet is located outside the school office or you can e-mail which day is convenient for you. Volunteers work from 11:45 – 12:45.*

## **K.O.A.S.T. VOLUNTEERS**

### **Morning 8:00 – 8:30**

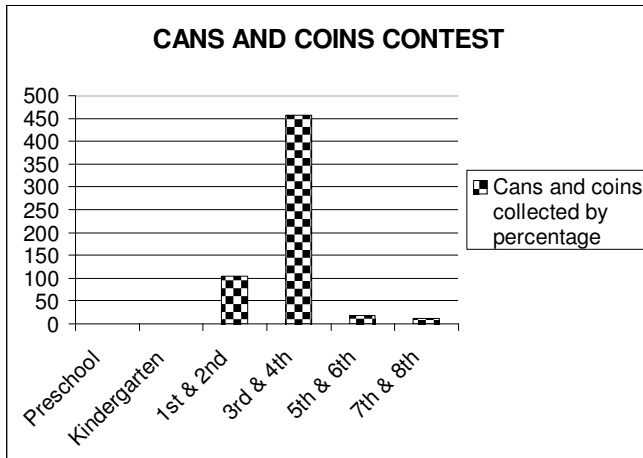
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**Evening 3:30 – 5:00**

Monday – Mrs. Gianakis  
Tuesday – Mrs. Chouinard  
Wednesday –  
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## CANS AND COINS CONTEST:

The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade are once again in the lead!!!



# Classroom News



## Preschool 4

**Letter:** Q

**No School:** Friday, February 19.

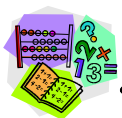
**Registration forms along with \$125 non-refundable deposit must be turned in by Tuesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> in order to take advantage of the 50% off tuition for next year full day kindergarten.**



## Kindergarten

**Memory:** No memory this week.

**Sight Words:** Test on Tuesday.



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

**Memory:** None this week.

**Spelling:** None this week.

**Reading:** Test tomorrow on “Communities”.

**Math:** Fact Test on Wednesday.



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

**Memory:** None this week.

**Spelling:** None this week.

**Reading:** Test tomorrow on “Great Ball Game”.

**Math:** Fact Test on Wednesday.



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

**Memory:** None this week

**Spelling:** None this week.

**Reading:** Test today on “One Grain of Rice”

**Math:** Test on Wednesday.

**English:** Book Reports due Tuesday; we will begin writing an original picture storybook. Please help proofread “sloppy copies”. Completed stories must be handwritten in manuscript with original illustrations (no computer graphics). Final copies are due Tuesday, March 16.

**Religion:** Test on Lessons 44-45 on Tuesday.



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

**Memory:** None this week

**Spelling:** None this week.

**Reading:** Test today on “The Disguise”

**Math:** Test on Wednesday.

**English:** Book Reports due Tuesday; we will begin writing an original picture storybook. Please help proofread “sloppy copies”. Completed stories must be handwritten in manuscript with original illustrations (no computer graphics). Final copies are due Tuesday, March 16.

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