

# QAS School News

August 21, 2009

## Library News

The following students successfully completed the 2009 Summer Reading Program at the **LaPorte County Public Library**: Sidney Johnson, Robert Luscomb, Ben Pizarek, and Paige Pizarek.

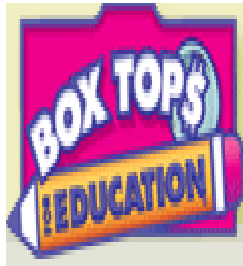
**Michigan City Public Library**: Erin Buskirk, Alex Copeland, Emily Dirks, Emily Gushrowski, Samer Halabi, Brianna Howard, Imran Khan, Kamran Khan, Alex Kroczek, Emily Kroczek, Laura Kroczek, Max McCorkel, Molly Neary, Rory Neary, Jordan Nichols, Ashlee Orman, Jacob Stimley, Jonathan Zerbes, and Julia Zerbes.



## Haircut Reminder



Parents are asked to please refer to page 17 of the handbook for the guidelines for boys haircuts. Please help the young men adhere to the dress code. Hair not being cut to dress code can result in a detention.



Please continue to send box tops in with your children. Money raised from box tops is used to purchase items for the school and students such as headphones, playground toys, and miscellaneous items.

We are looking for a coordinator for Box Tops. Box Tops are counted by room parents and turned into the office. A final tabulation is needed and then turned in for redemption. Mrs. Saenz who coordinated Box Tops the last several years is willing to help anyone interested get started.

We will be sending home a note in the coming weeks asking for volunteers to help collect Box Tops out of their child's classroom and to count them.

Thank you for all of your help in this project.

## Choir News

Choir practices will begin Wednesday, September 2nd. Practices will be from 3:00 - 3:45 in the church. The students are to meet Mrs. Moskovich on the sidewalk by the breezeway of the school before crossing the parking lot to go to the church. The first Saturday Mass that the students will be singing for is September 12th. Students should be at church by 5:00 p.m.

Students who are interested in singing in the student/children's choir may still sign up by bringing a note from a parent or filling out a choir participation form available in the office.



## Viking Wear

Queen of All Saints School is selling t-shirts, long sleeve t-shirts, and polos with the QAS seal or QAS parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle etc. An order form is in today's Brown Envelope and we will have shirt samples in the hall by the office all next week for sizing purposes.

About once a month a jean's days will be designated as 'Viking Wear Day'. Those students with Viking Wear will be allowed to wear jeans for \$1 instead of \$2.

These shirts would be great to wear to sporting events and other school functions. The students can wear the polos to school because they come in the school colors.

## No School Reminder



School will be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day. Please enjoy the extra day off of school.

## VIRTUS Training Dates

- Tuesday, September 15th, 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria
- Monday, November 30th, 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria

All adults who plan on volunteering in the school, driving for field trips, or coaching must be VIRTUS trained. If you received this training at a location other than QAS please provide Mrs. Moskovich with the date and place of your training. The above dates are the only dates scheduled to take place at QAS. You only need to attend one training session which lasts approximately two and a half hours.

## Breakfast and Lunch Prices

Lunch will be \$1.75 for all students.

Breakfast is \$1.35

Reduced lunch costs \$0.40

Reduced breakfast costs. \$0.30

Milk costs \$0.50

Checks for lunch are to be made out to:  
Michigan City Area Schools

Please note the new prices as they are incorrect in the handbook. I apologize for any inconvenience but we were not told of the increased prices until after the handbook was printed.

***Students must have a current physical if they on participating in athletics at QAS.***

## Free/Reduced Lunch Applications

Applications for Free/Reduced lunch are in today's Brown Envelope. This application must be completed each year. Please remember to use black ink only on the application. Also, please complete all areas of the form. A second signature is needed on part 7 of the application if those parents who qualify for free/reduced lunch would like textbook assistance. Without the second signature no textbook assistance can be given. Notification will be sent to families when a determination of eligibility is made.

These applications are to be turned in to the QAS school office as quickly as possible so processing can begin.

## Forms Needing Signed and Returned

Handbooks are going home today. A signature page has been provided to each student. Please review the handbook with them and then sign the signature page for each student. Signature pages are to be returned to your child's teacher by next Friday, August 28th.

The Technology agreement for computer use was also sent home today. Please sign and return the form to school by Friday, August 28th.

## SCRIP News

### SCRIP can now be purchased for Meijer.

Meijer SCRIP can be purchased in denominations of \$10, \$25, \$50, and \$100.

The give back is 4%

The SCRIP office is now open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 7:45 - 9:30 and Tuesday/Thursday 7:45 - 9:00. SCRIP orders can be dropped off in the office, sent in with your child or faxed 872-1943.



Mr. Chuck Stimley, grandfather of Logan Patrick and Jacob Stimley, has volunteered to help wipe down tables in the cafeteria.

Mrs. Duers, mother of Christine and Ally Duers, has offered to help with cafeteria/recess

Mrs. Judge, mother of Jacob and Conner Judge, has volunteered to help in the cafeteria the first Wednesday of every month.

Mrs. Skivers, mother of Emily Skivers, will be helping out at recess on Fridays.

Mrs. Juzwiak, mother of Conner and Tyler Juzwiak, will be helping out at recess and in the cafeteria.

## Label All Items

Parents please remember to label all items such as sweatshirts, lunch boxes, toys, and book bags. Labeling these items makes it easier to return them to the student in a timely manner.



If they are not labeled the items get placed in the lost and found.