

## “The Chat”, Chatfield School’s Weekly News



December 7, 2009

### “It’s Book Fair Time—”The Magic of Reading”

#### **Monday, December 7 2009**

**Book Fair in the Hallway! (8-12 Set Up 12:30—3:30 Classroom Previews, then 3:30-4:00—Open Shopping!**  
**5th Grade Presidential Wax Museum in Gym 9:15-10:15 and 10:30—11:30 a.m.**  
 PM Daycare in Gym 3:30-5:15 p.m.; then in MP Home BBall Games - Vs Woodland Park JV2 @ 5:30 and Varsity at 6:30  
 Adult Yoga in Commons—7:00-8:15 p.m.  
 Volleyball Practice in Gym—7:30-9:00 p.m.

#### **Tuesday, December 8 2009**

**Book Fair in the Hallway! See Scheduled Times**  
**Hot Dog Sales Today at Lunch—\$1 each Ecology Class to Camp LAEL—12:30-2:30**  
 2nd-3rd Grade Kids Yoga in Library—3:30-4:30  
 PM Daycare in Gym—3:30-6:00 p.m.  
 Away BB Games: Chatfield @ Cedar Crest JV1 @ 5:00 p.m. Chatfield @ Good Shepherd JV2 @ 5:00 p.m.  
 Volleyball Practice in Gym—6-7:30 p.m.

#### **Wednesday, December 9, 2009**

**Book Fair in the Hallway—See Scheduled Times**

PM Daycare in Gym 3:30-6 p.m.  
 BB Practice—Varsity 5:30-6:30, JV2 6:30-7:30, and JV1—7:30-8:30  
 Adult Yoga in Commons Area—7-8:15 p.m.

#### **Thursday, December 10 2009**

**Book Fair in the Hallway (See scheduled times).**  
**Grades 3, 4, 5 to Lapeer Cinema Field Trip—9:30-12 Noon**  
 PM Daycare in Gym 3:30-5:00; then in MP Room  
 Chess Club in MP Room—3:35-4:30 p.m.  
 Kids Yoga (4,5,6) in Library 3:30-4:30 p.m.  
 Brownies in Kdg Room 3:45—5:00 p.m.

#### **Book Fair Dance—”The Magic of Reading” - 6-8 p.m. in the Gym**

Away BB Games—Chatfield @ St. Stephens JV1 @ 4:30, Varsity @ 5:30

#### **Friday, December 11, 2009**

**Book Fair in the Hallway—Final Day! Early Release at 2:30 p.m.**  
**PM Daycare in Gym—2:30-6 p.m.**  
**Westside Soccer—6-7 p.m.**

#### **Saturday, December 12, 2009**

**Adult Yoga in the Commons Area—**

**Don’t Forget To Keep Chatfield in mind for the “Treat Street” Coming up on December 18th!**

**Please provide your contributions on disposable plates.**

**Many Thanks!  
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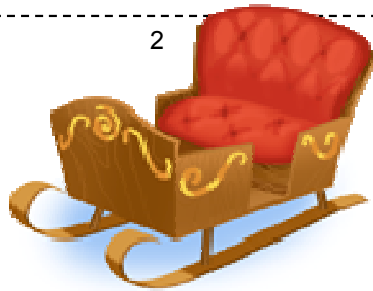


### Traffic Reminder

In front entrance drive—by the mailbox—is extremely busy from about 8:15 until 8:30 a.m. **Please do not block the sidewalk entrance by the mailbox!** If your children are not able to hop out quickly or if you wish to walk your children inside—**please park**. Extended stops at that point right by the mailbox created a traffic problem. Everyone cooperating will make it safer and more convenient for everyone!

**FOR SALE:** Chatfield School has 40 chairs for sale. These are chrome-frame, green plastic chairs similar to the chairs used in the Lower Elementary Area (Grades 1 and 2). The chairs are new. They are being sold for \$5.00 each. If you are interested or if you know of a church or community group that may be interested, please contact Mrs. Gerie Slaten in the office at (810) 667-8970 x 201.

**January Hot Lunch Forms are due NO LATER than Friday, December 18th! Sorry there can be NO LATE ORDERS ACCEPTED — NO EXCEPTIONS FOR MONTH OF JANUARY!**



## HO...HO...HO...Chatfield Trolley!

December 18th is a special day! Yes, it is the last day of school before winter break. More importantly, beginning at 8:45 a.m., a horse (actually two horses) drawn trolley will take the Chatfield students for a little spin around the grounds. The festive ride will be accompanied by holiday song and cheer. If that isn't enough, we have invited 2-4 reindeer to visit for a couple of hours that morning. The tame reindeer will allow petting, feeding and picture taking! The gym lobby will be transformed into "Treat Street". Everyone is invited to pop in sometime that morning for a ride, a reindeer petting, and a nibble. And...speaking of nibbles...remember us when you are doing your Holiday Baking! We will need LOTS AND LOTS OF GOODIES to make "Treat Street" very special.

Baked contributions may be sent or delivered anytime that Thursday or Friday (12-17 or 12-18) morning; please have all items on disposable plates or trays. Check in your child's classroom newsletter for the time for their ride. REMEMBER TO DRESS WARMLY AND FOR THE WEATHER....an open trolley ride can be brutally cold!

### Babes in Toyland

Christmas Musical—Pix Theatre

Friday, December 11th—7:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 12th—7:30 p.m.

Tickets—664-4824—Pix Ticket Office

Students—\$6

Adults—\$12

Senior—\$10

Chatfield Performers!!!

Students and Parents—The following students are in the Christmas Musical

Kara Sparrow—Grade 1—Toy Clown, Mr. Tom Sparrow, Dad—Rodriego

Sophie Clements—Grade 3—Mirandy Doll, Mrs. Beth Clements, Mom—Toyland Mother

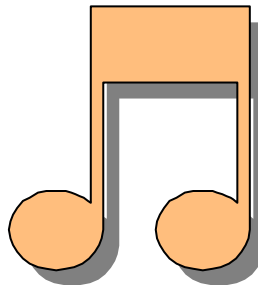
Blair Brecht—Grade 3—Floppo Toy Sheep Dog

Isabella Kanasty—Grade 3—Bru Teddy Bear

Brandon Heusted—Grade 4—Boy Blue

Aubrie Beckley—Grade 4—Little Red Riding Hood

Mrs. AnnMarie Krause—Music Teacher—Accompanist



**ONLY ONE FORM IS NECESSARY PER FAMILY LIST EACH CHILD ALONG WITH THEIR HOME ROOM TEACHERS NAME.**  
 PLEASE COMPLETE FORM AND RETURN TO HOME ROOM **NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2009** PAYMENT IN FULL IS REQUIRED WITH ORDER FORM.  
**MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO CHATFIELD SCHOOL. KEEP IN MIND ANY SCHEDULED FIELD TRIPS THAT MIGHT OVERLAP LUNCHEONS. WE ARE SORRY BUT REFUND CANNOT BE GIVEN.**

PARENTS NAME (PLEASE PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL MONEY ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

ALL LUNCHEAS ARE \$2.50 EACH. (You may to order an extra meal indicate in the appropriate box EACH EXTRA MEAL IS \$2.00  
 IF YOU DO NOT INDICATE "H" FOR HAMBURGER OR "M" FOR CHEESEBURGER. A CHEESEBURGER WILL BE ORDERED!

Students Name	Home-Room Teacher	Food Items Offered	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	TOTAL	
21	HOMEROOM TEACHER	JANUARY	Hamburger or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Chicken Nuggets, Vegetable, Fruit And milk	Pizza, vegetable, fruit, cookie and Milk	Hamburger or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hamburger or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Pizza, vegetable, fruit, cookie and Milk	Sticky Does, vegetable, fruit, and milk	Pizza, vegetable, fruit, cookie and Milk	Sloppy Does, vegetable, fruit, and milk	Pizza, vegetable, fruit, cookie and Milk	Hamburger or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk	Hammer or Cheeseburger Chips, pickles, fruit, and milk
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**PLEASE NOTE:**  
 THERE IS A SPECIAL CHINESE LUNCH BEING PLANNED TO HONOR THE CHINESE NEW YEAR ON WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27. HOT LUNCH WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE.



It's That Time of Year....

Let's not forget our Specials Teachers! Please send any donations (any amount) to the school office marked "Specials Teachers". All monies collected will be divided equally between the Specials Teachers.

Thanks!

Some News Worthy Items:

The Patty Cake Prints Pottery Orders will be delivered later this week.

Thank you — Colleen Dolland

Our Ducks are going to their Winter Resort later today. They will be wintering over at the Shires Home. See you in the Spring!

**Basketball Camp for Boys & Girls—Grades 2,3,4**

**Don't miss out—Time is running out and Space is limited! Season is 8 Weeks on Saturdays from January 9 thru March 6th from 10:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m.**

**Registration Forms are due by December 1st (Money Due by December 16th)**

**Extra Registration Forms are available in the school office!**

**Any questions or concerns? Please call John DelCampo at 586-918-3220.**

**Total Cost: \$30.00 unless you have a game jersey from last year that still fits, if you do than the cost is \$20.00.**

Dear Parents, Students and Staff,

In memory of beloved family, friends or pets an angel tree has been set up outside my office. If you would like to remember someone special you may color the angel on this page, cut it out, write the name of your remembrance on the back, and return it to school. I will have a glitter station outside my office where you may add glitter and a hanger to your angel. When completed angels may be hung on the tree. If you wish, Angels may be taken home on December 18<sup>th</sup> (Christmas break).

Sincerely,

Betty McCauley



2<sup>nd</sup> Annual

# Project Homeless Connect

**Lapeer Center Building**  
**425 County Center St.**  
**Lapeer, MI 48446**



**Thursday,**  
**January 28<sup>th</sup>**  
**10am-2pm**

Transportation provided by GLTA  
 Call (810)664-4566 24 hours prior to the start of the event

## LET LAPEER COUNTY SERVICE PROVIDERS HELP YOU FIND YOUR WAY HOME

Blue Water Center for Independent Living  
 (810) 664-9098  
 Family Literacy Center  
 (810) 664-2737  
 Hispanic Service Center  
 (810)-724-3665  
 LACADA  
 (810) 667-4175  
 Lapeer County Veterans' Affairs  
 (810) 667-0256  
 Lapeer Refuge  
 (810) 441-9990  
 Lapeer County Community Mental Health  
 (810)667-0500  
 Thumb Works!  
 (819) 664-1680

Department of Human Services  
 (810) 667-0800  
 GLTA  
 (810) 664-4566 310-999-6673  
 Human Development Commission  
 (810) 664-7133  
 Lapeer County Health Department  
 (810) 667-0178  
 Lapeer Housing Resource Center  
 (810) 664-0255  
 Lapeer Team Work/Consignment Shop  
 (810) 664-2710 (810) 245-7272  
 Love INC (810) 245-2414  
 United Way (810) 667-3114  
 Veterans Employment Services  
 (810) 664 1680 Ext. 21 or 22

## **FREE SERVICES PROVIDED AT THE EVENT**

Hair Cuts \* Dental Exams \* Lunch \* Housing Assistance \* Job Training  
 Employment \* Clothing \* Door Prizes \* Personal Care Items \* And More!

All services are on a first come, first serve basis

## **RELAY NEWS**

### **WREATH SALES**

The Relay for Life Team will NOT be selling Poinsettias; instead we are selling wreaths at the Craft Bizarre on November 21st. Please join in the fight against cancer.

### **POPCORN SALES**

Students will be able to order popcorn again this Friday for 25 cents. Popcorn will be delivered to their rooms before lunch for an afternoon snack. Last Friday we raised \$55.00; like always, all proceeds go to the American Cancer Society.

### **RECYCLE**

Save your ink cartridges and old cell phones. We are collecting them all year. There is a drop box in the hall by the gym entrance. This fundraiser is easy, free and helps us earn hundreds of dollars. The more we collect, the more we earn. Just ask neighbors, friends, family and co-workers to donate them.

### **MOM-TO-MOM SALE**

The next Mom-To-Mom sale is March 20th—9-2 p.m. After the sale, we will be having a Spaghetti Dinner from 4-8 p.m. It will be advertised on the Mom-To-Mom website, American Cancer Society website, MOPS website, Lapeer County Home School website; along with the newspaper again.

### **RELAY SCHOOL STORE**

The School store is doing great: Open Monday-Thursday 3:30-3:50 p.m.

Look for a lot of exciting things happening this year. All suggestions are welcome. Remember, the kids are working hard to find different things to do so the Chatfield Team can make a difference in the fight against cancer.

Our next meeting will be Friday, November 13th from 3:35-4:00 pm In the Multi-Purpose Room.

Thanks to All

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