



# St. Michael Catholic School



## Coming Events

- Friday Nov 20th  
Volunteer Appreciation Dinner
- Friday Nov 20th St. Vincent de Paul  
Thanksgiving Baskets:
- Preschool: Celery/  
Dinner Rolls
- K-1: Fresh Carrots/  
Butter
- 2nd: Onions/Bags  
of Fresh Salad
- 3rd - 5th: Fresh Potatoes (50 lbs Medium)
- 6th-8th: Boxed or  
Bagged Stuffing/  
Onions
- Wednesday Nov 25th  
Noon Dismissal  
No Extended Care
- November 26-27  
No School



## St Michael's Thursday Newsletter November 19, 2015

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Dear Parents,

Just a reminder that tomorrow evening, the 20<sup>th</sup> at 6pm the parish is hosting a Volunteer Appreciation Dinner in the Parish Hall at 6pm. This is a thank you to all parent volunteers who have been working so generously these past few months to help create a wonderful learning environment for the children. One of the greatest strengths of our Catholic Schools is our parent volunteer support. Your volunteer support is essential to the school—both financially and spiritually. Many of you have been helping in the classroom, driving on field trips, helping with parish activities such as the Turkey Dinner, helping with fundraising activities such as the annual garage sale and auction, coordinating after school activities, and helping by serving in leadership roles in the Parents Club and School Commission. We couldn't do it without all your support.

I hope you can make the Volunteer Dinner. Please RSVP to the school / parish office—**Babysitting is available!**

### School Closure Procedures

We have discovered some miscommunications and glitches in the School Closure Procedures for St. Michael School, particularly with power outage. I am very sorry about the confusion created; however, with this information in mind, I will be updating the procedure to make it clearer for everyone.

Peace,  
Dr. Matthews

## Auction News

### Got Baskets? We do!!

The class baskets will be raffled off at our Christmas program on December 14th. We have a Spa Day Basket, Jackpot basket, Seahawks basket and of course a Party Starter basket. Something for everyone! Look for tickets to be on sale at the Turkey Dinner and in the Narthex after certain masses!!

### Sponsorship

We would like to say a big thank you to our auction sponsors:

**Golden Arrow Catholic Music and Media**  
**Skip Rock Distillers.**  
**Airfield Espresso**

If you have a business and would like to Sponsor the Auction please contact the auction committee at [auction@smpschoo.org](mailto:auction@smpschoo.org)

### Attendance Procedure

**If your student is going to be late/absent or leaving early, please call Jennifer Albrecht in the school office at 360-568-0821 ext:102**

### Drop Off/Pick Up

**Just a reminder that all students (Pre-8) are dropped off in the morning downstairs. Our teachers use their mornings to prepare for the day. There will always be a staff member downstairs by 8:20 to supervise the children and help with drop off.**

## **Parents Club**

### Scrip

The next online Scrip order deadline is Monday, November 16th. If paying by check, please make out to "St. Michael School Scrip" and remit to the front office no later than Friday, November 13th.

Can't wait for the next order deadline to grab a card? **Scrip cards are available for purchase in the front office anytime!** Land's End, Starbucks, Walmart, Qdoba, Toys R Us, Red Robin, Home Depot...and many more!

### Yearbooks

Reminder that school yearbooks are available for pre-order throughout the school year! These full color books include all students from Preschool to Grade Eight! To order, visit [Treering.com](http://Treering.com) and enter our school's passcode: 1013476403613616. Book cost: \$13.50

## Quarter Craze

Thank you so much to everyone who participated in our Quarter Craze!

We had a fantastic evening of fun and laughs along with great dessert and shopping! Special thanks to our teachers who each brought a dessert for the event!! Can't wait for next year!

## Happy Thanksgiving

The parents club would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. We are thankful for our many wonderful volunteers who give so much of their time, talents, and energies to our students and school. Look forward to seeing everyone after the holiday!



### Library Help Needed!

Looking for a way to make a direct impact at school? Our librarian, Deb Beland, needs your help! Contact us at [parentsclub@smpschoo.org](mailto:parentsclub@smpschoo.org) if you can lend a hand. Initially help is needed Wednesday mornings, but there will be other hours available as well. Let us know how and when you can lend a hand!