

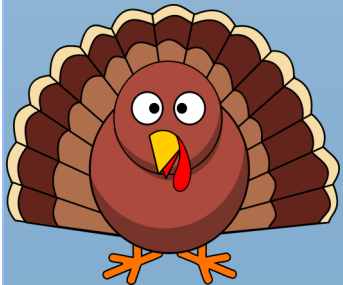


# St. Michael Catholic School



## Coming Events

- **Friday Nov 13th**  
**Scrip Order**  
**Deadline**
- **Friday Nov 13th**  
**Quarter Craze**  
**6:30 - 8:30**
- **Friday Nov 20th**  
**Volunteer Appreciation Dinner**
- **Wednesday Nov 25th**  
**Noon Dismissal**  
**No Extended Care**
- **November 26-27**  
**No School**  
**Thanksgiving Break**



## St Michael's Thursday Newsletter November 12, 2015

Dear Parents,

Last year the school students participated in a Thanksgiving All School Service project with our local St. Vincent de Paul Chapter. Again this year, St. Vincent de Paul members invited the school children to help create Thanksgiving baskets for families of need. The children are decorating approximately 35 food boxes and baskets with Thanksgiving colors on November 20th. The baskets will be assembled by the school children and St. Vincent de Paul members on November 23rd. Each classroom is assigned certain items for the baskets. The items need to be brought to the school by Friday, November 20th. We know you will be very generous in your giving. We will be putting together boxes for 35 families so we will need enough items to fill each box. Below is the classroom request for the food drive:

- 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

This is a wonderful outreach activity for the children. We appreciate your support.

I would like to invite all of our wonderful volunteers to the Volunteer Appreciation Dinner on Friday, November 20th. There will be dinner, entertainment and babysitting is available. You do so much for our community, we would like to say thank you for all your hard work. Please RSVP to the church office by Wednesday November 18th.

Peace

Dr. Karen 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, Jack-pot 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)

## Quarter Craze is Here!!

St. Michael's 1<sup>st</sup> annual Quarter Craze is **November 13th at 6:30 pm** in the large hall. What's a quarter craze? Here's the skinny: For \$5 you purchase your bidding paddle. Bring two rolls of quarters with you - that's all you'll need for purchasing items! We have a wonderful variety of vendors coming who will offer a brief presentation of their goods, and then will donate an item for auction. No item will cost more than \$1! That great set of essential oils that retails for \$50? You have a shot at getting it for 50 cents. Beautiful necklace or bracelet set that retails for \$30? Grab a quarter - it could be yours! Toss your coins into the bowl, raise your paddle, and if your number is the one picked, you win. Vendors include Stella and Dot, Sandy's Art Glass, Young Living Oils, Paparazzi Jewelry, Lake Cavanaugh Soap Works, and many more!! We'll even have desserts to satisfy your sweet tooth.

### 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

### 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!