

C. S. Lewis Academy PTO Chronicles

Thursday, January 22, 2009

Hello Again!!! Please take the opportunity to read through this edition of the Chronicles. Each issue will have new information, dates to remember, and spotlights of goings on at C. S. Lewis Academy.

Dates to Remember

- * Tuesday, January 27, 2009
 - Return Pizza Form for 1-30-09
- * Thursday, January 29, 2009
 - Inspirations Assembly & Party
 - All Paid Advertisements Due for 2-5-09 Chronicles
- ♥ Monday, February 2, 2009
 - Reach for the Stars Reading Program begins
 - All Non-Pay Advertisements Due for 2-5-09 Chronicles
- ♥ Tuesday, February 3, 2009
 - Return Pizza Form for 2-6-09
 - OR Return Monthly Pizza Order
- ♥ Friday, February 13, 2009
 - Valentine's Day Class Parties
 - Lifetouch Photography at CSLA
 - C. S. Lewis Academy Royal Ball
- ♥ Thursday, February 19, 2009
 - Reach for the Stars Pledges & Reading Logs are due

Box Tops

We are in the final push for our exciting Box Tops Competition. Congratulations to Mr. Love's class who is our current leader! We need all Box Tops turned in by Friday, February 20, 2009, in order to get them in on time and be paid for them this year.

Dear CSLA Families,

We have recently tallied the volunteer hours logged in the book kept at Mrs. Church's desk. We are grateful for the many hours you have given to make our school wonderful. A total of more than 1800 hours have been logged to date!

Please visit the PTO page at cslewisacademy.net for a table of hours logged by each family. If you have already donated 40 or more hours this year, we congratulate you for meeting the minimum requirement set forth by the Board of Directors for the entire school year. You deserve a round of applause! If you have logged at least 20 hours, you are on track to complete the 40 hours before the year is over, and we encourage you to keep up the good work. If you have logged fewer than 20 hours, please contact a member of the PTO to find out where you can help.

We give special recognition to those families who have already recorded in excess of 40 hours of service to the school during this year. They are: **Anderson** (who organized our amazing library), **Atwood** (who supervises lunch), **Davis** (who coordinates all the parent volunteers), **Ellertson**, **Finch** (who fills in at the front desk), **Hansen** (who supervises lunch nearly every day), **Hill** (who provides the drama club), **Kersh** (who created the school web site), **Larsen**, **Nauta** (who supervises lunch), **Palmer/Bowers**, **Quittner**, **Samudio**, and **Turner** (who has logged 102 hours so far).

Thank you for making our school excellent!

Your PTO Board

pto@cslewisacademy.net

Happy 11th Birthday Jensen Roberts!

You're awesome girl, we love you!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Kolton, Alexi,
Oakley, and Addison

Advertisements

- Does your child have a birthday coming up?
- Do you have a home business you'd like to advertise?
- Is there something you'd like to sell?
- Do you want to let a teacher know how great they are?

Purchase space in this newsletter to make your voice heard.

Cost is as follows:

1/8 page = \$1 1/4 page = \$2

1/2 page = \$4 Full page = \$8

All ads are due & need to be paid for a week before the newsletter is to come out. Email them to dncorrigan@aol.com. Please pay at the front office and make checks payable to C. S. Lewis Academy.

Volunteer Spotlight

This week we recognize Kristi Hansen who has logged more than 80 hours so far this year! WOW!!! Kristi volunteers in the lunch room nearly everyday and keeps the rules consistent for the children. Those who work with her say she is great with the kids and very reliable. The kids also think she's pretty awesome! Thank you Kristi, we appreciate all of your hard work!!!!

Please note - you may place an ad for free in this newsletter if it is school related. For example an announcement for one of the after school clubs or a need you have as a Room Parent or Party Parent. These ads are due the Monday before the newsletter comes out and can be emailed to Noele Corrigan @ dncorrigan@aol.com.

Come One Come All to the C. S. Lewis Academy Royal Ball

When was the last time you danced with your sweetheart? Come have a ball and dance the night away on Friday, February 13, 2009, from 7-9pm.

Cost is \$5 per couple. Attire is dressy casual. Refreshments will be served.

Babysitting available for children (18 months-4th grade) at \$2 per child for the evening.

(RSVP Required for Babysitting - Noele Corrigan dncorrigan@aol.com OR 465-3277)

Lifetouch will be there to capture your Valentine memories, see last page for more information.

Save this date on your calendar and get ready to boogie!!!!

Upcoming Events

- ♥ Monday, February 23, through
Friday, February 27, 2009
- 6th Grade Direct Writing Assessment
- ♥ Friday, February 27, 2009
- 4th Grade National Assessment for Education
Progress
- ♣ Wednesday - Friday, March 4-6, 2009
- Usborne Book Fair
- ♣ Friday, March 6, 2009
- Literacy Festival
- ♣ Thursday, March 26, 2009
- School Play - Day Performance
- ♣ Friday, March 27, 2009
- School Play - Evening Performance

Uniform Clothing Donations

Please donate your gently used uniform clothing by placing it in the specified box located at the front office. If you feel you are in need of donated items, please contact Mr. Finch.

Call for Volunteers

Been wondering what you can do to help?

- Mr. Loveridge needs a room mom.
- Lunch Room Help
- Back up help in the Library - contact
Jessica Anderson jkasqrd@yahoo.com.

A Note About Pizza Fridays

We hope you're all excited about our Pizza Fridays! Please remember to have the weekly forms turned in to any one of your children's teachers by the **Tuesday before the Friday** that pizza is to be served. Also, please put a number on the line provided to indicate how many slices of Cheese or Pepperoni you want, and don't forget to circle your meal option. We ask that you do not staple your payment to the form as it makes it very time consuming to remove all of those staples; paper clips, envelopes, or plastic bags work great!

A note about refunds: if you have paid for your child to have pizza and they end up being absent because of illness you will be issued a refund; the money will be enclosed in an envelope with your child's name on it and put in the teacher's box to be given to your child when they return to school.

Family Picture out of Date?

Lifetouch is coming to C. S. Lewis Academy
on Friday, February 13, 2009

*Come and have Lifetouch capture a memory!
Single, Couples, Families, Children, Friends,
up to 20 people can be included in the portrait.*

The sitting fee is only \$10 and includes a free 8x10. Additional pictures can be purchased at the great prices below.

Packages are available as follows:

4 - 5x7 & 4 - 3x5 = \$20

1 - 8x10; 2 - 5x7; 2 - 3x5; & 4 - 2x3 = \$30

2 - 8x10; 4 - 5x7; 4 - 3x5; & 16 - 2x3 = \$50

In addition to the packages, the following add-ons are available with the purchase of a package:

16x20 mounted and coated = \$65

10x13 = \$25

16 - 3x5 = \$20

8x10 = \$15

Appointments are available every 10 minutes starting at 4pm.
Please contact Diane Samudio @ 754-3604 or
portugirl89@yahoo.com to book your appointment today!!!

