Mt. Salem Christian School

# **Newsletter**

## **PLEASE NOTE:**

We have a family in Avon area desperately looking for someone in the surrounding area to be able to drive their son to school in the morning. It's about 9-12 times a month and only in the morning. If you are able to help this family, please contact them at 519-269-9853.

#### **Parent Volunteers:**

Any parents that volunteer throughout the school year are required to have a current police check on file. Forms for this are available in the office.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Oct. 11th Thanksgiving Chapel Oct. 14th Thanksgiving, No School Oct. 17th CAASO Cross Country Oct. 25th Parent/Teacher meeting

### **Year Books**

We still have 5 year books left from last year if anyone is still interested. First come, first serve.

## Sign in/out

Parents, please remember to come to the office to sign your child in if they are more than 30 minutes late in the morning. You also need to sign them out if you are picking them up before dismissal. This helps us keep track of attendance.

## **Parking Lot**

Reminder to parents:
Please do not allow your children to run around in the parking lot.
Once your children have been picked up at the pavilion, they need to stay in their vehicle.
There are many moving vehicles, and we want to make sure that your children are safe.

## Dieleman's Fundraiser:

Order forms and money are due on Friday, October 11th. All proceeds go to year end field trip bus rentals.

#### **Gift Cards!**

The sale of gift cards is an ongoing fundraiser at MSCS. Please plan to participate. This is a great fundraising program that benefits both the school and our families. We have Grocery cards, Gas cards, Tim Horton's cards and various Restaurant cards available in the main office at all times.

## Fog Delays Ice/Snow Cancellations

We will have a 2 hour delay if the Elgin County buses cancel morning runs due to fog. We will cancel school if Elgin County morning buses are cancelled due to ice and/or snow.

REMIND is how you will find out if we have a delay or cancellation. Please sign up if you have not already done so.

## Thanksgiving Food Drive!

We have just over a week left for our Thanksgiving Food Drive for Fresh Start Maternity Supports! (For more information about Fresh Start please visit their website at www.fsms.ca)

All classrooms are collecting non-perishable food items, household products, and baby care products until October 11th, 9:00am. We are challenging the students to fill the item list as often as possible. Please send your donations with your child to his/her class. The class that fills the list the most times will get cookies and hot chocolate.

#### LET'S GIVE WITH A CHEERFUL HEART

There will be a Thanksgiving Chapel on <u>Friday</u>, <u>October 11th at 2:45</u>, with the Director of Fresh Start, Karen Schouten, giving a presentation at the chapel. All parents are welcome to join us for this chapel!

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