



Kaukauna Catholic School System Family Newsletter

I will never forget you.

February 27, 2014

Lent Begins On Ash Wednesday

Lent is a season of being invited by God in a deeply personal way. **"Come back to me, with all of your heart,"** our Lord beckons. "A clean heart create for me, O God," Psalm 51 offers. "Give me back the joy of your salvation." That is exactly what our loving God wants to give us, the joy of salvation. Our acceptance of this call, this appeal to our hearts is simple if we can only get beyond the fear. All we have to do is say to our Lord, "I'm here. Where do I start? Yes, I want to be with you." Our hearts have been opened and we have taken the first step. **Come back to me, with all of your heart.**

Ash Wednesday

Next Wednesday, March 5, is **Ash Wednesday** the beginning of Lent. You are welcome to attend one of our school liturgies on Ash Wednesday. Holy Cross will have their liturgy at 8:20 a.m. and St. Aloysius will be gathering for liturgy at 8:30 a.m. *Come and open your heart to the Lord, as we welcome this opportunity to draw closer to JESUS!*

Early Dismissal Today!

Today, Thursday, February 27 students will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. KCSS After School Care and Child Care will be available.

No School Tomorrow!

Tomorrow, Friday, February 28 is a vacation day for students and staff. **NO KCSS Child Care will be available on Friday, February 28.** Enjoy the long weekend.

KCSS Apparel Orders

This is your last opportunity to order KCSS apparel for the school year. All orders are due **on or before Thursday, March 6.** Order forms are available on our website by clicking on the Athletics tab and then going to Apparel. Any questions feel free to contact Lynn Zwick at lzwick@kcssonline.org or call 759-9290.

Vande Walle's Candy Bar Fund Raiser

Please turn in your money raised from the candy bar sale **on or before Thursday, March 13** at either school campus office. Thank you for participating in this fund raiser.

Story Hour

KCSS is hosting Story Hour for ages 2-5. Everyone is welcome. It will be held the **first Wednesday each month through May** at St. Aloysius campus from 12:30-1:30 p.m. Our next Story Hour is **Wednesday, March 5.** Join us.... It's free and lots of fun!

March Calendar and Menus

Please be sure to check our website www.kcssonline.org for our monthly calendar and hot lunch menus. There are many events coming up that you don't want to miss.

Market Day Dessert Fundraiser!

For a limited time this month, we will be participating in a Dessert fundraiser with Market Days. For this event, Market Day is offering a variety of pies and cakes. The order form was sent home with your child this past Monday. Orders and payment are due Friday, March 7. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Marsha Goetzman at (920) 766-0846 or sgoetzman@new.rr.com

K-8 2014-2015 Registration Forms

Return your 2014-2015 K-8 KCSS registration form by Monday, March 3, 2014 and one half of the non-refundable registration fee will be deducted from your 2014-2015 tuition. **After March 3, 2014** your registration fee will not be deducted from your tuition. This excludes new K-8 families to KCSS. If you know of anyone interested in any of our programs please feel free to have them contact us or go to our website www.kcssonline for more information.

Did you know KCSS has child care available before and after classes for 3-5 year olds? No need to transport your child during the school day. We will walk your child to and from their Early Childhood classes to KCSS Child Care. Before and After School Care is also available for students in Kindergarten through Grade 4.

Bundle Packages

Register your child in our Preschool (3 year olds) or Pre-Kindergarten (4 & 5 year olds) program & KCSS Child Care and receive special "bundle" rates. **KCSS Child Care (920) 759-4566**

Official Swing Toss Game

Spring will come and you want to be ready for some fun outside activities with your family and friends. Consider purchasing a Swing Toss™ Game available at KCSS for just \$10.00 each. Because of the generosity of our supplier, we are able to give you \$5.00 off of your fundraising commitment for each game you purchase, until your fund raising commitment is reached. They make great gifts for birthdays, graduations, etc. Don't be left out in the cold, have some fun in the warm sun with the official Swing Toss game!

Grand Event 2014



Results from the 2014 Grand Event will be posted in an upcoming newsletter.

2013 Calendar Raffle Winners

2/17 Jim & Carol Penterman, Kaukauna	\$20.00
2/18 Bruce Wagner, Kaukauna	\$20.00
2/19 Larry S. Duda, Kaukauna	\$20.00
2/20 Mel De Broux, Kaukauna	\$20.00
2/21 Jean Sprangers, Kaukauna	\$20.00
2/22 Dennis & Lori Marsicek, Kaukauna	\$20.00
2/23 Janet & Jake Huber, Kewaunee	\$25.00

Looking Ahead

Thursday February 27
Early Dismissal 11:30 am

Friday February 28
NO SCHOOL

Tuesday March 4
Shrove Tuesday
No Liturgy

Wednesday March 5
ASH Wednesday (Lent Begins)
Liturgy 8:20 am HC (Gr. 8)
Liturgy 8:30 am SA (Gr. 1)
Story Hour 12:30-1:30 pm SA

Thursday March 6
No Liturgy
KCSS Apparel Orders DUE!

Sunday March 9
Daylight Saving Time Begins Spring Ahead!

Monday March 10
Stations of the Cross HC 2:30 pm

Tuesday March 11
Liturgy 8:30 am SA (Kindergarten)
Home & School Mtg 7:00 pm SA

Wednesday March 12
March Birthdays JEANS Day!
Stations of the Cross SA 2:30 pm

Thursday March 13
Liturgy 8:20 am HC (Gr. 7)
Vande Walle's Candy Bar Payment DUE!



Save the Date

Wednesday, April 2, 2014

8:45 a.m.

Holy Cross

All School System

Liturgy with

Bishop David Ricken



Market Day is offering an opportunity to raise additional money towards tuition credit and the mini-grant fund in the month of March. You received a Dessert Bonus Days form this past Monday, February 24, separate from your usual Market Day order form that was sent home today, Thursday, February 27. Use this form and check with friends, family, coworkers, etc. about ordering pies and cakes for Easter, Mother's Day, and other Spring events! Hope Spring is coming sometime soon!

There is a half-sheet attached to this order form. It was printed out at Market Day and just has a couple points that need to be clarified:

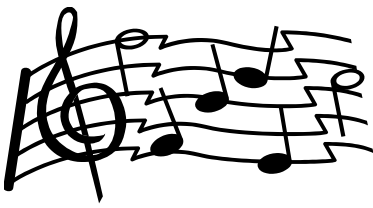
First...this fundraiser is not part of an "overall fundraising goal for the school year." You will still receive 2% of your total order as a credit on your child/children's tuition, as usual. The balance of the profit will still go into the mini-grant fund; from which teachers and staff members can request money for items that would benefit our students.

Second....you only need to pay in advance if your order needs to be delivered to St. Al's. If you are picking up a pie/cake order at Holy Cross...you can pay there. If you are ordering additional Market Day items and having them picked up at Holy Cross...you can pay there, with a single payment. If you are ordering pies/cakes and any additional Market Day items and want them delivered to St. Al's...they need to be paid ahead of time as we don't have a rep stationed there. You may make a single check out to Market Day for any and all items purchased, in addition to your pie/cake orders. Payment is only due prior to March 13th (delivery date) if you are picking up at St. Al's. You may pay online for your regular Market Day orders with check/credit/debit/quest card as always. Only the pie/cake orders require separate payment.

Third...I would like any and all pie/cake orders in to school by **Friday, March 7th**. You only need to send the lower portion of the order sheet with the totals of what items you need. Keep the top half for your reference. I have to enter all of these orders manually and would like time over the weekend to get these in. **ALL OTHER MARKET DAY ORDERS ARE DUE AS USUAL, ONLINE, BY 11PM MONDAY, MARCH 10TH. If you'd like me to enter your regular Market Day order online for you, please have it to school by Monday, March 10th, in the morning and I will take care of it for you.**

As always...if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call Marsha Goetzman, Market Day Chairperson, at 766-0846 and I'd be happy to help!

Thank you for making Market Day a big success this year!!



February 27, 2014

Dear Middle School Music Families,

Holy Cross Campus Solo/Ensemble Festival is approaching very quickly! Many preparations are taking place to help guarantee that the Festival is a success, but we need your help.

Solo/Ensemble will be held on Saturday, March 29, and it will use a variety of areas and classrooms located in the school. The event begins at 9:00am, and is currently scheduled to wrap up around 11:30 that morning. On March 29, please enter school via Door #3 (Doty Street Main Entrance).

A schedule of events is included with this letter. If there is a conflict with a proposed time, please contact either Mrs. Moon or Mrs. Westbrook. We will do our best to accommodate the needs of the students and families.

Here are a few guidelines for all students participating in the Festival this year:

- ♪ Dress professionally. This is a performance. You want to give a good first impression when you walk in the door to perform.
- ♪ Bring required materials – instruments, music, judge's copy
- ♪ Arrive approximately 15 to 20 minutes before you are scheduled to perform. This will allow time to warm up, find your room, and check to see if it is running on schedule.

We are thankful to have found judges who are fellow teachers of Middle School Band and Choir.

We are also looking for parents to help volunteer for this event. We are looking for Room Monitors, people to assist at Headquarters, Floaters, and those who are willing help run a concession table for a Music fundraiser. We have split the morning into two shifts. You are welcome to sign up for one or both shifts.

If you are unable to help on Saturday, we are also looking for families to help bake goods for those attending the festival to purchase by donation to the Holy Cross Music Program.

If you are able to help with the Festival in any way, please return the slip below. We greatly appreciate any volunteers that will help make our event a great success.

If you have any questions, concerns, or are looking to adjust a schedule, please do not hesitate to contact either Mrs. Moon at emoon@kcsonline.org or Mrs. Westbrook at swestbrook@kcsonline.org.

Thank you for your support of KCSS and its Music Program!

Mrs. Moon and Mrs. Westbrook

Parent Volunteer Form

Yes! I am able to help with Holy Cross Campus Solo/Ensemble Festival.

Name: _____

I am interested in (Check all that apply):

_____ Donating a baked treat (please bring treats wrapped individually for sale or precut with paper napkins or plates so customers can be served. Please label any containers that your goods are brought in!)

_____ Assisting in Headquarters

_____ Being a Room Monitor

_____ Floating around the site to be of assistance to students, judges, or staff

_____ Assisting with the Bake Sale

Shift(s) able to work: _____ **Shift 1** 8:30am – 9:45am _____ **Shift 2** 9:45am – 11:30am

Please return this form to Mrs. Moon or Mrs. Westbrook by Monday, March 10, 2014.

Thank you! 😊

Student Volunteer Form

Students will help run the concession table.

Yes! I am able to help at Solo/Ensemble on Saturday, March 29.

Please return this form by Monday, March 10, 2014, to Mrs. Moon or Mrs. Westbrook

Student's Name: _____

Time you wish to begin to help: _____ End Time: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thank you! 😊

Brass/Percussion Room

Site 1

Judge: Mr. Greg Sauve

Time	Name	Title of Piece	Accompanist	Rating
9:00-9:10	Lydia Mader, Grace Eggleston, Gretchen Ortner	Broadway medley		
9:15-9:25	Ed Zornow and Nick Voet	When the Saints Go Marching In		
9:30-9:40	Nathan Allen	Kuh-Thunk part 2		
9:45-9:55	Gabe Jansen	I Love Rock 'n' Roll		
10:00-10:10	Kayla Corbeille and Allyson Williams			
10:15-10:25	Molly Ruffing	For He That is Mighty		
10:30-10:40	Nick Pappano	Kuh-Thunk part 4		
10:45-10:55	Anna Goetzman			
11:00-11:10	Molly Ruffing and Ethan VanDeHey	Don't Stop Believin'		
11:15-11:25	Zach Hartjes	Kuh-Thunk part 3		
11:30-11:40	Downstairs to judge jazz band			

Woodwind Room

Site 2

Judge: Mr. Brandon Meulbroek

Time	Name	Title of Piece	Accompanist	Rating
9:00-9:10	Tony Verhagen and Shane Wiegert	Hungarian Rhapsody		
9:15-9:25	Amber Marciniak	Angel of Music		
9:30-9:40	Morgan Zwick, Grace Kobussen, Lexi Schwalenberg, Lauren Brochtrup	Amazing (Just The Way You Are)		
9:45-9:55	Simeon DeValk	A Breezin' Cakewalk		
10:00-10:10	Taylor VanDeHey			
10:15-10:25	Veronica Micke, Lexi Schumacher, Vanessa Uitenbroek	Edelweis, Beauty and the Beast		
10:30-10:40	Emily VanDeHey, Clare Cops, Lexi Welhouse	Spring from the Four Seasons		
10:45-10:55	Vanessa Uitenbroek	Round Dance		
11:00-11:10	Veronica Micke	Gavotte		

Vocalist Room
Site 3
Judge: Mrs. Shannon Meulbroek

Time	Name/Grade	Title of Piece	Accompanist	Rating
9:00-9:10	6 th Grade (Alyssa, Veronica, Vanessa, Taylor, Lexi W)	Castle On A Cloud from Les Miserables Schoenberg and Kretzmer	Mrs. Westbrook	
9:15-9:25	Taylor VanDeHey 6 (Piano Solo)			
9:30-9:40	Lydia Mader 7 Solo	For Good from Wicked Stephen Schwartz	Mrs. Westbrook	
9:45-9:55	7 th Grade Boys (Robert, Ethan, Dylan, Sam, Suzuki)	Stand By Me arr. By Roger Emerson	Mrs. Westbrook	
10:00-10:10	8 th Grade (Mikenna, Tapenga, Bekah, Kaelyn, Kendall)	Bless the Broken Road arr. by Mark Brymer	Mrs. Westbrook	
10:15-10:25	7 th Grade Girls (Savannah, Theresa, Taylor, Jada, Lydia, Kaitlyn)	Beauty and the Beast arr. by Mac Huff	Mrs. Westbrook	
10:30-10:40	Theresa Gavin 7 Solo	Close Every Door Andrew Lloyd Weber	Mrs. Westbrook	
11:30	Explore Jazz Band	<i>Ja- Da, Our First Blues</i>	Mrs. Moon directing (Mr. Sauve – Judge)	



NOTE TO PARENTS

Our class will be participating in Fang's Reading Club with the Wisconsin Timber Rattlers. It is an incentive-based reading program. Your child will have the opportunity to improve his/her reading skills while earning prizes from the Timber Rattlers! If your child completes the program, he/she has hit a HOME RUN by reading and will be rewarded a complimentary ticket and hot dog & soda voucher to our school's Family Night.

PROGRAM DETAILS:

- The program will begin March 2 and conclude April 27
- The program is divided into four 2-week segments. Each segment represents a base on a baseball diamond. When your child completes a segment, they will receive a Timber Rattler prize and advance to the next base. The goal is to hit a HOME RUN and receive a complimentary game ticket!
- Your child needs to complete the following reading assignment for each 2-week segment see attached paper
- When your child has completed an assignment, fill out one of the Fang's and have him/her return it to their teacher to display on their baseball diamond at school.
- Your child has hit a HOME RUN upon completion of all assignments and has earned a complimentary ticket and hot dog & soda voucher to our school's Family Night. Parents and siblings are encouraged to join us at the ballpark on Thursday June 12 at 7:05 p.m.



FANG READING PROGRAM

HOW IT WORKS:

- **COMPLETE THE REQUIREMENT FOR YOUR GRADE LEVEL FOR EACH TWO-WEEK PERIOD**
- **SEND BACK THE BASEBALL DIAMOND (CUT OUT) WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME ON IT**
- **SEND BACK ONE FANG FOR EACH COMPLETED TWO-WEEK REQUIREMENT**
- **YOUR CHILD WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE FOR EACH TWO-WEEK REQUIREMENT**
 - **1st Base = Pencil**
 - **2nd Base = Page Marker**
 - **3rd Base = Wall Crasher & Badger Sports Park Coupon**
 - **Home Run = Timber Rattlers Game Ticket & Hot Dog/Soda Voucher**

GRADE LEVEL REQUIREMENT FOR EACH TWO-WEEK PERIOD:

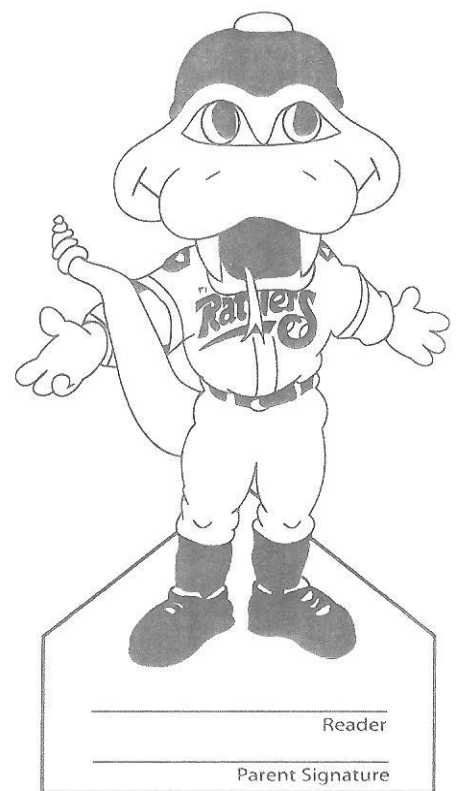
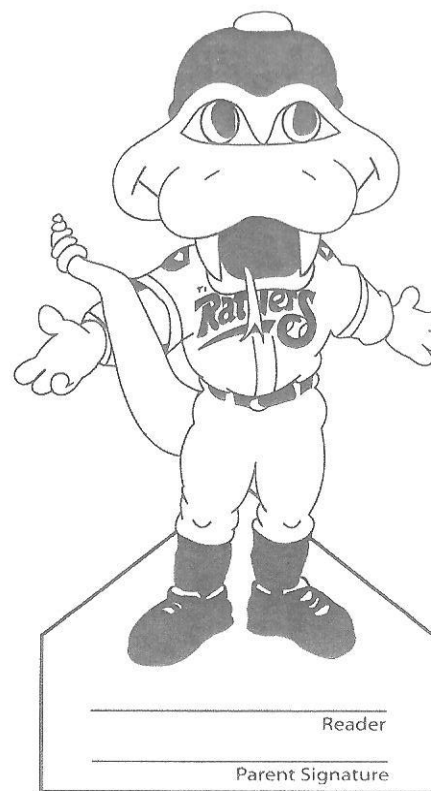
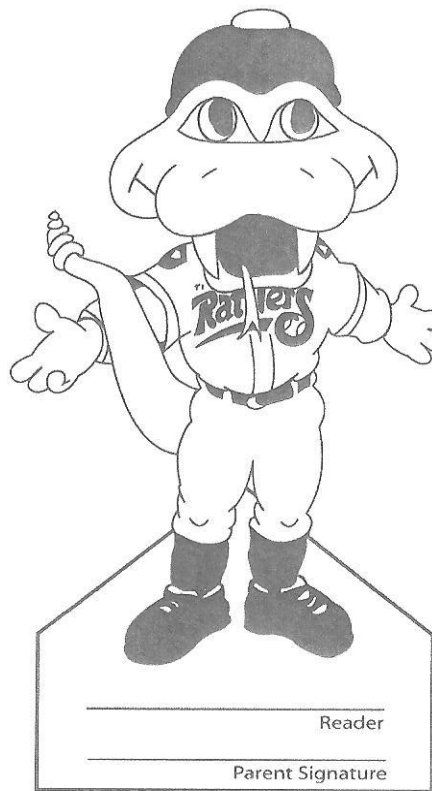
PRE-SCHOOL:	1 BOOK
PRE-KINDERGARTEN:	1 BOOK
KINDERGARTEN:	2 BOOKS
1st GRADE:	3 BOOKS
2nd GRADE:	100 MINUTES
3rd GRADE:	120 MINUTES
4th GRADE:	120 MINUTES
5th GRADE:	150 MINUTES
6th GRADE:	150 MINUTES
7th GRADE:	200 MINUTES
8th GRADE:	200 MINUTES

ANY QUESTIONS: CONTACT DAWN PALTZER AT 766-7663 OR RDAZPAL@AOL.COM

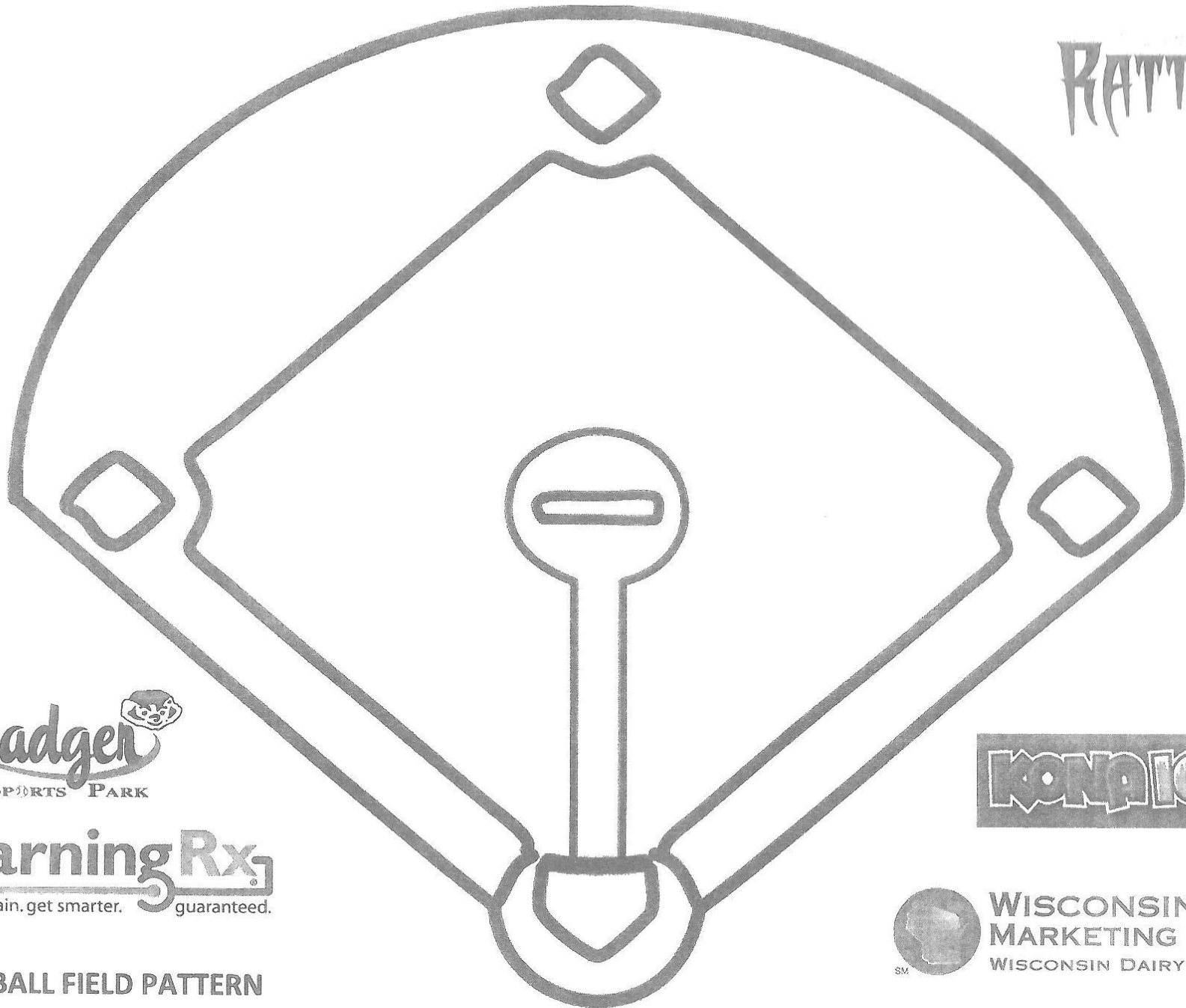
THE TIMBER RATTLES

FANG BASES

Parents,
When your child has completed an assignment, fill out one of the Fang Bases below and return to his/her classroom. Your child will receive a Timber Rattlers prize for each of the four Fang's they return to their teacher. Your child has hit a HOME RUN upon completing all four Fangs.



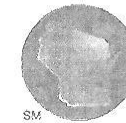
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BASEBALL FIELD PATTERN

Make copies of the baseball diamond. Cut out, decorate, label with student's name and place on wall. Whenever a completed Fang is returned, place Fang on base. This will display in the classroom how much reading each student has done.

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ GRADE _____

**Co-Curricular Permission Form
River View School**

I hereby give my permission for _____ to compete in the co-curricular/athletic programs. I further agree to be financially responsible for the safe return of all athletic equipment issued to him/her.

I also attest to the fact that the above named student has not had a Significant operation, serious illness or injury requiring prolonged treatment.

PARENT: If there is any questions that this student may not Be qualified for co-curricular/athletic competition without a physical examination, contact your medical advisor before signing this form.

A girl/boy may participate in this activity if she/he is adequately insured by his/her family. Understand your insurance coverage before signing this form. The Kaukauna Area School District does **not** provide insurance coverage for participants involved in co-curricular activities and therefore is not liable in the event of an injury to a participant.

As parent or guardian, I am fully aware and accept that responsibility in the event an injury does occur. I am also aware and understand that the nature of co-curricular activities may result in an injury to participants.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Home Phone/Emergency Phone

**Medical Treatment Consent Form
For Minors**

Child's Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____

Father's Name _____ Employed at: _____

Home Phone _____ Business _____

Mother's Name _____ Employed at _____

Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____

IF PARENTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE IN AN EMERGENCY, CONTACT:

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____

Relationship to Child _____

Child's Doctor _____ Family Doctor _____

Child is Allergic to: _____

Medical Information (including last Tetanus shot, major illness) _____

Insurance Company _____ Policy Number _____

Responsible Party _____

Medical Treatment Consent for Minors

Dear Parents or Guardian: This card should be presented to the attending physician if your child is in need of medical treatment during your absence. Have each of your minor children (through age 18) carry a card with them or have it available when you are absent. This card will prevent delay of treatment for your child because of lack of proper authorization. Individual hospitals or physician offices may require additional authorization. I hereby authorize the treatment, administration of anesthesia and surgical treatment(s) for my minor child: _____

in the event of a medical situation occurring during my absence or when the hospital or physician(s) are unable to contact me. This authorization extends to any hospital or physician office and nursing personnel within the hospitals or physician office, medical authorities and physicians for performing medical procedures acting on the authority of this medical treatment consent form which are deemed necessary to my minor child.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian . Date

Witness Date

6 WEEK STRENGTH & CONDITIONING FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL BOYS AND GIRLS

WHO: Open to all 7th & 8th Grade Students

WHEN: March 10–April 14, 2014

Monday and Thursday Evenings 6-7 pm

WHERE: Kaukauna High School Weight Room

WHAT TO EXPECT: A class intended to teach the fundamental elements of strength & conditioning for sports: balance, posture, stability, and mobility. No previous experience in strength & conditioning is necessary.

WHAT TO BRING: Gym shoes, workout clothes, and a water bottle.

HOW TO REGISTER: A participation waiver must be signed and turned in prior to participation. You can pick up and drop off this waiver in the River View main office.

WHAT IF I HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE PROGRAM?

You can contact Kris Williams, Strength Coach via email at williamk@uwosh.edu

SUICIDE AWARENESS

Most of us have been affected directly or indirectly by suicide. Please join us on Tuesday, March 4 for a "Suicide" Evening of Awareness.

"Acknowledge, Care and Tell" will be presented on March 4, Tuesday in Friendship Hall from 6:30-7:30. Barb Bigalke is the Executive Director of the Center for Suicide Awareness. The goal of this program is to help people identify signs of depression, self-injury and suicide and respond to them effectively. Barb Bigalke will explain what the Center offers, talk about general warning signs, what to do and why this is a community response. This educational opportunity is helpful to people of all ages.

This program is sponsored by Holy Cross Adult Enrichment Committee. If you have any questions, please call Mary Ebben at 766-0008. This seminar is free and open to the public. Barb's talk will include time for questions and answers, followed by refreshments.

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IDITAREAD

March 1-31

Check out Children's Services newest reading program, Iditaread - based on the annual Alaskan race, the Iditarod! Children ages 3 years to 6th grade are invited to participate in 23 reading challenges from March 1-31 for an entry into a drawing for a giant stuffed husky! The first 200 children to reach the halfway point and visit the library will receive a bag of golden chocolate coins. Online or in-person registration begins February 24.



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