

“The Chat”, Chatfield School’s Weekly News



November 23, 2009

“Thanksgiving—A Time To Count Our Blessings!”

Monday, November 23, 2009

4th Grade Outdoors With Peter in a.m.
All 7th Graders to Cinema—9:40-12:00 Noon
PM Daycare in Gym 3:30-6:00 p.m.
Girls’ Basketball Practice JV2—5:30-6:30
JV1—6:30-7:30, Varsity 7:30-8:30
Adult Yoga in Commons—7:00-8:15 p.m.

Tuesday, November 24, 2009

Hot Dog Sales Today at Lunch—\$1 each
2nd-3rd Grade Kids Yoga in Library—3:30-4:30
PM Daycare in Gym—3:30-6:00 p.m.
Girl’s Basketball Practice
JV2—5:30-6:30, JV1 6:30-7:30 Varsity 7:30-8:30

Wednesday, November 25, 2009

NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
STAFF HALF-DAY

Thursday, November 26, 2009

NO SCHOOL
HAPPY THANKSGIVING—ENJOY YOUR DAY
WITH YOUR FAMILY

Friday, November 27, 2009

NO SCHOOL
THANKSGIVING VACATION

Thanksgiving Time *Author Unknown*

*When all the leaves are off
the boughs,
And nuts and apples gathered
in,
And cornstalks waiting for
the crows,
And pumpkins safe in barn
and bin,
Then Mother says, “My chil-
dren dear,
The fields are brown, and
autumn flies;
Thanksgiving Day is very
near,
And we must make thanksgiv-
ing pies!”*

*Have a Blessed and Wonder-
ful Thanksgiving Holiday!*

From The Chatfield Staff

**MARK YOUR
CALENDAR
FOR
WEEK OF
DECEMBER
7-11TH FOR
CHATFIELD’S
ANNUAL
BOOK
FAIR**

**SEE FORM
ELSEWHERE**

**HELP
NEEDED!**

Green School Award Voting Has Begun!

The Fox 66 Green Team is a program of FOX 66 made up of various community leaders from eco-friendly organizations through Mid-Michigan with the goal of making Mid-Michigan more “green”.

Chatfield is one of the schools nominated for the Green School Award. To place your vote for Chatfield, visit the Green Team page at www.wsmh.com/greenteam.

Click on Green School Awards and the list of nominated schools pops up.

Vote....Vote Often...Spread the word to friends and family.

GO BLUE/GREEN DOLPHINS!!!

Voting ends on December 4th, the winning school will be announced December 10th

CHILDREN'S LIBRARY BOOK FAIR

December 7th - 11th

THE MAGIC OF READING

Tuesday, December 7 th	8:00 a.m. - Noon 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Set-Up Children's Programs Open Shopping
Wednesday, December 8 th	8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Children's Programs Open Shopping
Wednesday, December 9 th	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Open Shopping Shoppers' Breakfast
Thursday, December 10 th	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Open Shopping Dance Set-up Dance K-8th
	Volunteer 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Volunteer 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	
Friday, December 11 th	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. 12:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Open Shopping Close-up/Clean-up

Volunteers are greatly appreciated.

Please sign up to help and return to Celeste Hingst in the Library

_____	_____
Name	Phone No
_____	_____
Child(s) Name	Homeroom Teacher
Day(s) Available _____	Time(s) Available _____



Giving Thanks—Author Unknown

Giving Thanks

For the hay and the corn and the wheat that is reaped,
 For the labor well done, and the barns that are heaped,
 For the sun and the dew and the sweet honeycomb,
 For the rose and the song and the harvest brought home -
 Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving!

Giving Thanks

For the trade and the skill and the wealth in our land,
 For the cunning and strength of the workingman's hand,
 For the good that our artists and poets have taught,
 For the friendship that hope and affection have brought -
 Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving!

Giving Thanks

For the homes that with purest affection are blest,
 For the season of plenty and well-deserved rest,
 For our country extending from sea unto sea;
 The land that is known as the "Land of the Free" —
 Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving!

Chatfield's Harvest Bazaar Was A Great Success!

Over 275 people came to our Bazaar. Everyone had a great time and we had some really unique and great items for sale. Thanks to everyone who came, who sold items, who made items, etc.

**We look forward to next year and an even greater Holiday Bazaar!
Mark your calendars for Saturday, November 20, 2010!**



Music Help Needed:

I am looking for parents or grandparents who read music or play instruments to assist Middle School Band students with solos, or small ensembles. I am also in need of an accompanist for solo work. Students can use part of their class time (2:30-3:30 Monday thru Thursday) or after school for solo and ensemble practice.

Also:

I have several students who would like to participate in band but are unable to do so because they cannot afford instruments. If you or someone you know has a band instrument that is no longer being used, please consider donating it to the school for use by these deserving students.

Thank You!

Basketball Camp for Boys & Girls—Grades 2,3,4

Don't miss out—Time is running out and Space is limited! Season is 8 Weeks on Saturdays from January 9 thru March 6th from 10:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m.

Registration Forms are due by December 1st (Money Due by December 16th)

Extra Registration Forms are available in the school office!

Any questions or concerns? Please call John DelCampo at 586-918-3220.

Total Cost: \$30.00 unless you have a game jersey from last year that still fits, if you do than the cost is \$20.00.

RELAY NEWS

WREATH SALES

The Relay for Life Team will NOT be selling Poinsettias; instead we are selling wreaths at the Craft Bizarre on November 21st. Please join in the fight against cancer.

POPCORN SALES

Students will be able to order popcorn again this Friday for 25 cents. Popcorn will be delivered to their rooms before lunch for an afternoon snack. Last Friday we raised \$55.00; like always, all proceeds go to the American Cancer Society.

RECYCLE

Save your ink cartridges and old cell phones. We are collecting them all year. There is a drop box in the hall by the gym entrance. This fundraiser is easy, free and helps us earn hundreds of dollars. The more we collect, the more we earn. Just ask neighbors, friends, family and co-workers to donate them.

MOM-TO-MOM SALE

The next Mom-To-Mom sale is March 20th—9-2 p.m. After the sale, we will be having a Spaghetti Dinner from 4-8 p.m. It will be advertised on the Mom-To-Mom website, American Cancer Society website, MOPS website, Lapeer County Home School website; along with the newspaper again.

RELAY SCHOOL STORE

The School store is doing great: Open Monday-Thursday 3:30-3:50 p.m.

Look for a lot of exciting things happening this year. All suggestions are welcome. Remember, the kids are working hard to find different things to do so the Chatfield Team can make a difference in the fight against cancer.

Our next meeting will be Friday, November 13th from 3:35-4:00 pm In the Multi-Purpose Room.

Thanks to All

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