

Wildcat Weekly
September 4, 2009



Character Counts! every day at Old Post!

Monday, September 7, 2009	NO SCHOOL, Labor Day
Tuesday, September 8, 2009	Boys' After School Sports until 4:30 Rosati's Night
Wednesday, September 9, 2009	Girls' After School Sports until 4:30
Thursday, September 10, 2009	EARLY DISMISSAL; Grades 1-5 at 1:40 a.m. Kindergarten hours 8:40 – 10:40 p.m. Kindergarten hours 11:40 – 1:40 PTA Meeting, 7:00 p.m. in LRC
Friday, September 11, 2009	

- In the hustle and bustle of the beginning of school, if you have forgotten to pay the registration fees, please try to do so at this time so that we can complete your child's registration. Also, if any cell phone/work numbers have changed, please notify the office so that we can update our records.
- **Please** be sure your students have appropriate gym shoes for PE class. Students will not be allowed to participate without appropriate footwear. Shoes with wedge heels, canvas slides, and flip flops are not gym shoes.
- Sometimes a lot of notes and papers come home in the weekly Friday Folders. This number should be reduced because of the new on-line flier system the district has adopted. Please be sure to read through the information that does go home. Some of it may need to be returned to the school.
- The next PTA newsletter deadline is September 11. Please send any information or announcements that you want to be included to opptanews@gmail.com. Be sure to include your name and telephone number if we need to contact you.

During the weeks of September 14 through October 2, children in grades 2-5 will take tests called Measures of Academic Progress (MAP). An informational letter is coming home in your child's Friday folder next week, so please be sure to look at it. Here are some ways you can help your child prepare for testing:

**Make sure your child is well rested on school days and especially the day of the test. Children who are tired are less able to pay attention in class or to handle the demands of a test.*

**Give your child a well-rounded diet. A healthy body leads to a healthy, active mind.*

**Be sure to encourage your child to do her/his very best on the test. Children tend to do better in testing situations when they feel supported at home and school.*

Important dates to remember:

Sept. 18	School Pictures
Sept. 21	Market Day
Sept. 22	Curriculum Night 6:30 p.m.

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