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EDU-PRIZE PARENT NEWSLETTER

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Dr. McCamman's Corner



Have you visited our website lately? We have a well maintained website where you can see a calendar of events, late breaking information, and links to a variety of other sites. Quite often, if you have a question, you can find the answer on our website. We also enjoy feedback letting us know how we can modify our website to assist you. So, take a few minutes this weekend and visit www.edu-prize.com and see how you can be enlightened!

CHARACTER COUNTS

*(This year we have a committee of **Junior High Students** that have been working with **Dr. McCamman** and **Mrs Rand** to coordinate our "Character Counts" citizenship building program. As our focus moves among the six pillars, our students will publish their ideas.)*

Responsibility is the second of the character traits we are focusing on this year. This means doing what you are told when you are told. It also means you have to take care of all of the possessions you own and that you should listen to your parents and teachers. These are good rules to remember as we celebrate this character trait from **October through December 4th**. On the fourth of December we will have our character color day so remember to wear green to show we are responsible students.



IMPORTANT DATES

Through November 20th

~ **Canned Food Drive**

November 11

~ **Veterans Day**

School Holiday

November 12

~ **SRP Meeting**

November 18 - 24

~ **Parent Conferences**

November 25

~ **Early Release**

All Schedules

November 26 & 27

~ **Thanksgiving Break**

School Holidays

December 4

~ **Character Color Day**

EDU-PRIZE SCHOOL CHILD STUDY TEAM

Information for Parents

Whenever a teacher has **significant** concerns about a student, they may request a school Child Study Team (CST) meeting to discuss their concerns and appropriate interventions. Scheduled monthly, a CST meeting is a school based intervention meeting and is for school staff only.

A teacher may request a meeting if they have concerns about a student and/or if they are considering: retention, the suitability of a special education evaluation, language concerns OR if they simply have concerns and would like some suggestions for how they may support the student.

The CST team consists of teachers who are all able to offer experience and skills in supporting students with various needs. Before requesting a CST meeting about your child, the teacher will have addressed their concerns with you, the parent, through a conference or phone call.



**You don't want to miss out!
Hurry and register for our
5th Annual Gold Tournament.
Saturday, November 21st
Superstition Springs Golf Course
Check in time: 6:30 a.m.
Shotgun start: 7:45 a.m.
Register online at:
www.edu-prizeptn.com
Questions? Contact Dave Tipescu at
dtipescu@msn.com**

2010 Harkins Souvenir Cup Sales

The 2010 Loyalty Cups will be on sale this week.
Please check your child's backpack for the order forms.

This is a GREAT fundraiser for our school and the
cups make great holiday gifts!

Add a Harkins gift card through Scrip and you have an
awesome present for that special someone.

Orders are due by Thursday, November 19th,
so make sure to get your order in soon.

Grocery Programs

Fresh and Easy Shopping Night is fast approaching! Shop
at the Fresh & Easy on the corner of Gilbert & Guadalupe
on **Wednesday, December 9th between 4 p.m.— 8p.m**
and 5% of your purchases will be donated back to Edu-
Prize. Additionally, if your total receipt is \$20 or more,
place it in the collection bin in your child's class and Edu-
Prize can earn another \$1 per receipt! Super Simple!!



Fall Student Photos

**Retakes will be on
Monday, December 7th.**



Holiday Shopping

Thanksgiving is right around the corner and some of you
may be stocking up on your food and grocery items.

Don't forget to send in your Campbell Soup and Box Top
labels. Campbell's will currently **match 2500 points** if we
submit 2500 labels **before December**,
remember to clip those labels!



points to purchase playground items
ropes, kick balls, soccer balls and cones.

Yearbook Photos

Don't forget to submit those yearbook photos!
We'd love to have some of your literature day parade
photos to show off in this year's yearbook.

Email all photos to:
yearbook@edu-prize.com