# ALMOND-BANCROFT SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWSLETTER 1336 ELM ST PHONE 715-366-2941 ALMOND, WI 54909 WWW.ABSCHOOLS.K12.WI.US

#### **JUNE 2008**



# Almond-Bancroft 2008 Summer School Class Offerings

I am pleased to announce the following classes will be offered this summer in the Almond-Bancroft School District.

| Class Strength & Conditioning | <u>Day/Time</u><br>Monday-Thursday<br>7:00-9:00 AM    | <u>Dates</u><br>June 9-August 7                       |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| Reading & Math Wizardry       | Monday-Thursday<br>8:30-11:30 AM                      | June 9-July 31                                        |
| Basketball & Football Skills  | Monday-Friday<br>6:00-9:00 PM                         | June 9-August 8                                       |
| Fun & Games In The Sun        | Monday-Thursday<br>8:30-11:30 AM                      | June 9-July 17                                        |
| Swimming                      | Monday-Thursday<br>Bus leaves AB 1:00-returns 4:00 PM | June 9-June 26 Session I<br>July 7-July 24 Session II |
| Credit Recovery               | Please call Sarah Spencer                             |                                                       |
| Band Lessons                  | Please call Royal Gingery                             |                                                       |
| Drivers Education             | Please call HS Office                                 |                                                       |

In addition to the above classes the district will be offering a free lunch to all students of the Almond-Bancroft School District. The lunch will be served Monday-Thursday at 11:45-12:30. Students do not have to be enrolled in summer school to participate in the lunch program.

If your children will be taking advantage of the summer **FREE** lunch program please call the District Office 715-366-2941 ext. 422 or ext. 421 no later than Thursday June 5, 2008, so the cook can plan accordingly.

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

#### **April Students of the Month**

Students were honored last week for being selected as Student of the Month. From sixth grade, we honored Derek Keenlance. Derek always works very hard and tries his best in class. He is well liked by his peers and gets along with everybody, but also takes his learning seriously. From seventh grade, we honored Susie Mata. Susie has come a long way here at Almond. She is cooperative, courteous, and she has shown her ability and desire to succeed in the classroom. Susie is trying her best to be a better student. From eighth grade, we honored Jon Pagel. Jon has consistently done exceptional work

throughout his Middle School career. He is a good role model to the other students at Almond-Bancroft.

Jon is an excellent student. These students were selected by their teachers.

#### **High School News** Student of the Week



Third week in April: Audrey Sanders was selected by Royal Gingery, Director of Instrumental Music. Audrey is a very responsible and driven individual. She has gone above and beyond in band and is always willing to pitch in where she is needed. She is a good musician and likes to help others with their music when she can. Audrey is always positive and a real treat to have in class.



Fourth week in April: Zach Perzinski was selected by Bill Wagner, Tech Ed teacher. Zach is always respectful, helpful, and responsible during class. He is usually the first one done with assignments and takes additional projects to further his experiences and abilities in the welding area. Zach seems to enjoy the curriculum of the Tech Ed. class and has excelled in welding and metal fabrication. He is a model student for taking advantage of his educational opportunities.



First week in May: Camille Crahan was selected by Kevin Vander Laan, Physical Education/Health instructor. Camille has been working very hard in weight-training and continues to break her individual records each week. She is a very hard-working, self-motivated student-athlete who enjoys the physical challenges of lifting weights each week. Camille always accurately records her lifts in her logbook and has been a great "coach" to the other people in her rack station.



Second week in May: Brant Bickford was selected by Nicole Brandt, High School English instructor. Brant is so fun to have in class. He is always walks into the room with a smile on his face and a positive attitude. He is also very successful academically. Brant pays attention to what we are learning and always helps fellow students

in need. Also, he has a really cool name!

### Congratulations Students!



Third week in May: Carly Rast was selected by Lisa Vann, Spanish/ELL teacher. Carly strives daily to do her best. Her dedication to education and the school environment is remarkable. Carly's strong communication skills allow her to converse with people all ages and ethnicities. She uses sound judgment and sets goals for herself with the zeal and tenacity to achieve whatever she sets her mind to accomplishing. I expect we will hear simply wonderful stories of her future successes over the years.



On May 16th the Middle school was invited to the Wautoma Shara Olympic Track Meet. It was a

great day to run with stiff competition for area schools. Thanks to all the athletes that competed, and made it a great day. The athletes that excelled in the meet and received medals for their efforts are as follows: Jerek Dake- 2nd place 100 meter dash, 3rd place 200 meter dash, Alison Kim- 3rd place 400 meter dash Robbie Scott, Jeff Kollack, Cody Leonardt, and Jerek Dake- 2nd place 4X 100 meter relay, Kayla Smith-2nd place 50 meter dash, Payton Hintz- 2nd place softball throw, McKenna Heck- 3rd place 400 meter dash, Reba Lytle, Anna Perrin, Lacy Warzynski, and Kayla Smith- 2nd place 4X100 meter relay

#### More Mics!

The drama department was presented with a lovely suprise this spring: 2 new headset mics! The funding for the mics was anonymously donated and The Friends of Music chair, Joy Myers, passed it along! She refuses to divulge who donated the money, so we are sending out a huge thank you to whomever is behind this great gift! We were able to use the mics earlier this month when the drama class put on a play for the elementary school, and they will be a great help when we perform the fall play. Thank you!

#### Thank you!

The class of 2009 would like to thank Mr. Weisner and Mr. Swan for donating the popcorn packets we used during basketball concessions. It made our work a lot easier, not to mention more delicious! Thanks again!



We would like to extend a HUGE thank you to Swan's Garage, Union Telephone Company, the Almond Post Office, and Premier Overhead Doors for allowing us to come and visit. During our visits the students saw first hand what was involved with each type of business and learned what school and social skills are needed to do these jobs. It was a morning full of neat experiences, which could not be created in a classroom setting. Thank you to everyone involved for helping to make our Social Studies unit come to life!! Also, an extra thank you for working around the weather and the cancellations that took place, your cooperation was

greatly appreciated! Pagel Construction was also on our agenda, however the weather dictated once again and we had to cancel...maybe next year! Thanks again!!

From the First Graders and Teachers

#### P.I.E. Minutes

On Tuesday, April 22, 2008 the PIE organization met and the following are the minutes of that meeting: *Old Business*: Michele Warzynski will make cards for the Professional Day employees. A funding form was submitted and revised. These forms will be made available to teachers to fill out when requesting funding. Ten children have signed up to date for the Babysitting Clinic. Senior Tea was discussed and is planned for May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Eighth grade graduation was discussed and is planned for June 3rd. The fundraiser ART was discussed and Leslie will meet with Sarah Ritter to discuss further.

*New Business*: Almond School is offering swimming as a summer school class. We have decided to discontinue the swim program in the fall if the summer swim class is a success. The swim program was not a money maker for us but rather a service that was offered to the students of A-B Schools. There will be a notice in the newsletter regarding this decision. Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday June 24, 2008** at 5:30 p.m. in the Elementary LMC. Please plan to attend.

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Mr. Zinda in his cement truck.

Mr. Busse explaining how they can vegetables at DelMonte.

#### First Grade Sends A Huge Thank You!!

During our Social Studies Unit focusing on jobs, we invited family and friends into our classroom to share their job experiences with us. We would like to thank the following individual who were able to come in:

Tom Zinda came in to talk to the students about his job working as a Ready Mix truck driver. He demonstrated how to mix the ingredients to make cement and brought in his truck for the students to see. **Heather Wittig** talked to the students about her job in Loss

Prevention. We learned some interesting information about shoplifters and what happens to those who try to steal something from a store. **Linda Otto** shared with us some information and details about her job as a Business Analysis and



Mrs. Kollock talking about the campground.

Computer programmer. **Craig Busse** told us about his job at Del Monte, and helped us to understand what happens to

the vegetables when they go to the plant in Plover. **Dan Manock** came in and shared some information about the filters made by the

Donaldson Company and what his job in ship-

ping entails. **Charlie Cose** brought in his mailbag and told us about being a mail carrier in the Stevens Point area.. Can you believe that he walks about 15 miles a day? **Jim Perrin** couldn't bring in his plane, but he told the students all about the crop dusting and what it takes to be a pilot. **Diane Kollock** came in and talked about the responsibilities of owning and running a campground, it sounds busy!!



Mr. Manock describing a filter that Donaldson makes.

All of the presenters did an awesome job stressing the importance of school, responsibility, and respect!!

Once again a **HUGE** thank you to all of you for taking the time to share with us. Hearing information from someone other than the teacher and their own parents can make a difference and helps in answering some of the specific questions the students have.



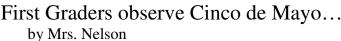
Mrs. Otto talking about how all of her passwords she needs to get into her computer to do work.



Mr. Perrin talking about crop dusting. His plane didn't fit inside the school.



Shaking our Maracas



On Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, the first graders got together and talked about Cinco de Mayo and its history. Following the discussion, the students made colorful maracas, did some activity pages, and made homemade salsa. A huge thank you to everyone who sent in the needed ingredients, as everyone got to cut up their own onion, tomato, and lime!

After the chefs were done, it was time to eat! Mmmm, Mmmm, good!



Mixing up the salsa



Mrs. Nelson giving them a hand

Enjoying the salsa.. Seconds?

#### Safety Cadet News

By: Mrs. Upton, Safety Cadet Coordinator

If you are a Safety Cadet, May is always a very exciting month! There is so much going on at this time of the year. On May 16th, twelve of our top cadets went on a fun filled day touring Wisconsin Dells. These students were Devon Anderson, Hattie Berry, Megan Burns, Yanira Carrizosa, Tony Hintz, McKenzie Miner, Natalie Romo, Margaret Scott, Alex Spohn, Jace Stuebs, Megan Wiczek, and Hailey Wierzba. The kids went bowling, played miniture golf, saw a 4D movie, did some shopping downtown, and also attended the Tommy Bartlett Ski Show. Everything, except their shopping was paid for, including their meals. The kids had a GREAT time!!!

On Tuesday, May 27th, all the Safety Cadets that were still in good standing went to the Riverview Water Park in Wisconsin Dells. Every year the kids have a terrific time. This year was no different!

All of the events that the Safety Cadets take part in is sponsored by the Portage County Sheriffs Department. Thank you Deputy Annette for all that you do for our school!

#### P.I.E. Senior Tea

A much appreciated thank you goes out to everyone that was a part of the senior tea spa night. Rochelle from Heavenly Hair did eyebrow waxing, Nadine Seymour did a makeover with Mary Kay products, Jamie Winn had satin hands from Mary Kay, Mickey Pagel embroidered on bath towels for each of the girls, Tina Kurkowski did hand made spa essentials and taught about home and herbal remedies and Stepping Stones from Amherst did wonderful chair messages. We would also like to thank Jean Colombe and Marguerite Baumgartner for all the extra work they did. From all of us at P.I.E we thank you for making these memories such great ones.



#### From the Library-by Mrs. Mather

#### LMC Awards for 2007-08

The Schleizer Awards are given annually in the memory of Paul and Matt Schleizer, two brothers who were responsible and hardworking members of the Library Club.

This year's Paul Schleizer Award went to Andrew Parra - for the second year in a row! Andrew has been a great asset to the LMC. He has often helped teachers and staff set up audio visual equipment for presentations, as well as being a troubleshooter for problems with TVs and DVD players. Andrew also has served as the Vice-President of Library Club. We thank him for having such a positive attitude about helping others and also for volunteering so much of his free time to help at school! This year's Matt Schleizer Award went to Cassie Thompson. Cassie has been a conscientious and responsible LMC Science student who has served as the President of Library Club. She has worked Cassie Thompson & Andrew Parra with elementary students for several years. Cassie has shelved literally thousands of incoming library books, worked at the circulation desk, and always had a smile when helping others. As a graduating senior, her reliable and excellent service will be missed.





These two Schleizer honorees, Andrew and Cassie, had their names placed on special plaques which are located in the LMC, and they also received certificates of honor.

At the Awards Ceremony in May, there were two more students who were recognized for their Outstanding Service to the School LMC. These Library Science students were: Cheyeanna Schober and Ariel Fay. Both of these fine young women received a "Certificate of Award for LMC Excellence" for their exemplary assistance in the library this past year. Over this past year they have helped students and staff check out library resources, shelved and organized books, worked on the school scrapbook, and processed new LMC items. Cheyeanna has served as the Treasurer/Secretary of Library **Club**, and Ariel has spent extra hours during her study hall time to help with special library projects. All of their efforts are greatly appreciated. Congratulations to all of you!

Cheyeanna Schober & Ariel Fay

#### Lila Wilkins Maddalena Memorial Book Collection

Lila Maddalena lived in the Almond area and was a school teacher for thirty-two years. She even worked as a substitute teacher here at the Almond-Bancroft School. Lila Maddalena passed away in March 2008, and the following books were donated to the school LMC as a memorial to her by her two daughters Geraldine Woodhouse, now living in Texas, and Michelle Van Ert who works as a Teacher Assistant and part-time LMC Assistant here at A-B School:

Historical Atlas of the United States with Original Maps, The Atlas of World War II, The Arthurian Book of Days, Clara Barton, Shakespeare, How to Say it From the Heart, The Complete Hans Christian Andersen Fairy Tales (in honor of Lila's Danish heritage), Mark Twain - Four Complete Novels, Moccasin Trail, Rash (a National Book Award Winner), BFF (by Judy Blume), Iron Thunder: A Civil War Novel, Red Moon at Sharpsburg, Hope Was There, and Dear America- My Heart is on the Ground. Our thanks to Geraldine and Mickey for these wonderful books!

#### Ed Poock Listed in New Basketball Book

The LMC has a new book by Chuck Tank titled Coaching Our Sons. According to Jay Wilson, longtime WIAA broadcaster, this book "is a real 'Who's Who' of basketball in Wisconsin. The stories provide a unique perspective and insight into the lives of many of the most successful basketball families in the state and the many challenges they've faced." In the appendix there is a roster of coaches and their families. Ed Poock, his wife Sandra, and their sons are included.

Ed Poock, former District Administrator and Coach and Athletic Director of the Almond-Bancroft School District, started his coaching career in 1961 at Montello High School. He also coached at Wittenberg-Birnanwood High School, Winona State University, Green Bay East High School (where he coached his son Kyle from 1977-1978), D.C. Everest in Schofield, and here in Almond-Bancroft (where he coached his son Scott from 1979-1980). Ed Poock is quoted in the book saying that he "liked the lead-up to the season, the part where you were really seeing what you could make of the team." (Page 119) In 1974-1975 his Wittenberg-Birnamwood team was undefeated throughout the season, but they lost the state championship game to Sheboygan Falls.

If you're interested in basketball and/or the difficulties and the joys of coaching, you'll enjoy this book of local basketball history.

#### End of Year Donations to the LMC

The LMC would like to extend another big "THANKS" to all the generous library benefactors who have donated resources to the LMC over this school year. This past month we received items from the following people: Lynn Hintz (food, women's, and children's magazines), Julia Swan (the video Madeline based on Ludwig Bemelmans' classic book series about a Parisian schoolgirl and her classmates), Hunter Laska (bowhunting magazines), Lisa Vann (multicultural books for children and three "Big Books" with accompanying paperbacks in Spanish and English), Jeanette Colombe (magazines for reading and great pictures for school projects - Nick Magazine, National Geographic Kids, and more), Donna McIntee and Melissa Vezina (food, home decorating, and women's magazines), Kathy Miner (a wonderful variety of early readers and preschool picture books), and Rochelle Schultz (an extensive variety of magazines for leisure reading and class projects). These are all great additions to our LMC collection! Thanks so much to everyone, and have a spectacular summer!

#### 2008 SPORTS / CAMP PHYSICALS

Appointments can also be scheduled during regular office hours.

Pediatrics Department 715-342-7655

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#### Thursday June 26th

Dr. Jeanne Groos 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Thomas McIntee 4:00-8:00pm

#### Thursday July 17th

Dr. James Kasukonis 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Anne Marie Reed 4:00-8:00pm

#### Thursday July 23rd

Dr. James Kasukonis 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Luke Tremble 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Jeanne Groos 4:00-8:00pm

Monday July 28th

Dr. Jennifer Weiser 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Luke Tremble 4:00-8:00pm

#### August

#### Monday August 4th

Dr. Ralph Locher 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Anne Marie Reed 4:00-8:00pm

#### July

#### Tuesday July 15th

Dr. Ronald Locascio 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Jeanne Groos 4:00-8:00pm

#### Monday July 21st

Dr. Ronald Locascio 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Anne Marie Reed 4:00-8:00pm

#### Saturday July 26th

Dr. Ralph Locher 8:00-12:00pm Dr. Ronald Locascio 8:00-12:00pm

#### Thursday July 31st

Dr. Ralph Locher 4:00-8:00pm Dr. Jennifer Weiser 4:00-8:00pm

#### Tuesday August 5th

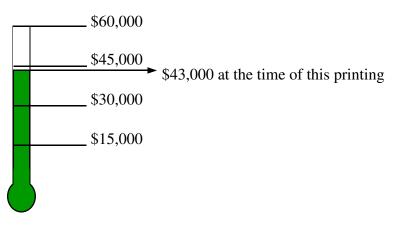
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#### Almond-Bancroft Sports Complex Improvement Project

We are Soaring with Eagle Pride!!

We are pleased to report that we have received many generous donations in the last tow months from area businesses, community members, and alumni. We are anticipating that the bleachers will be ready to install early in August. We still have a ways to go to complete the project and are hoping that a few more donations will make their way to us in the next six weeks.

If you have already made a donation, we thank you for your generosity. If you have not made a donation and have questions about the project, please feel free to contact one of the Booster Club members for more information.



The re-scheduled Strategic Planning Update Meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 15, 2008. Your input is crucial in helping determine the direction for year two of the Strategic Plan. It is essential to have a broad and an accurate representation of the Almond-Bancroft School District. This update meeting is extremely important and we hope that you seriously consider being part of the planning team. Look for more registration details in the August newsletter.

#### Movin' & Munchin' School Program

Movin' & Munchin' Schools is a program developed by the Department of

Public Instruction to get students and elementary staff to increase their activity level and to eat more healthy foods. Students and elementary staff earn a mile for every 15 minutes of physical activity and a mile or miles for eating healthy foods. They can also earn miles for not drinking soda, not watching TV, and for eating meals as a whole family. Students first through fifth grades and elementary staff have working on earning miles for the last eight weeks. Students earned awards at 300 miles and received a free second recess, at 500 miles received a free first recess, at 750 miles received a free choice of what activity to do in physical education class, and at 1,000 miles received a free sports equipment of their choice. Elementary staff was divided into two teams and had a friendly competition between the two teams, and are having a social get together to celebrate their efforts.

The following students reached 1,000 miles:

#### First Grade

#### Emily Takacs Zachary Bunders Grant Burns Jon Perrin Luke Manock

#### Fourth Grade

Gavin Larsen
Macy Baird
Marie Beltran
Clayton Swan
Alissa Williams
Austin Bunders
Kaitlynn Lehman
Cole Warzynski
Jordan Kealiher
Johl Turzinski

#### Elementary Staff

Cindy Wills
Kim Weiss
Dawn Barber
Sarah Ritter
Karen Kehring
Greg Kehring
Crystal Frank
SuAnn Pagel Rast
Marcy Lehman
Sandy Barden
Angie Meilahn

#### Second Grade

Paige Hintz
Aurora Larsen
Chloe Lehman
Brandon Hartman
Laura Dykes
Lee Goman
Cami Newby
Fifth Grade

Ramsey Avery
Jarod Cieslewicz
Jesse Hunkins
Meghan Menadue
Luis Reyes
Alexandria Spohn

Jace Stuebs Nicholas Figueroa Teagan Vezina

Dana Nelson

Carrie Karch

Lisa Wimme

Amanda Davy Holly Busse

Missy Henske

Sara Blokhuis

Linda McLarnan

Sandy Ciula

Denise Upton

Brenda Ramczyk

#### Third Grade

Dylan Bunders Catherine Schmidt Carter Newby Michaela Wallace Julio Reyes Jared Sawyer



#### ALMOND/BANCROFT FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER NEWS Centro de Recursos del Familias del condado de Portage

Almond High School (Room S325)
Enter through Almond Elementary (Entre por la Escuela Elementaria
Numero de telefono ) 1-715-366-2882
June, 2008

Hello, Bueno,

With the warm weather finally upon us, it is time to come and visit your Family Resource Center and meet new friends and neighbors. You might want to be sure to come to Play Group on Wednesday, June  $11^{th}$ , and make a "Special Amphibian" for Father's Day! If you plan on coming, bring a rock to paint....the rest will be a surprise. Of course, Play Date is free of charge and a snack is provided. Remember, Room S325 in the High School part of the Almond School from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. See you there.

Those of you that have received the Family Connections Newsletter with our calendar of events, take note of the following changes:

My office hours are on Wednesdays from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

#### Single Session Workshop

Language, Libraries and Lots More

Monday, June 2, from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. at the Bancroft School
Please pre-register by Friday, May 30.
Register by May 30th This will be a bi-lingual presentation.
Lenguas, Bibliotecas, y Partes Mas
Lunes June 2, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. Escuela de Bancroft
Por Favor Pre-registrese para el Viernes, 30 de Mayo.
Telephono 715-366-2882 or 715-421-4635

#### PLAY GROUP

Play Group provides a wonderful opportunity for your child to socialize with other young children and for you to talk with other parents you can relate to. Come as often as you can and relax and enjoy yourself while your child plays, has a snack, makes a craft and usually enjoys a story time. Wednesdays 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. No registration required

#### **SUMMER EVENTS (SAVE)**

Wednesday June 18<sup>th</sup>: CHALK DRAWING DAY

Weather permitting, we will be outside. Feel free to brink chalk.

Wednesday June 25th: OPEN GYM DAY

We will meet at the Gym in Almond Elementary.

Wednesday July 9<sup>th</sup>: TEDDY BEAR PICNIC

Be sure to bring you Teddy Bear

Wednesday July 23<sup>rd</sup>: SUNDAES ON A WEDNESDAY.

Bring the whole family. Please call ahead.

Wednesday Aug. 6<sup>th</sup>: PAPER AIRPLANE FUN

There is more to a 'paper airplane' than just folding paper!

Wednesday Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> HAWIIAN LUA DAY.

Wear your favorite flowered clothing.

SEE YOU AT THE ALMOND/BANCROFT FAMILY RESOURCE CTR.

Thank you Cathy, J.B. Nicolle and Lori for all of your help. Welcome, Sara, Jessica, and Corrine.

# Project Fresh Start 2008

Coming to Almond-Bancroft School- August 28, 2008

Helping Almond-Bancroft students get needed school supplies.

## Project Fresh Start is coming to Almond-Bancroft School.

Thursday August 28th Project Fresh Start will take place at Almond-Bancroft West Gymnasium during Back to School Night.

\*This date/location is specific to students who attend Almond-Bancroft School.

Eligibility: Almond-Bancroft students (4k-12)who receive free/reduced meals.

Event Date: Aug. 28, 2008 at Almond-Bancroft School West Gymnasium.

Registration: Pre registration is not required. Registration will take place on site

the day of.

Project Fresh Start will help provide the traditional school supplies required by teachers.

2008 is the first year a satellite location will be offered for Project Fresh Start.

Questions? Call (715) 341-6740 or simply dial 2-1-1 Visit www.unitedwaypoco.org for more information



GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER.

Materials regarding school supply collection sites and volunteering will be available in early June. Please call if you want to learn more about how you can get involved or if you are interested in supporting this program.



# 2008 Project Fresh Start- Almond-Bancroft Registration Information Date: \_\_\_\_

|                      | Please complete the information for each child. | Photocopy as necessary |     |  |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----|--|
| Parent/Guardian Name | :                                               | Phone:                 |     |  |
| Address:             |                                                 | City:                  |     |  |
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- This registration form is specific to Project Fresh Start- Almond-Bancroft satellite site on August 28<sup>th</sup>.
- If you have more than five children who qualify to register, please photocopy this form or download additional forms at www.unitedwaypoco.org.
- For additional information regarding registration please refer to the parent/guardian letter.
- If you have further questions please call the United Way Volunteer Center at 715-341-6740 or dial 2-1-1.

|                                                                     | CHILDS NAME (First and | Last)                                                      | SCHOOL          | GRADE |
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| 1                                                                   | PLEASE CIRCLE ONE      | Gender: Male Female Age: 12 & under 13-17 18-              | 24              |       |
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# In order to demonstrate the need for services, please circle the appropriate boxes according to your Household Size and Household Income (< = Less than or equal to):

| Household Size (circle one)          | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          | 6          | 7          | 8          |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Household Yearly Income (circle one) | < \$18,889 | < \$25,327 | < \$31,765 | < \$38,203 | < \$44,641 | < \$51,079 | < \$57,517 | < \$63,955 |
|                                      |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Household Monthly Income             |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| (circle one)                         | < \$1,575  | < \$2,111  | < \$2,648  | < \$3,184  | < \$3,721  | < \$4,257  | < \$4,794  | < \$5,330  |

#### Please bring form on Thursday August 28 to Almond Bancroft School.

| Office Use Only Entered By | _ Date Entered |
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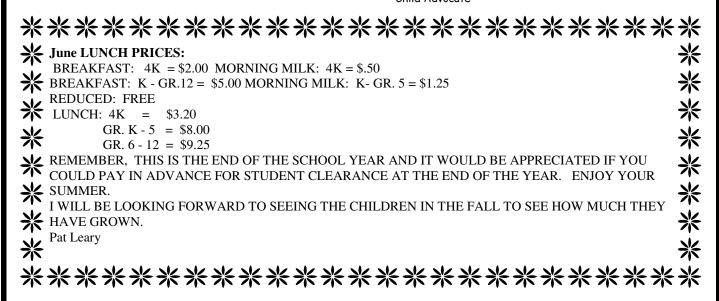
## YEAR IN REVIEW

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the community, parents, and students, for supporting our school district. We have a wonderful opportunity in the Almond-Bancroft School District-together we can make a difference in a child's life. The key word is together. I realize each of us lead very busy lives. However, when we take time to ask about how a child's day went at school or attend a concert, play, forensics, awards program, or athletic event it sends a message that we care and want to be a part of their lives.

We must be advocates for our children. We must strive for excellence in our educational programs. Schools face academic and social concerns. Expectations to meet those concerns will hinge on the willingness of educators, parents, and community members to make the necessary adaptations to make changes. For many years the school system has been viewed as a place where students enter at age 6 and exit 12 years later as being educated. What went on in these places of education has not always been understood nor explained to the public-a lid was kept on. Today, the lid must come off. It must come off for us to accomplish the understanding it will take to provide a quality education for each child.

As I complete my first year as your district administrator, I have enjoyed the experience and I look forward to serving you in the future. We will ask for your input and suggestions so that together we can make a difference. Thank You. Dan Boxx, District Administrator

"One Hundred years from now it will not matter, what kind of house I lived in, how much money I had. Nor what my clothes were like. But the world may be a little better because I was important in the life of a CHILD" Child Advocate



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