



**Vicksburg
Community
Schools**

Indian Lake Bulletin

May-June
2010

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 **PTSO** 
BEEF/PORK
RAFFLE

Drawing for 1/4 cow or 1/2 pig will take place on Friday, May 28th. Please turn in your form before this date!

It's not too late to get your

Kids Klub/K Wrap 2010/2011:

The cost of the program is \$5 per session (\$50 per week for both morning and afternoon daily). The morning program runs from 6:30 to 9:00 a.m., and the after school program runs from 3:35 to 6:00 pm

For more information call:

Carrie Harris—Kids Klub

Director @ 321-1021

Enrollment forms are available at the Kids Klub office, at the main office, or at the VAB.

2010-2011

**School year starts Tuesday,
September 7, 2010**

Vacation dates for next school year;

12/20/10-12/31/10—Holiday Break

School resumes January 3, 2011

4/4/11-4/8/11—Spring Break

School resumes April 10, 2011

new balance girls on the run 5k, May 27, 2010 * 6:30 pm * Waldo Stadium, WMU

This year, more than 1,950 girls will participate in our 5k run/walk to celebrate completion of their Girls on the Run® training program. The New Balance Girls on the Run 5K is the culmination of the Kalamazoo program. The run/walk will be held this year on Thursday, May 27 at 6:30, beginning and ending at Waldo Stadium on the campus of Western Michigan University. There will be a short program beforehand that will start at 5:45 p.m.



The girls celebrate their successes, affirm the lessons they have learned, and share their enthusiasm for running and healthy living with members of the public. Every girl is number 1, and every runner is a winner. Come, run with the girls and provide support and positive energy! **More info @ www.girlsontherunkazoo.org/5k_event**

Please read the attached letter regarding student placement for 2010-2011.



If you need a Teaching Style Placement Form, please ask your child's teacher or call the office.

Summer Enrichment Scholarships:

The Vicksburg Educational Association (VEA), the Vicksburg Education Support Personnel Association (VESPA), and the Vicksburg Paraprofessionals Association (VPA) will be offering summer scholarships to all Vicksburg Community Schools students for all ages, elementary through high school. Members of these organizations work hard to raise funds because they believe summers should be not only fun and relaxing, but also enriching for students.

The scholarships are available for many activities such as sports camps, art classes, swimming lessons, tennis lessons, science classes, computer classes, and many more.

In mid-April, applications will be available in every school office or you may visit the District's website at www.vicksburgcommunityschools.org, scroll down to the scholarship article on the homepage, and click on the link to view/download (Adobe, Acrobat Reader required). All applications must be completed and returned to Holly Hawke-Jordan at the High School **no later than May 7th at 3:30 p.m.** Scholarships will be drawn by lottery system and recipients will be notified by June 5th.

The VEA also raises funds for the *Grace Molineaux Memorial \$1000 Scholarship* for a graduating senior who is pursuing a career in education. Seniors planning on going into the educational field should check with their counselors for more information on this scholarship.

MAY 2010

- 4 PTSO Meeting 6:30 pm in the library (babysitting available)
- 5 2nd gr students to OEC all day
- 5 1st gr students to Kalamazoo Valley Museum-all day
- 6 Mrs. Barton's class to OEC pm
- 7 Kindergarten Health Clinic 8:30-10:00 am VAB
- 7 Career Day @ IL 9:30-11:00 am
- 8 Science Fair registrations due back today
- 9 Happy Mother's Day!!
- 10 District Reading Assessments 5/10-5/14
- 12 Mrs. Northam's class to OEC pm
- 14 3rd grades to Kalamazoo Air Zoo 9:10-2:30
- 17 School Board Meeting at HS 7:00 pm
- 18 5th grades to OEC pm
- 19 Mrs. Frakes am/Mrs. Treat's am K to OEC am
- 19 Mrs. Frakes pm/Mrs. Treat's BK to OEC pm
- 22 4-8pm Coffee & Music benefit for Robyn O'Brien @ IL
- 24 District Math Assessments 5/24-6/4
- 24-25 Set up for Science Fair
- 26-28—Science Fair
- 27—Kindergarten Graduation 10:00 am & 2:00 pm
- 27—Girls on the Run 5K 6:30 pm Waldo Stadium
- 28— 3rd grades to OEC am



JUNE 2010

May continued

28-Special Persons Day 11:00 am for morning K, 2:15pm for Kpm-5th gr

28 Drawing for Beef/Pork Raffle!!

31 NO SCHOOL—Memorial Day

JUNE

1 PTSO Meeting 6:30 pm

2 3-5 Field Day

3 K-2 Field Day (Kindergarten & Bk go all day)

4 Field Day Awards Assembly grades 3-5, 9:15am

4 3rd grades to Kalamazoo Air Zoo

8 Staff vs 5th gr Softball game 2:15pm

9 2:15pm 5th gr graduation rehearsal

10 9:30 am Transition Time-meet next year's teacher

10 2:15pm 5th gr graduation

11 9:30am Awards Assembly

Lunch will be served, Dismissal at 12:15pm (



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We have a selection of gift cards available for purchase in the school office:

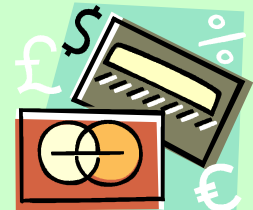
**Celebration Cinema,
Speedway, Culvers,
Barnes & Noble, Outback
Steakhouse, Red Lobster,
Panera, Subway,
Texas Roadhouse,
GAP, JCPenney, Babys R
Us, Felpausch, Walmart**

Gift cards can be purchased for over 250 different merchants and services located in our area.

A percentage of each gift card purchase goes to our school.

- Purchase directly from the office—10-12 varieties are kept in stock.
- On line at www.scriptcents.com, use the schools' code (B7ZE71B) and they will be shipped to your home for a small shipping fee
- Turn in the attached order form to the office. Orders will

be placed and you will be notified when your cards arrive.. Please call the school office or email any questions to dpuckett@vicksburg.k12.mi.us



FREE DEVELOPMENTAL VISION EVALUATION

EXCEL VISION THERAPY CENTER specializes in diagnosing and treating vision-related learning disorders. Often these vision problems are being diagnosed as ADD/ADHD or other learning disabilities.

Excel Vision Therapy Center will be conducting **FREE** developmental vision evaluations on **MONDAY, May 3, 2010.**

This free evaluation will evaluate five different areas of vision function. Vision is more than “how clearly” we see. Vision is the ability to take what we see and put it to use. Do you have a student with these problems?

- Reversal of letters, words or numbers
- Skip/repeat lines or lose their place
- Avoids reading, poor handwriting
- Poor reading comprehension
- Difficulty with sight words
- Difficulty sounding out words

You may register your child for this free evaluation by calling Excel Vision Therapy Center (269) 963-3600

Located at 395 S. Shore Dr., Suite #101, Battle Creek, Mi 49014

2009/10 Yearbooks HAVE ARRIVED!



To buy a copy of the **ALL COLOR 2010/11** yearbook, send your money now! “Zoom” pages are included. Make checks payable to Indian Lake Elementary. Yearbooks are \$12.00 each.

Year end DVD's are available for pre-order @ \$10.00 each

Student's Name

Grade/Teacher

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