

February 19, 2009

Dear Parents,

The annual Mardi Gras is this Saturday, February 21 from 6:00pm-11:00pm in the Social Center. Please ask friends and family to join us for this exciting event; tickets are available at the door.

Please read the following:

- Thank you to Lori Zuti and Brett Allen for organizing the “Jump for the Heart” jump rope week. Many students jumped their way to a healthier heart, and also donated to The American Heart Association. We raised \$250 for AHA.
- We are still asking for pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters to be donated to the Heifer Project; which is a Diocesan-wide international service project.
- On February 26 at 8:30am there will be a short meeting to discuss the current student uniforms. Any parent is invited to attend. The meeting will be held in the school library.
- Good luck to all of our St. Ambrose PARA basketball teams that begin tournament play this weekend!!
- Students may wear free dress tomorrow, February 20, if they sell \$10.00 in raffle tickets for Mardi Gras (\$20 per family).
- Letters of student acceptance for the 2009-2010 school year will be mailed out by February 26. Please make sure if you know someone who would like to apply, they do so right away.
- **March lunch update:** For the month of March only, on Thursdays we will be trying a new lunch company called Vie Gourmet. Some students sampled the company’s products before Christmas and liked them, so we are asking the rest of the student body to give their input. Chef Tom will continue to bring lunch Monday – Wednesday each week in March. Please fill out the lunch menu as you normally do, and return it to school by Friday, February 20. [Click here to download March’s lunch menu.](#)
- Wednesday, February 25 is Ash Wednesday. There will be an all school Mass at 8:45am. Dress uniform is required for students in grades K-8.

Thank you for all you do!

Sincerely,

Betsy Hunt
Principal