

THE UNION LETTER

“Union School’s Official Thursday Newsletter!” Thursday, October 11, 2007

Important Upcoming Events

- Oct 11 **Girl Scouts 2:30-4:00 PM**
Volleyball JV Tournament @ Union times 5:00 & 6:30 PM
November Lunch Menus sent home
- Oct 12 **Beta Club Induction Ceremony 10:00 AM**
- Oct 15 **Music on the Move**
Volleyball JV Tournament @ Holy Family 5:30 & 6:30 (bus leave 4:45 PM)
- Oct 16 **Terra Nova Testing grades 3 – 7 8:10-10:15 AM**
Explore Testing 8th grade 9:15-10:15 AM
K – 2 Field Trip 9:30 – 1:00 PM
Volleyball JV Tournament @ Holy Family 5:30 PM (bus leave 4:45 PM)
- Oct 17 **Terra Nova Testing grades 3 – 7 8:10-10:15 AM**
Explore Testing 8th grade 9:15-10:15 AM
Volleyball Varsity Tournament @ Rockdale 5:45 PM (bus leave 5:00 PM) * note time change**
Union School Board Meeting 7:00 PM
- Oct 18 **Terra Nova Testing grades 3 – 7 8:10-10:15 AM**
No Joliet Township Algebra
Volleyball Varsity Tournament @ Rockdale 5:00 & 6:30 PM (bus leave 4:30 PM)
- Oct 19 **End of 1st Quarter**
Volleyball vs. St. Mary Immaculate 6:15 and 7:00 PM (recognize 8th graders and parents)

Student Council News

The results are in for the 2007 – 2008 Student Council Election. Below is a list of the representatives and alternates, along with the officers for the year.

Yanette Gonzalez	Estrella Martinez
Jorden Johnson – alt.	Dae’von Pierce
Sean Evans – Secretary	Taylor Grigsby – alt.
Jimmy LaRocca	Ben Ferree – Treasurer
Kurt Butterfield – alt.	Jake Tobin – President
Shatara Riddle – Vice President	Anna Spiewak – alt.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS!

Providence Academic Bowl

Union School took two teams to the Providence Academic Bowl on 10/06/07. Thank you to the following students and their families for allowing the students to participate.

Ben Ferree, Lizette Gonzalez, Spencer Hauert, Jimmy LaRocca, D. J. Lee, Brad Meza, Tyler Morgan, Jessica Salas, Jake Tobin, and Miguel Valadez.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR EFFORT!

Boys Basketball players need a current physical and signed permission slip to practice on 10/22/07.

Accelerated Reader Program

The following students met their AR goal as of last week: **Melvin Gathright, 1st grade; Joshua Bakke, 1st grade; Alec Beeson, 3rd grade; Lily Camacho, 3rd grade; and Deon Wallace, 3rd grade. WAY TO GO STUDENTS!**

The following students were the top AR point earners for the week of 10/01/07 – 10/05/07.

Kindergarten – Karina Gonzalez	1.0 points
1 st Grade – Earnest Anderson	1.0 points
Melvin Gathright	1.0 points
2 nd Grade – Hope Beeson	0.5 points
Christian Briley	0.5 points
Alexis Gustafson	0.5 points
Antonio Simmons	0.5 points
3 rd Grade – Garrett Beck	5.4 points
Deon Wallace	5.4 points
4 th Grade – Ryan Bakke	3.6 points
5 th Grade – Justin Crowder	2.7 points
6 th Grade – Aaron Walker	20.4 points
7 th Grade – D. J. Lee	12.0 points

GREAT JOB READING STARS!

Volleyball News

The JV Lady Chargers opened their conference tournament yesterday. The played against St. Rose and put up great effort, but came up just short of winning. The scores were **21-25** and **11-25**. The top scorers for the night were **Yanette Gonzalez** and **Brianna Morgan**. The team plays tonight at **5:00 & 6:30 PM**.

GOOD LUCK LADY CHARGERS!

Student Council News

The student council will be in charge of the Box Tops again this year. The first submission is **October 31, 2007**. If you have box tops at home please send them to school by **October 26, 2007**. Another program the council will oversee is Ultra Foods for Education Dollars. Ultra Foods will give the school **5%** of any receipts collected and dated from **10/01/07 – 12/20/07**, we need to have them submitted before Christmas. **Ultra Foods** is located at **1590 N. Larkin Avenue Joliet, IL**.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

UNION SCHOOL PARENTS & STUDENTS ARE #1!

Board of Education Vacancy

If you are interested in the Union School Board of Education vacancy you need to submit a letter to Mr. Jose Gonzalez, Secretary. The letters need to be postmarked or turned into the office by **10/12/07**. If you send the letter to the office, we will make sure Mr. Gonzalez receives it.