

THE UNION LETTER

"Union School's Official Thursday Newsletter!" Thursday, November 1, 2007

Important Upcoming Events

- Nov 1 **Dismissal 1:00 PM (lunch will be served)**
Book Fair 3:30-7:30 PM
Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-7:30 PM
- Nov 2 **No Student Attendance**
Book Fair 8:00-11:00 AM
Parent/Teacher Conferences 8:00-11:30 AM
- Nov 5-9 **Book Fair during the day**
- Nov 5 **Music on the Move**
Boys Basketball Practice 2:30-4:00 PM
- Nov 6 **After School Program 2:30-4:00 PM**
Boys Basketball vs. Hufford 4:15/5:15 PM
- Nov 7 **Boys Basketball Practice 2:30-4:00 PM**
- Nov 8 **After School Program 2:30-4:00 PM**
Girl Scouts 2:30-4:00 PM
Boys Basketball @ St. Rose 5:30/6:30 PM (bus leave 4:45 PM)
- Nov 9 **Veteran's Day Program 1:00 PM in gym**

Student Council News

The Student Council and Beta Club planned and worked the Halloween Activities for the student body. They did a wonderful job, and we thank them for all of their efforts and those of the sponsors. Below is a list of winners from the different contests held.

Costume Contest

Most Creative – **Hope Beeson 2nd & Thomas Valadez 5th**

Cutest – **Celeste Pantoja 1st & Abby Varela 5th**

Scariest – **James Briley Kdg. Dae'von Pierce 6th**

Coloring Contest – 1st place winners

Kindergarten – **Jada Smallwood**

1st Grade – **Celeste Pantoja**

2nd Grade – **Christian Briley**

3rd Grade – **Kelly McGee**

Candy Corn Guess

Tyler Morgan 7th – guess 373 actual count 375

THANKS AGAIN STUDENT COUNCIL AND BETA CLUB MEMBERS, IT WAS GREAT!

"If you stay in school, you have the potential to achieve what you want in the future."

Ellen Ochoa

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences are on **November 1st and 2nd**. Conference times were sent home last week with your children. Call the office if you need to know your conference times again. The staff appreciates your cooperation and being on time for these meetings.

Accelerated Reader Program

The top AR point winners for the week of **10/22/07 – 10/26/07** are listed below:

Kindergarten – James Briley	1.4 points
Amanda Momani	1.4 points
Jack O'Malley	1.4 points
1 st Grade – Earnest Anderson	0.9 points
2 nd Grade – Hope Beeson	1.0 points
KaSandra Brown	1.0 points
3 rd Grade – Patrick McWilliams	6.1 points
4 th Grade – Brandon Hauert	5.8 points
5 th Grade – Yanette Gonzalez	2.0 points
6 th Grade – Aaron Walker	14.0 points
8 th Grade – Jessica Salas	5.6 points

Outstanding job to all!

On the back of this Union Letter there is a list of all students who reached their AR goal for the first quarter. The students received a pencil and stickers for their achievement.

Thank you to all of our parents/guardians for your help.

"A journey of a thousand miles must begin with a single step."

Lao-tzu, Ancient Chinese Master

BOYS BASKETBALL

The Charger Boys Basketball season will officially begin on **Tuesday, November 6, 2007** with a home game against Hufford.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL CHARGER BASKETBALL PLAYERS AND COACH CAAMANO!

Veteran's Day Program

Our annual Veteran's Day Program will be on **Friday, November 9, 2007**. Parents, grandparents, and other family members are welcome to attend. All of our students grades K – 8 will be participating in our assembly to honor veteran's. Members from Stone City Post VFW will also be taking part in our assembly.

After School Program

Union School will be offering an After School Program for students in grades 1 – 8. This program will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and being on **Tuesday, November 6, 2007**. Letters for student participation were sent home with the students on **Monday, October 29, 2007**. If you have any questions about the program, please contact Mrs. Littlejohn at 815-726-5218.

Watch for First Quarter Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance in next week's Union Letter.