

# THE UNION LETTER

*"Union School's Official Thursday Newsletter!"* Thursday, February 7, 2008

## Important Upcoming Events

- Feb 7 After School Program 2:30-4:00 PM  
Girls Basketball vs. St. Mary Magdalene  
7:00 PM (report time 6:30) **\*\*time change\*\***
- Feb 8 Girls Basketball @ St. Joseph's Lockport  
Tournament 5:00 PM (bus leaves 4:15)
- Feb 9 Girls Basketball @ St. Joseph's Lockport  
Tournament 9:00 AM if win on 2/8/08 or 10:00  
AM if loss on 2/8/08 If the team plays at 10:00  
and wins they will play again at 3:00 PM
- Feb 11 Music on the Move  
Girls Basketball @ St. Charles Pastoral Center  
6:00 PM (bus leave 5:15)
- Feb 12 After School Program 2:30-4:00 PM
- Feb 13 5<sup>th</sup> Grade G.R.E.A.T. 8:45-9:15 AM
- Feb 14 Valentine's Day  
3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Progress Reports sent home  
After School Program 2:30-4:00 PM
- Feb 15 Sports Pictures and Candid Pictures for  
yearbook (rescheduled from 2/1/08)

## Union School Spelling Bee

The Union School Spelling Bee was held on **Tuesday, February 5, 2008**. The winner of our local Spelling Bee was **Aaron Walker, 6<sup>th</sup> grader**. The second place finisher was **Sean Evans, 6<sup>th</sup> grader** and **Jake Tobin, 8<sup>th</sup> grader** took 3<sup>rd</sup> place. **Aaron** will represent Union School at the Will County Spelling Bee on **February 26, 2008** at Channahon Jr. High at 7:00 PM. **Congratulations to all of our participants!**

**THANK YOU TO ALL OF THE PARENTS AND FAMILY FRIENDS WHO ATTENDED THIS EVENT.**

**GOOD LUCK AARON!**

## Accelerated Reader Program

The top AR point winners for the week of **1/28/08 – 2/1/08** are listed below:

Kindergarten – <b>Amanda Momani</b>	<b>3.4 points</b>
1st Grade – <b>Earnest Anderson</b>	<b>0.5 points</b>
<b>William Gegenwarth</b>	<b>0.5 points</b>
<b>Jaden King</b>	<b>0.5 points</b>
<b>Celeste Pantoja</b>	<b>0.5 points</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade - <b>Hope Beeson</b>	<b>0.9 points</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade - <b>Patrick McWilliams</b>	<b>2.0 points</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade – <b>Jacob Nowland</b>	<b>11.4 points</b>
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade - <b>Aaron Walker</b>	<b>19.0 points</b>

**GREAT JOB STUDENTS! REMEMBER TO FILL OUT YOUR BOOK FORMS FOR THE MONTH AND YOUR SIX HOUR READING FORMS!**

## Beta Club

The Union School Beta Club will be selling Valentine Grams **February 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>** during lunch time. The cost for a Valentine Gram is **\$0.75** and includes a message on heart shaped paper, an individually wrapped sucker, two chocolate kisses, and conversation hearts. The Valentine Grams will be delivered to the classrooms in the afternoon on February 14<sup>th</sup>.

## Boys Basketball

The 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade boys' basketball team concluded their season on **Saturday, February 2, 2008** with a win over St. Mary Immaculate of Plainfield. The game was at St. Mary's of Mokena. **Dae'von Pierce** led the way with **16 points** and **Aaron Johnson** added **10 points**. The 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade team finished with an impressive **5-1** record in the Suburban Prairie Catholic League. Playing these games gave our boys the opportunity to play against teams their age.

**GREAT JOB CHARGERS! THANK YOU PARENTS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

The games that were scheduled for **February 1, 2008** but were cancelled due to the snow will not be made up. The eighth graders and their parents will be recognized at the Sports Award Night in May.

**THANKS FOR THE GREAT SEASONS TO ALL OF THE CHARGER BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS!**

## Sports Pictures

All of the Union Charger Sports Teams will have their pictures taken for the yearbook on **Friday, February 15, 2008**. The athletes and their families will have the opportunity to have individual pictures taken and order photos. Order forms for this are still available at the office. If you are planning on ordering photos the order form with payment to Interstate Studios need to be at school by the 15<sup>th</sup>.

## Girls Basketball

The Lady Chargers hosted the Rockdale Rams Tuesday night and lost **28-19**. **Lizette Gonzalez** was the leading scorer with **7 points**. The girls will look to get their second conference win **Thursday** night as they host St. Mary Magdalene. The game time has been changed to **7:00 PM**. Due to the schedule changes and cancellations the 8<sup>th</sup> graders and their parents will be recognized at the Sports Award Night in May. The Lady Chargers will be playing in the St. Joseph's of Lockport tournament this weekend. **GOOD JOB LADY CHARGERS, CONTINUE TO MAKE US PROUD!**