

DUNLAP GAZETTE

Dirk VanDiver, Principal
Carol Heck, Secretary

OFFICE HOURS: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

March 3, 2010

Upcoming Dates:

March 6	Mother & Son Date Night
March 11	Fifth Grade attending the Kalamazoo Symphony
March 18	Dunlap Reading Night 5:30 - 7:00 pm
March 27	Chess Tournament Thornapple Kellogg Middle School

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

March 24	4:00 - 7:30
March 29	4:00 - 7:30
March 31	4:00 - 8:00

Chess Tournament

February 27th, Eighteen Dunlap students participated in the Delton Kellogg Chess Tournament. Each player played 5 matches, and did a great job all day!

There is also another chess tournament in Middleville, Thornapple Kellogg Middle School. The tournament is March 27th. Play begins at 10:00 a.m.



PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Dunlap will hold parent teacher conferences the end of March. Please be watching for sign up sheets to come home. The conferences will be held in the teachers rooms. Don't forget to stop in the library for the book fair.

BAND BOOSTERS

After a year hiatus, the Band Booster Pasty Sale has returned. These are the same great tasting pasties from the Upper Peninsula that we have sold in the past. They're prepared by the Salvation Army of Escanaba. Each one is 6 dollars and your purchase benefits both the band and the Salvation Army. See the band website for more details.

BOOKFAIR

Dunlap will be holding our annual book fair the week of March 25—April 1st. Elaine Drury, our retired librarian, will be running the fair again this year.

We will need helpers for set up, helping customers, and tear down. Be watching for a sign up sheet to come home shortly.

Mother & Son Date Night

Pennfield Schools Education Foundation is sponsoring a Mom & Son date night. The date will include dinner & movie, picture, a hockey puck shoot out with the Battle Creek Revolution Hockey team, and shooting hoops with the Pennfield Varsity Basketball team.



When:	Saturday, March 6th
Where:	Pennfield High School
Time:	6:00 - 9:00 pm
Who:	Grades K - 5th
Cost:	\$20.00 per couple \$25.00 per family (2 or more sons)

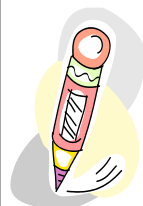
You may still register at the door.

March is Reading Month

You should have received a letter and a calendar explaining all of our wonderful events celebrating reading month. We will be having a lot of fun activities throughout the month, please refer to your calendar for the special days that are upcoming. The calendar is also on the Dunlap webpage www.pennfield.net

CONTRIBUTIONS

We are in the midst of cold and flu season and are running out of Kleenex that you so kindly contributed at the beginning. If you could send in another box or two to get us through to the end of the year, our noses would really appreciate it.



Art, Spanish and Music classes are also in need of pencils. If you could send in a pack of two of pencils Mr. Kirkland, Miss Hayes and Mrs. Clingenpeel would put them to good use!

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Mrs. Wise, who is in charge of counting and organizing the box tops has extended the collection for one more week. Bring in your box tops through March 12th. The class bringing in the most box tops will be treated to a pizza party.

We will collect box tops through the end of May. The class that brings in the most for the year will get the opportunity to SLIME Mr. VanDiver. Keep saving those box tops!