



Lottie Line-Up

Lottie M. Schmidt Elementary

Yolanda White – Principal

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Important Dates to Remember

- November 19
Family Game Night
- November 22
Half Day for Students
- November 22
Chat with the
principal 9:30 am
- November 25-29
Thanksgiving Break

Picture Make-
Up/Retake Day is
Tuesday
December 3rd!



Hello Lottie Families,

This month has been busy with the end of the first quarter, report cards going home and parent-teacher conferences winding down. We continue to work with the students on knowing and understanding our classroom rules and expectations. Please continue to check your child's backpack daily for homework and any flyers being sent home. Working together, we can help your child have a successful and enjoyable school year!

As winter is creeping up on us please remember to send your child dressed for outdoor recess every day.

- We will go outside every day unless the temperature is 15 degrees or less including the wind chill.
- We also do not go outside if the wind gusts are 40 MPH or greater.
- Students need to wear coats every day and we encourage hats and gloves.
- Students also need to wear long pants - if they choose to wear shorts, they must wear the leggings under them.

We have A LOT of jackets, sweatshirts, sweaters and more in the lost and found. We encourage the students to check it regularly. If you notice you have some of your child's clothing missing, please have them check the lost and found.



Receiving School Messages

We encourage our families to be signed up to receive text messages from the School District notifying you of cancellations or other issues. If you are not already signed up, you can sign up by following the instructions below.

Send a text message to (67587) with the words "opt in" or "subscribe" as the message. If you are already receiving text message from Anchor Bay School District no further action is required. For more information you can visit <http://schoolmessenger.com/txtmsg/>



The Scholastic Book Fair

We had a very successful Book fair and the children loved shopping for their books. Thank You to all the parent volunteers that helped make this such a successful event.





Students that chose to save their good slips up to spin the prize wheel earned a chance to have lunch with Ms. Laura.

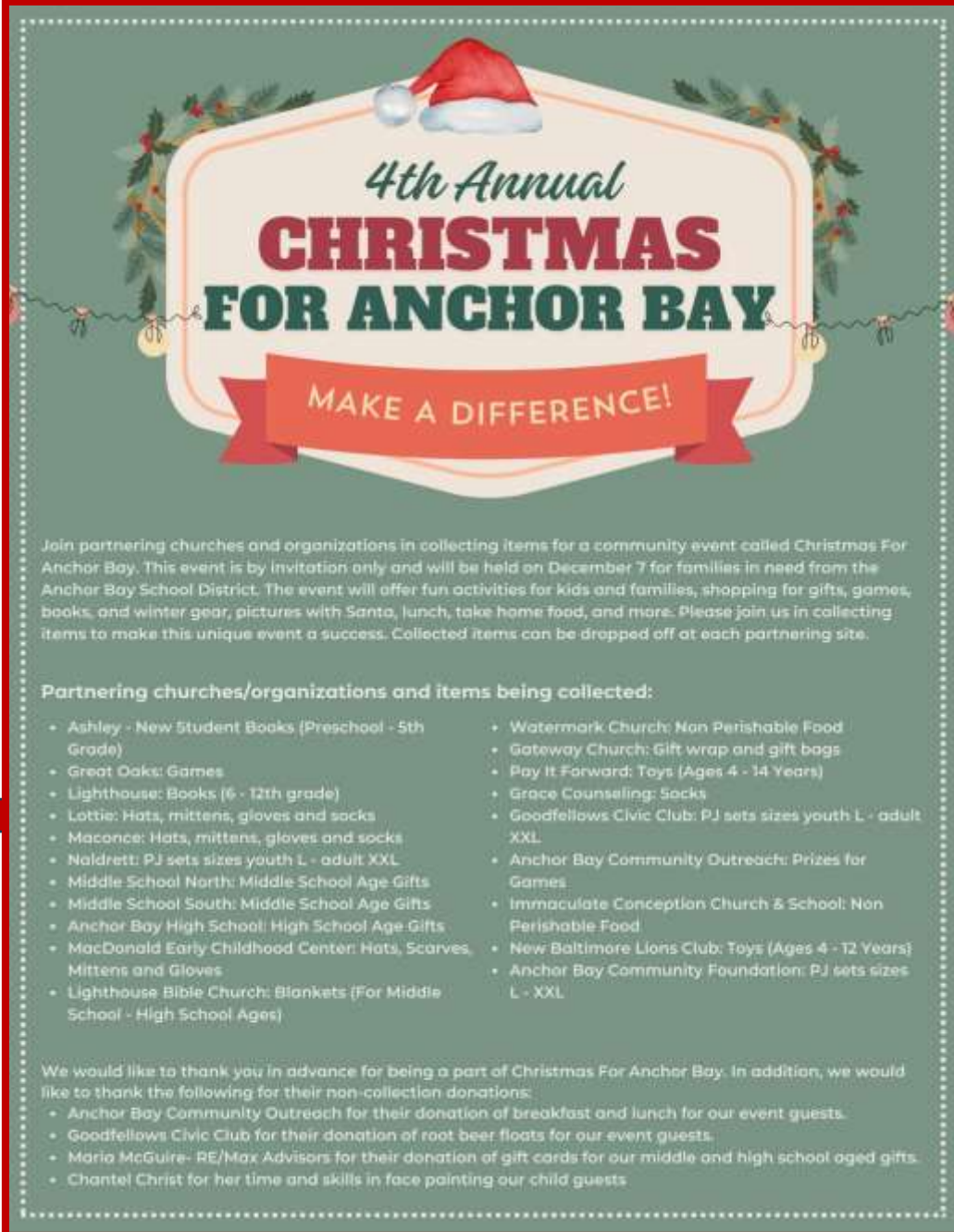
Smiles all around 😊





This is the last week to make donations of hats, mittens, gloves and socks.

*Please donate and help **Make a Difference** for a family in our community!*



Join partnering churches and organizations in collecting items for a community event called Christmas For Anchor Bay. This event is by invitation only and will be held on December 7 for families in need from the Anchor Bay School District. The event will offer fun activities for kids and families, shopping for gifts, games, books, and winter gear, pictures with Santa, lunch, take home food, and more. Please join us in collecting items to make this unique event a success. Collected items can be dropped off at each partnering site.

Partnering churches/organizations and items being collected:

- Ashley - New Student Books (Preschool - 5th Grade)
- Great Oaks: Games
- Lighthouse: Books (6 - 12th grade)
- Lottie: Hats, mittens, gloves and socks
- Maconce: Hats, mittens, gloves and socks
- Naldrett: PJ sets sizes youth L - adult XXL
- Middle School North: Middle School Age Gifts
- Middle School South: Middle School Age Gifts
- Anchor Bay High School: High School Age Gifts
- MacDonald Early Childhood Center: Hats, Scarves, Mittens and Gloves
- Lighthouse Bible Church: Blankets (For Middle School - High School Ages)
- Watermark Church: Non Perishable Food
- Gateway Church: Gift wrap and gift bags
- Pay It Forward: Toys (Ages 4 - 14 Years)
- Grace Counseling: Socks
- Goodfellows Civic Club: PJ sets sizes youth L - adult XXL
- Anchor Bay Community Outreach: Prizes for Games
- Immaculate Conception Church & School: Non Perishable Food
- New Baltimore Lions Club: Toys (Ages 4 - 12 Years)
- Anchor Bay Community Foundation: PJ sets sizes L - XXL

We would like to thank you in advance for being a part of Christmas For Anchor Bay. In addition, we would like to thank the following for their non-collection donations:

- Anchor Bay Community Outreach for their donation of breakfast and lunch for our event guests.
- Goodfellows Civic Club for their donation of root beer floats for our event guests.
- Maria McGuire- RE/Max Advisors for their donation of gift cards for our middle and high school aged gifts.
- Chantel Christ for her time and skills in face painting our child guests

**If you need help this holiday season, please contact the school office.
We have several agencies that could assist, but time is limited.**

You are invited to Lettie M. Schmidt Elementary

COFFEE & Chat

with the Principal



This will be a time to "chat" about our school - what is working, ideas you would like to share, and questions you have wondered about - in a casual setting. Your input helps me to understand the needs of the families and provides an opportunity to share all the wonderful things going on in the school.

Friday, November 22, 2024

9:30 AM

Please RSVP the school office by Wednesday, November 20th

Remember, it ALL drains to our lakes and rivers.

Storm drains and roadside ditches lead to our lakes and rivers. So, any oil, pet waste, leaves or dirty water from washing your car enters a storm drain gets into our lakes and rivers without being treated. With almost five million people living in Southeast Michigan, we all need to be aware of what goes into our storm drains. How can you help? Simple.

1. Sweep it. Do you have extra fertilizer, grass clipping or dirt on your driveway or sidewalk? Sweep it back onto your lawn. Hosing your driveway sends these pollutants into storm drains that lead directly to our lakes and rivers.
2. Keep it clean. Whether in the street or in your yard, remember to keep leaves, grass clippings, trash and fertilizers away from storm drains.
3. Only rain in the drain. Never dump motor oil, chemicals, pet waste, dirty or soapy water, or anything else down the storm drain. All of these materials pollute our lakes and rivers.
4. Label it. Volunteer to label the storm drains in your neighborhood to inform residents that storm drains flow directly to our lakes and rivers. Call your local community for more information on storm drain stenciling programs.

