

THE FALCON FLYER

October 4, 2010

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Dear Floral Street School Families,

We usually like to use this space for some sort of congratulation, reflection, appreciation, or other "big picture" discussion relative to Floral Street School. This week, though, we'd like to highlight a bit of important logistics that have been running in the body of the Flyer below for a few weeks now.

- The first is our Elementary Handbook. **It is very important that parents view the handbook and review the information with your student(s) and then return the sign-off included in today's Monday folder.** Please access the handbook at http://schools.shrewsbury-ma.gov/egov/docs/1283344766_832763.pdf
- The second is updating of contact information in our student data management system. It is very important as well that all families update contact information in our student data system, PowerSchool – **even if you have had no changes to contact information since last year.** Access codes were sent home with report cards on the final day of school last year; if you no longer have your code, please email Susan Cappucci in our main office at scappucci@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us

We appreciate your assistance with these two very important items.

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Important Notes:

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Our *Grand Cafe and Armeno Coffee Fundraisers* are continuing to *October 12th*. Make your holiday feasts complete with delicious desserts and pastries from Meadow Farms Grand Cafe Catalog. Also, Armeno Coffee specialty coffees make great holiday or house warming gifts. Help support Floral Street School and get a jump on the holiday shopping. For questions or concerns, please contact Patti Wolohan at wolohan5@townisp.com. Thank you.

Ticket sales for *Macy's Shop For a Cause* fundraiser on Saturday, October 16, 2010 at Macy's is still continuing. This unique, one-day-only shopping event was created by Macy's to support local community and school organizations. Shopping passes will sell for \$5.00. Every dollar goes directly to **Floral Street School**. This shopping pass allows for 20% off regular and sale items. Some exclusions do apply. For every ticket purchased, your name will be entered into a drawing for a Floral Street School apparel item of your choice. Ticket must be purchased by October 11th. Shopping passes will be sent home in your child's backpack. For questions or concerns, please contact Patti Wolohan at wolohan5@townisp.com. *Thank you for your support!*

School Lunch

Tickets are available for purchase. Using tickets avoids children searching for the correct coins, and results in more time for eating rather than standing in line. You may send an order for tickets to: Shrewsbury School Food Service, 64 Holden Street, Shrewsbury, MA 01545. Please include a check and a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Please note on your check that you want elementary tickets, as middle and high school tickets cost more. Meals cost \$2.75, so, a book of 20 lunch tickets can be purchased for \$55.00. Tickets for Elementary Schools are orange and will be mailed back to you.

The Elementary Lunch Menu can be found at any time at:

<http://schools.shrewsbury-ma.gov/department/division.php?fDD=20-17>

Important Fall Dates:

October 8

October 11

November 2

November 3 (6:30 pm)

November 4 (6:30 pm)

November 9 (6:30 pm)

November 11

November 24-26

SCHOOL PICTURE MAKE-UP DAY

No School – Columbus Day

Parent Conferences/State Election (No School)

Chorus Concert: *Herring, Ralys, Spangenberg*

Chorus Concert: *Borraccino, Edgren, Richard/Yeager*

Chorus Concert: *Beall, Morgan, Ross*

No School – Veterans' Day

No School – Thanksgiving Vacation

The full district school calendar is available at:

http://schools.shrewsbury-ma.gov/egov/docs/1276871197_585906.pdf