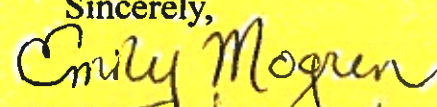



RACE FOR EDUCATION AT MUSKEGON CATHOLIC CENTRAL ELEMENTARY

On Friday, October 18, 2019, Muskegon Catholic Central Elementary will be participating in our **NINTH ANNUAL RACE FOR EDUCATION!** We invite family and friends to join us in helping to **raise funds for educational needs and online programs, staff and classroom needs, technology updates, field trips, library supplies and much more!** Each participant will raise funds by asking sponsors to contribute a **tax deductible** donation to our Elementary Home and School Association.

Students will walk or jog around the track as many times as they are able in one hour's time. Students and classes will also have an opportunity to receive a number of prizes based on their participation in the **Race for Education.**

This year we will once again use PledgeStar online donation system. We are also providing instructions for families who prefer to send all or some of your donation requests by mail. Specific instructions are contained in the attached material. Please join us in this very special event. We look forward to seeing you on October 18!

Sincerely,



Emily Mogren
Beth Adamski
Race Coordinators

K – 6th Grade

Prizes Prizes Prizes



Race For Education

(1) Students who **complete the online registration or turn in mailing labels by Monday, September 16**, will receive the following:

Five (5) names: One (1) color day card entitling the student to
choose any one school day as a color day (dress down day).

Ten (10) names: the above plus their name entered once into a
drawing for the Grand Prizes below.

(The prizes above will be repeated for 15, 20, and 25 names, etc.)

GRAND PRIZES

1. \$50 gift card to Cinema Carousel
2. \$50 gift card to Craig's Cruisers
3. 4 free passes to Planet 3 Extreme Air Park

(2) The class which **completes the online registration or mailing labels with the highest number of potential donors per student by Monday, September 16** (i.e., 300 label names divided by 20 students in the class equals 15 labels per student), will be treated to a Pizza Lunch from Domino's.

(3) The student in each grade, who **completes the online registration or mailing labels with the highest number of potential donors by Monday, September 16**, will receive a \$20 gift card to Crusader Corner.

(4) If we reach our goal of \$25,000 by Race Day, all classes will celebrate with a movie (Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs) and popcorn treat! (on a date to be determined)

PledgeStar Instructions

Last year we began using an awesome web based fundraising system that makes it **much easier** for you to request pledges from your family and friends, and for them to make secure credit card donations online. It's fun, it's easy, and fast!

Remember, our Race for Education is October 18, so please **register now** to help our school raise as much as we can for Technology updates, Studies weekly workbooks, Field trip busing and t-shirts, New Physical Education equipment, Library supplies, Admission to student performance of spring musical, Back to school ice cream social, and so much more:

- Go to <http://pledgestar.com/muskegon>
- Click "Not Registered For This Year's Event"
- Enter your name and email address, then click "Submit"
- Follow the instructions on-screen to register each of your students by the grade they are in

When you finish, the system emails pledge requests to your family and friends, and allows them to make secure credit card donations online. You get notified each time a pledge is made, and you can track your pledge progress online.

Call 1-888-598-7510 if you need help.

PledgeStar donation requests must be sent by Monday, September 16th in order for your student(s) to be eligible for prizes. Thank you!

Label Sheet Instructions

If you prefer to send some or all of your donation requests by mail we have provided the materials you will need for that.

1. There is a label sheet included for you to fill out with names and addresses of people who are potential sponsors. *These names will not be shared with outside organizations or be used for any other mailings from our school.*
2. PLEASE PRINT NEATLY IN BLACK PEN directly on the label (or you can print labels using your home printer). Please include the name, address and zip code for each prospective donor. IMPORTANT: Make sure that all the information fits on ONE LABEL. Additional label sheets are available from the school.
3. Labels must be returned to school no later than Monday, September 16. We will be sending letters to the individuals on the list asking them to sponsor your child in this year's **Race for Education**.
4. A sample list of potential sponsors is shown on the back of this page. Potential sponsors may be family members, relatives, close friends and neighbors. Holiday card lists are a great source for these names (e.g., barber, dentist, doctor, piano teacher). If a couple is living "under the same roof" you should list them both on one label. *Don't forget to list your own name.* ☺
5. The **Race for Education** sponsor letters will be sent directly from the school. If you would like a copy of the letter it will be available in the Elementary Office.

<p>Amanda Cole 6B</p>	<p>Jim and Valerie Brady 394 Piedmont Street Columbus, OH 45302</p>	<p>Mr. John Sumpter 27603 NW Avenue D Bushnell, FL 33102</p>
<p>Mr. & Mrs. Jim Cole 7206 Format Lane Smithtown, NY 11787</p>	<p>Ms. Jane Bjornsen 47 Beach Road Ventura, CA 90703</p>	<p>Mike Shaker 341 White Water Road Houston, TX 80037</p>
<p>Mr. & Mrs. Michael Wise 27 Clifford Blvd. Boyertown, PA 17391</p>	<p>Mr. Bill Jackson RD #1 Fayston, VT 05450</p>	<p>Mr. & Mrs. Rich Cardel 451 Anna Lane Syracuse, NY 13212</p>
<p>Miss Lauren Cole 34 B Rosewood Circle Enola, PA 17011</p>	<p>Mrs. ... 882 8102</p>	<p>... Cummings Apt. 27 Linda Lane Enola, NJ 01453</p>
<p>Ms. Bette L. ... 404 Edgemont ... Los Angeles, CA 914...</p>	<p>Mr. & Mrs. Al Harrah Andova Circle Boca Raton, FL 33274</p>	<p>Dr. & Mrs. Skaare 1301 Kings Circle Forest, MS 73201</p>
<p>Dr. & Mrs. Joe C... 4 Main Street Huntington, MA 01440</p>	<p>Ms. Jean Howard 90 Maple Street Centerport, MA 02791</p>	<p>Mr. & Mrs. Jon White 110 Victor Drive Clay, NY 13188</p>
<p>Dave & Wendy Jacks La Belle Condo 102 B Palm Garden, FL 31440</p>	<p>Mrs. Edith Smith 803 Broadway Apt. 306 Seminole, FL 33774</p>	<p>Miss Bonnie Schaffer 360 Park Boulevard Wheaton, IL 60187</p>
<p>This is only a sample of what a completed label sheet looks like. It does not get copied.</p>		