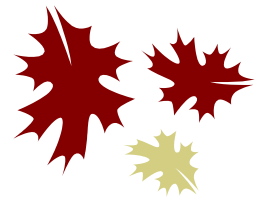


Alpine Academy Newsletter.....November 4, 2011



November 7	Monday	Butterbraid Orders Due
November 7	Monday	Alpine 4 th grade class to lead the Pledge of Allegiance at the city Council meeting – watch for them on TV.
November 8	Tuesday	PTO Meeting 6:00 in church conference room – Academy Board meets at 7:00 pm
November 11	Friday	No School – Veteran’s Day
November 10	Thursday	Brownie Meeting from 5-6pm in the Fellowship Hall
November 15	Tuesday	Alpine Dinner Tour – Texas Roadhouse 4-9 pm
November 16	Wednesday	Butterbraid orders delivered
November 17	Thursday	Cub Scout Pack 157 – 6:30 meeting in Fellowship Hall
November 18 – 22		Used uniform sale – upstairs – see note below...
November 22	Tuesday	Thanksgiving Feast - watch for more information
November 23 – 25		Thanksgiving Break

Vote for our school to win a grant up to \$50,000.00

Alpine Academy has made it through the nomination round of The Power a Bright Future grant contest sponsored by Clorox.

Now we need your help to vote!

You could help us win a grant up to \$50,000.00 to improve technology throughout our school.
We are the only school in Rockford, Illinois that is entered in the contest.

Here is how you can help...

1. Go to www.powerabrightfuture.com
2. Go to "Vote Now" (on the right of the screen)
3. Go to location search - *type in Rockford, IL*
Alpine Academy of Rockford will pop up..
4. Click on vote, and then confirm.



**You can vote once per day from now until December 9, 2011 –
Please forward this to all of your friends & family that would be willing to vote for our school.**

Used Uniform Sale – We will have a used uniform sale upstairs, from November 18-22. It will be at the top of the stairs, outside the 2nd grade classroom. If you have any uniforms you would like to donate, please bring them in to the school before the sale dates.

Congratulations to Mrs. Janet Schulenburg, our 4th grade teacher, for being nominated for the Golden Apple Award



Basketball at Alpine Academy of Rockford.....

Basketball practices have started at Alpine Academy.

Boys Basketball for grades 3-6 will be practicing on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:15-7:30 pm

Girls Basketball for grades 4-6 will be Tuesday from 4-5:15, Wednesdays from 3:30 pm -5:00 pm and Thursdays from 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm. This schedule should allow for all students to still attend their scheduled instrument lesson and then attend practice before or after the lesson.

If you are interested in playing basketball please attend one of these practice times or contact Pete Todd for more information, (815) 708-6791 or e-mail at Todd.pete@yahoo.com

Thank you – thank you – thank you ...

Alpine Book Fair – Thank you to all of the parents and staff that helped during the Alpine Book Fair. All of the profits from the book fair will go towards new library books and novel sets for classrooms.

Thank you to the Gorski family for the donation of books to the school library.

Thank you to Myka Morgan’s family, Bobby Pottinger’s family, Mackenzie Thomson’s family, and Jade Coffman’s family for items donated to the school nurse.

Thank you to Mackenzie Thompson’s family for entering our school in the Crayola Dream makers contest. Our school received Crayola Dream Maker kits for each grade level to build fun and creativity into standards based learning. Teachers received the kits this week and are excited to incorporate them into our Art and academic programs.

Get ready for the snowy weather..... Please remember that students need to be prepared for the snow and cold outside for recess. Hats, gloves, a warm coat are a necessity and snow pants and boots will be needed soon. We may also have some snow activities planned for gym class.

We will have Do you shop at Loglis or Hilander? Shnucks Corporation will donate a percentage of your grocery sale to Alpine Academy if you designate our school on your Fuel Rewards card.

PTO news...

Fall Fest – The Fall Fest was a huge success. We hope everyone enjoyed all of the Fall Fun. We want to thank all of the parents, teachers, staff, family, Alpine Church members, former students and friends who helped provide treats and volunteered time for this fun event for the students.

Alpine Dinner Tour.... Our next stop on the tour will be Tuesday, November 15th: Alpine Academy Night at Texas Roadhouse, 4:00-9:00. Tell the waitress you are with Alpine Academy! 10% of all food purchases will be donated to Alpine Academy. For a complete listing of the Alpine Academy Dinner Tour, go to our website, www.AlpineAcademyofRockford.com . On the first page, “click” on dinner tour.

PTO Meeting Dates: November 8, and December 15 at 6:00 in church conference room.

Butterbraid Orders – Remember to turn in all Butterbraid orders by November 7th. Orders will be at the school on November 16th – Just in time for the Holidays.