

FRIDAY FLYER

THE TOME SCHOOL

JUNE 3, 2011

END OF THE YEAR EVENTS

MS Exams June 2, 3, 6, 7

US Exams June 2, 3, 6

1 PM DISMISSAL FOR ALL BEGINS TUES., MAY 31.

MS Play in the Park **June 7** after the first exam

LS Picnic in the Park **June 6**

LS Prize Day **June 7** at 10:45 AM

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL:

LS	June 7, 1 PM
MS	June 7, 1 PM
US	June 6, 1 PM

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:

8AM-1PM, MONDAY – FRIDAY

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS BEGIN MONDAY, JUNE 13 AND RUN UNTIL MID-AUGUST.

2012 Senior Portraits

Prestige Portraits by Lifetouch has been contracted as our "Official Yearbook Photographer" again this year.

Portraits will be taken here on **Monday, August 22** from 9 AM to 3 PM. Rising seniors for 2011-12 school year will receive a reminder postcard in the mail later this summer. Make-up date will be Friday, September 30, 9 AM to 10:45 AM.

SUMMER MATH & READING PACKETS

will be sent home at the end of school and are due back in the Fall. No packets will be sent to students who are not registered for next year.

Report Cards

are scheduled to be mailed by the end of the week of June 13 to all who have met all financial obligations to the school. This includes completion of volunteer hours and paying Aftercare invoices.

Parents, please pick up medications

Your child's medications need to be picked up before June 24. If you haven't picked up your child's medications by then, we will dispose of them after that date. Thank you.

SUPPLY LISTS for students entering ALL grades will be sent this summer. Supply lists for entering Grades 2-4 may be found on the summer reading lists.

LIFETOUCH SPRING PORTRAITS NEED TO BE TURNED IN OR PAID FOR BY 6/7

Spring Portraits went home with your student. You may either pay for them, or return the packet. Please do so no later than the last day of school, June 7. Lifetouch will be sending reminders to families who have not complied.

\$100 REWARD

For the return of Mrs. Carter's gold and garnet wedding ring. No questions asked.

CAMP RUN-AMOK

For those who signed up, we will see you at Camp Run-Amok which begins June 20 at 9 AM. Before-Care begins at 7:30. Information was sent home to all of our registered campers.

All textbooks

are to be returned to the school at the end of exams in useable condition. Student papers and paper or cloth covers are to be removed. Books should be left in the student's homeroom cubby. Paperback literature books, workbooks and notebooks belong to the student and should be taken home. There are a few paperback books that are school property and should be returned with textbooks. If in doubt, check with the homeroom teachers.

WHITE TABLECLOTHS STILL MISSING

We are STILL MISSING 10 of the white tablecloths from the Alumni Room kitchen. Thank you to the person who returned two of them. The person(s) who took them home to launder them at any time this year are asked to contact the office. There are still 10 white tablecloths missing and we really need them returned. You will not be reprimanded for not turning them in. We just need them back, please! Thank you.

A NOTE ON VOLUNTEER HOURS

PARENTS, please remember that all volunteer hours must be completed and all financial obligations to the school must be met before end-of-the-year report cards will be mailed. Volunteer Hour Reminders were mailed last week. All volunteer hours must be complete and all sports fees, book fees and tuition fees for the 2010-2011 year MUST BE PAID IN FULL before any records or report cards can be released.

Parents, please do not 'show up' at the school looking for something to do to fulfill your hours (unless you are prepared to pull weeds). At this late date, we have very limited volunteer opportunities. A list of current opportunities is on the back of this Flyer.

Thank You

To **LORI MAKINEN** and **LISA LOTTES** who are "retiring/graduating" From the Health Suite this year. We will miss you both and wish you the best in your future endeavors. Thanks for taking such GOOD care of our children all these years.

To **ALICE MORSE** and **BAY ACE HARDWARE** on Rte. 40 for donating the use of the water slide to celebrate the 1st grade's trip to Hawaii. Also, thanks to **ALL THE PARENTS** who helped with set-up and clean-up. We could not have done it without you! Thanks also to **ANITA HARSH, CAPT. MEAGHER** (Chalin Anton's father), **DR.**

HIGGINS, LORI GRIFFITTS, ALISA WEBB, and ANDREA SEAMAN for helping with our Hawaii day. Thanks to **LESLIE LODER** and **POHOEBE DURST** for donating decorations. Thanks to all the parents and grandparents who helped make our day a success. Special thanks to **JULIE McDOWELL** and **LESLIE LODER** for coordinating both events.

To **ALL THE PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF TOME** who have designated the school in the Martin's A+ School Rewards. We received a check in the amount of \$159.10 for this year!

Congratulations

To our newly elected **KEY CLUB OFFICERS** for next year: PRESIDENT: **JOY BRALEY**; VICE-PRESIDENT: **EMILY NORRIS**; SECRETARY: **RANDY ENGLAND**; TREASURER: **EMINA LOPATNIKOVA**. Co-Editors/Publicity: **COURTNEY WEBB** and **ZOE BRUBAKER**.

To **JARED MOXLEY** (Gr 5) who has received High Honors from the Johns Hopkins University CTY in the International Mathematics and Verbal Talent Search. Jared has qualified for acceptance into the JHU CTY and online programs in writing and humanities, the CTY Family Academic Programs, and MyCTY ongoing educational resources. Way to go, Jared!

To **ETHAN BOBER** (Gr 4). On June 13, Ethan will be receiving a proclamation from the city of Aberdeen naming that day "Ethan Bober Day". Mayor Michael Bennett is bestowing him this honor for being his district's winner of the Mayor's Essay Contest.

To **TOMMY SURDU** (gr 8). For his Eagle service project, Tommy refurbished a monument on the Edgewood area of APG that represents civilian casualties from WWII to the present at APG. The monument was rededicated on Memorial Day in a special ceremony. This completes Tommy's work toward his Eagle rank except for the paperwork. He will pin on the rank of Eagle this coming September at a special Eagle Court of Honor.

PAPERBACK BOOKS FOR SALE

For **9th Gr Summer Reading** – We have 21 copies of "A Tale of Two Cities" on sale for \$2 each. First come, first served.

How to get a work permit for a minor

Students needing a Work Permit should go to www.dlr.state.md.us/labor/wages/empm.shtml. Click on "Teen" link and follow the directions. Once the form has been completed and signed by student, parent and employer, please bring it to Dr. W for verification and she will be able to issue a Work Permit.

Concert Band/Orchestra Program

Tome will be starting a Middle School/Upper School Concert Band/Orchestra program for the 2011-12 school year. Mrs. Mary White, the director of the Upper Chesapeake Community Band has agreed to create and teach the program. We need to know if there is enough interest among Middle and Upper School students to support this program. This would be an after-school and/or afternoon study hall program. If you are interested, or would like more information, please contact Mrs. Wohner, 410-287-2050.

Summer Tutoring Dates announced

Registration forms were mailed with the progress reports recently. Summer Tutoring sessions for Lower School will be held JUNE 27 through JULY 30. Math 4 through Alg I Review will be a 4-wk course beginning July 5. MS Grammar & Writing July 5-29. If you are interested, please sign up now.

Mount Harmon Colonial Picnic

Bring the family on **SUN., JUNE 5** from Noon to 4 PM to Mount Harmon for the Colonial Picnic. Silent auction, gourmet Eastern Shore buffet, tours of the manor house and colonial kitchen plus demonstrations, re-enactors and plantation wagon rides. Adults \$35, children \$10. Proceeds benefit Mount Harmon, a scenic and historic treasure. Tickets available online by calling 410-275-8819 or visiting <http://www.mountharmon.org/events.html>.

Fine Arts Summer Camp

Charlotte Howard, aunt of Grafton (Gr 5) and Lily (Gr 3) Howard, has been teaching visual arts for over 20 years on her farm at Herring

Creek outside of Chesapeake City. All Inclusive Classes are offered for children in painting, outdoor skills, drawing, cooking, sewing and stitchery, hiking, yoga, journaling, gardening, flower arranging, etiquette, advanced pastry work, fishing, tennis, and life skills. Any of these courses can be mixed & matched. Brochures are available in the school office. Visit www.fineartsatherringcreekfarm.com, call 302-357-8786 or e-mail choward@fineartsatherringcreekfarm.com.

YEARBOOKS If you did not buy a 2011 Yearbook and wish to do so, still have a few extras. First come, first served. The cost: \$45.

Summer Sports Camps at Tome

Registration forms will be available in the school office on Monday!

TENNIS CAMP- Scheduled for August 8-12 from 9-1 daily and open to students entering grades 5-9 who are interested in developing their skills in the game. Cost is \$95 per student.

FIELD HOCKEY CAMP – July 5-8 from 9-1 daily. Open to girls entering grades 4-8. Cost is \$70. Forms will be available in the school office next week.

BASKETBALL CAMP – July 11-15 from 9-3 daily. Open to all students entering grades 5-9. Cost is \$125. Forms will be available next week in the school office.

VOLLEYBALL CAMP – Camp will be held July 18-21 for girls entering grades 5-9. 6-8 PM daily. Cost is \$50.

FREE HEARING & VISION SCREENINGS

In an effort not to interrupt instructional time in schools and due to ongoing local health department budget reductions, hearing and vision screenings for students are only offered at the Cecil County Health Dept. this school year. If you have a student who is currently in 4th or 9th grade, or was new this school year (2010-11), they are eligible for a free screening. All screenings will be by appointment only on the following dates:

MON., JUNE 27, TUES., JUNE 28 & WED., JUNE 29. Daytime and evening hours are available. Families are encouraged to call the Cecil County Health Dept. for an appointment at 410-996-5145.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

1. **BUY ACME**, Food Lion, Giant/Martin or Redner's gift cards at school. \$600 in gift cards = \$30 profit = 1 hour.
2. **PICK UP TRASH** dropped around the school grounds. Anytime.
3. **ATTEND TSPO and/or USDT** meetings.
4. **HELP MOVE CHAIRS** on Wednesday & Thursday, June 8 & 9. Start time is 9 AM. We need all the help we can get! Bring a friend and double your hours.
5. **HELP WITH RACE FOR EDUCATION** database files. Call office.

SPECIAL OFFER: 5% DISCOUNT ON

REDNER'S GIFT CARDS! Because of parent requests, the school purchased Redner's Gift Cards. We still have 26 \$50 gift cards left but interest in purchasing them has almost ceased. Please help us by purchasing some of these gift cards before they expire. Purchase a \$50 card for \$47.50.

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 5	Graduation, 6 PM
June 6	Last Day of School for Gr 9-11 1 PM DISMISSAL
June 7	LS Prize Day, 10:45 AM Last Day of School for Gr 1-8 1 PM DISMISSAL
June 20-24	Camp Run-Amok
July 5-8	Field Hockey Camp
July 11-15	Basketball Camp
July 18-21	Volleyball Camp
August 8-12	Tennis Camp

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