

## Coffeen Elementary Parent News

### April 2008

- McDonald's Night for Coffeen School has been rescheduled for Tue April 15! McDonald's gives us a percentage of anything you purchase between 4:00 and 8:00 pm, this includes eating inside or drive-thru. The last one was cancelled due to snow.
- Pre-K Screening Registration is the week of March 31-April 4. Register in any of the Hillsboro Elementary schools, Beckemeyer, Witt or Coffeen if your child will be 3 before Sept. 1. Actual screening dates will be May 12-15.
- Need Red Cross CPR certification? It is being offered on Thursday, April 17 at 6:30 in Coffeen School, must call Kathy Howard at Coffeen School to pre-register. There is a fee of \$20 for this class.
- Both Coffeen School and Pre-Kindergarten parents are invited to attend a Scrap Booking Night at Coffeen School on Tuesday, April 8 at 6:30. Bunny Brosman will give about 40 minutes of instruction on organization and tools for Scrap Booking. You can choose to stay for actual working on a Scrap Book, or just take the new ideas home to use. She will include different styles such as picfolios, digital, power and traditional. With the digital style she will include ways for you to download free software and create with digital.
- Dental exams for all students in Kindergarten, second and sixth grades are required by the State of Illinois. The examination report must be submitted to the school by May 15, 2008. The examination must be completed no more than 18 months prior to May 15 of the year your child was in Kindergarten, second or sixth grade. If you have any questions please call your school nurse, Kim Matthews, RN.
- On Wednesday, April 2 there will be a rainforest presentation in Coffeen School at 10:00 am to explain to children how energy conservation and recycling will help save wildlife animals. There is no cost for this brief presentation at Coffeen. This is a not-for-profit organization that educates children on Understanding Wildlife. They will be doing an actual show with wildlife animals (monkeys, an alligator, and exotic birds and more) for families at 6:30pm that same night at Beckemeyer School. There is a cost for that show at the door \$5 per person (children 3 and under FREE).
- Any volunteers to do the May sign along the Highway at Coffeen School? We have the letters and information in the office. It can be done on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, the **last** 3 days of April. Thank you to all of those who have done it so far this year!
- Math-A-Thon raised \$1,224.00! Mrs. Hindle said that if your child would like to continue this week, she can add to the donation amount and send in at the end of the week. All money raised goes to St Jude's hospital in St Louis for children!