

# St. Peter's Episcopal School "E"pistle

September 19, 2008 edition

## 2008-2009 COMMUNITY OUTREACH CALENDAR

As chairperson of St. Peter's community outreach program, I would like to invite all families of St. Peter's to help make our community a better place and share in the joy of giving. Each month we will be helping and or collecting needed items for a chosen charity.

Personally, one reason we chose St. Peter's School for our son is because of their focus on not only producing a highly educated student but also producing an all around good citizen. We feel very fortunate for our son to be a student at St. Peter's where he can learn in a nurturing environment and pass on that compassion and caring into the community. I hope you and your family will feel compelled as we do and join in the joy of service and giving this school year.

Thank you,

*Krystye Dalton, Community Outreach Committee*

### *SEPTEMBER*

**Ronald McDonald House**

**Tuesday, Sept. 30**

*St. Peter's prepares dinner for those staying at the house*

### *OCTOBER*

**Blessing Of The Animals**

**Wednesday, Oct. 8, 8:30 AM (during chapel)**

**McKamey Animal Center**

*Collect bath mats, towels, & toys (dogs & cats)*

**Thursday, Oct. 9, 3:30 PM** *students allowed to tour center and learn how to help prevent animal cruelty and abandonment \* there will also be a puppy playtime*

### *NOVEMBER*

**Food drive for church pantry**

*Help deliver food to families for Thanksgiving*

### *DECEMBER*

**Episcopal Metro. Ministry**

*Each grade will buy Christmas gifts for a less fortunate family*

### *JANUARY*

**The Pet Placement Center**

*Collect and deliver old blankets and pet food*

## *FEBUARY*

**Emily's Power For ACure**      *Collect monies in classrooms*

## *MARCH*

**Habitat For Humanity**      *Workday @ Habitat House*

## *APRIL*

**Chattanooga Zoo**      *Preschool---collect needed items and visit animals*

## *MAY*

**Room At The Inn**      *Old suitcase collection*

## **MAGAZINE SALE CELEBRATION THIS WEEK!**

Thanks to all families for their generous support of the **Magazine Sale**. If anyone still has written or online orders, please send them in and they will benefit the school. Here are the top 12 selling families: **Bowman, Smith (Sumner, Alex, Trey), Grant, Wolford, Turner, Hall, Ransom, Cansler, Solis, Godbehere & Hannah (tied)**. The classes celebrated a successful sale on Friday afternoon with an out of uniform day, the great pig race for the top ten, and an ice cream party for all!

## **NEWS YOU CAN USE**

**Midterm progress reports** for Kindergarten and gradeschool will be sent out NEXT Friday, September 26.

**Cartwheels for A Cure** (to benefit **Emily's Power for A Cure**) will be held on Sunday, October 5 at the **Spirit Barn** on Hamill Road. The event will be held from 2-4 pm. You don't have to do cartwheels to participate, just be willing to have fun! Check [www.emilypowerforacure.com](http://www.emilypowerforacure.com) for more information.

We ask that parents **dropping off preschoolers, Kindergarten and first graders** either:

- Drop off at the flagpole turnaround
- Park in the spaces next to the church building and walk students in
- Park in the front parking lot (main entrance to the school) and walk students in.

Please DO NOT park in spaces on the side of the street with the dumpster. Thank you for keeping our kids safe!

## **HANDBOOK CORRECTIONS- PLEASE NOTE IN YOUR HANDBOOK!**

- **Kathy Zachary's (Savannah McMahan's mother)** home phone number was listed incorrectly. It is 876-8578.
- *Please take the time to check your contact info. in the handbook and help us correct any errors—email, mailing address or phone numbers. Thanks!*