



MVCS SMOKE SIGNAL

AUGUST 30, 2010

NO SCHOOL: There will be no school next Monday, September 6 for Labor Day.

REMINDER FROM THE SNACK SHACK: Your child should be bringing home a slip of paper home Monday from the Snack Shack indicating their current balance. Please ask them for it if they don't bring it home.

SEASON TICKETS FOR SALE: We are making available season passes to all of the home volleyball and soccer games for 2010-2011. Adult tickets are \$18 and student tickets are \$12 each. Please call the office if you are interested.

HEAT ALERT: When Fox 2 announces during the 9:00 pm news that the forecasted temperature for the next day is **92 degrees or higher, school will close at 12:25 pm** with lunch being served. There is no other public announcement, and Channel 2 is the only station we will use for this information. Please make arrangements for your child if this occurs. Only students who are in the After Care program will be allowed to stay until their normal pick-up time.

NEW POLICY REGARDING HEAT: When Fox 2 announces during the 9:00 pm news that the forecasted temperature for the next day is to **be 96 degrees or higher**, we will not be having school the next day.

BOOSTER CLUB MEETING: Our Booster Club will be meeting on Tuesday, September 14 at 7:00 pm in the Library. This organization is open to any of our parents or grandparents who would like to help support our school's athletic program.

SOCCER GAMES: Our next soccer game is tomorrow at Governor French Academy (Belleville) at 4:30 pm. The next games are this Friday and Saturday at the Collinsville Tournament. Those game times will be announced.

VOLLEYBALL GAMES: Our next volleyball game is tomorrow at Bethel Christian Academy (JV and Varsity) at 6:00 pm. We then play (varsity) in the Bethel Tournament this Friday and Saturday at 6:00 pm. Those game times will be announced.

DIRECTIONS TO GAMES: All of our volleyball and soccer games are on the calendar page on our website: www.mvcs-il.org. Find the day and the game you are interested in, click on it, and the address and driving directions will be given.

WINDOW DECALS: MVCS window decals are on sale in the office at \$5.00 for 5" and \$7.00 for 7".

BEFORE AND AFTER CARE: Parents in need of before or after school care will need to make arrangements through the office. Unless these arrangements are made, do not drop your child(ren) off before 7:40 am and they should be picked up by 3:15pm. After care is not for regularly scheduled half days.

REVIVAL SERVICES AT FAITH BAPTIST: Be sure to mark your calendar for the week of September 19-24 for Revival services with Evangelist Morris Gleiser. School Night is set for Tuesday, September 21.

BOXTOPS: General Mills will pay the school 10¢ for every participating box top. The money is used to purchase items for the students. Please send in your box tops with your child's name and grade on the back of them or enclosed in a zip-loc bag with your child's name on the outside. At the end of each year, the top three students to bring in the most box tops are each given a gift certificate to Family Christian Stores.