

EEE HOTLINE

September 13, 2009

Good afternoon everyone!

Goals

Your child should have \$800 in their account by now. You need to continue to fundraise by working either Majestic Bingo or participating in upcoming fundraisers. Also you should have paid the \$75 participation fee by now. If you have not paid this amount please contact Kirk Myers to make arrangements to do so.

Majestic Bingo

This is Week 3 so it is time for Team 3 to work. Please arrive at the Majestic Hall no later than 4:15 pm. If you need a sub or cannot work due to illness or injury, please contact Lenny Lourash or Jeff Burnham. Due to the increasing incidence of no shows and late shows, effective July 1, you will be docked 60% of the take for not showing up and 1/5 of the take if you are late. This guideline has always been in the bingo rules but we have not had to enforce it until now.

Bingo Jr.

We have had repeated issues with staffing and reimbursement at the Macon County Fairgrounds; therefore, effective immediately, Eisenhower Elite Energy Booster Club will no longer participate in bingo at the fairgrounds. This means the only true opportunity to regularly fundraise is Majestic Bingo on Saturday nights. Contact Lenny Lourash or Jeff Burnham, as noted above, to sign-up for a team.

EEE Rummage Sale

The EEE rummage sale has been cancelled due to lack of participation. Only 5 families were signed up to participate and this is a lot of work to be done for so few. We will try again next year, maybe in the summer.

Polos & EEE Apparel

Judi Sturgell is getting an order ready for new polo shirts and other EEE apparel. She plans to turn this order in on Monday, Sept. 14, 2009. If you would like to place an order please contact her ASAP to do so. I have attached an order form and pictures of this apparel to the hotline. If you have any questions, please contact Judi Sturgell.

Retreat shirts are available for order. They are \$15 for sizes S-XL and \$17 for 2XL and 3XL. Julie Myers is taking this order. I have a few for purchase.

Preview Show

Preview show planning is in full swing. Samantha Smith is chairing this committee. We will be needing help from everyone to make this a success. We need help with decorating, refreshments, sound and lighting, seating, ticket sales, advertising and publicity, ushering, etc. If you think you could help out in these areas, please contact Samantha. Preview show will be Saturday, Dec 12 at 7pm and Sunday, Dec 13 at 2pm.

2011 Competition

EEE is planning to host a competition in 2011 and we need your help. There will be a planning committee meeting on Monday, October 19 at 6 pm at EHS in the library. Bill and Billie Wood will be spearheading this committee. If you are interested or have any questions please plan to attend this meeting.

Beauty and the Beast

It is on!!! 'Beauty and the Beast' will take place Thurs, October 29 and run thru Sun, Nov 1. We as parents need to get busy with a production team. We need help with costumes, props, set design, tickets sales, publicity and advertising, lighting and sound. We are also trying to address the issue of sound in the auditorium. If you feel you can help with any of these areas please contact Amy Dobrinick. Let's divide and conquer. We only have 6 weeks to get this done.

There is also a \$50 non-refundable fee for participating in 'Beauty and the Beast.' This should be made payable to EEE and given to Scott ASAP.

Scott

Regular EEE practices are Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6pm-9pm at EHS. These dates are in addition to the regular practices. Please mark these dates on your calendar.

September – 19 – "Beauty and the Beast" rehearsal 10a-4p at EHS
29 – EEE rehearsal 6-9pm – APRIL JAMES HERE, DO NOT MISS THIS REHEARSAL

October – 1 – EEE rehearsal 6-9pm – APRIL JAMES HERE, DO NOT MISS THIS REHEARSAL
6 & 8 – Preview show solo act auditions – before and after rehearsal
9 & 10 – Rehearsal with Miss Linda – DO NOT MISS THESE REHEARSALS
27 & 29 – NO EEE rehearsals. "Beauty and the Beast" dress/tech rehearsals
29, 30, & 31 and Nov 1 – "Beauty and the Beast" at EHS time TBA

November – 7, 14 & 21 – Thanksgiving Basket Project – unload food 9am, location TBA
14 – EEE rehearsal 10:30a – 6pm at EHS
22 – Thanksgiving Basket Project Assembly – 6 pm, location TBA
23 – Thanksgiving Basket Project distribution – 7am – 4pm

December – 5 – EEE Preview show rehearsal, 10a – 6p at EHS
9 – Preview show solo act rehearsal, 6p-9p at EHS
12 & 13 – Preview show at EHS
13 – EEE student Xmas party, time and location TBA

Calendar

October 1 – EEE booster club meeting at EHS library at 7 pm

If you have any questions or comments regarding anything in the hotline feel free to contact Amy Dobrinick.