

## JEANS DAY

Friday, October 6<sup>th</sup> is "Spirit Day." Students are welcome to be out of uniform by wearing their favorite sporting team school apparel such as St. Gerard, MSU, U-M, LCHS ect. Please do not feel the need to purchase anything new for this out of uniform day. Please refer to the school handbook for out of uniform guidelines.



Thank you,

Shelly Piecuch  
Principal



# GOLF BALL DROP RAFFLE

Hurry, don't miss out!

Grandparent invitations have been mailed, which will give them the opportunity to buy tickets. They WILL buy the remaining tickets! Please don't hesitate! Use the form below for your chance at \$3,000.00! Thank you for your support of this FUN raffle!

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## Golf Ball Ticket Order Form

Complete and return in a sealed envelope with payment to St. Gerard School Office, marked "Golf Ball Drop"

(License # R43431)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

# of tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @\$25 each Total amount \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I will pick up my ticket stub(s) in school office

\_\_\_\_\_ Please send my stubs home through my student

Name of student \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to St. Gerard \*\*Need not be present to win\*\*

## MORE GROUP DONATION PACKAGES!

Time is really running out to get your family donation turned in as we need time after packages are filled to purchase these items! Group Donations is the easy way to donate. Just choose one of the packages below and send an email to sign up. Follow the email instructions you receive to complete your donation. Your kids will receive a jeans day coupon in November.

### The Wireless Speaker Package

Take your music with you wherever you go with a wireless, waterproof speaker.

6 families needed to donate \$20 each toward the Wireless Speaker Package

### The Wireless Drill Package

A wireless drill is handy to have around the house.

4 families needed to donate \$30 each toward the Wireless Drill Package

### The Canopy Tent Package

Tailgates, graduation parties, family reunions – everyone can use a portable canopy tent at some time.

5 families needed to donate \$50 each toward the Canopy Tent Package

### Simple Gift Cards

Various gift cards are available in any amount. Simply email with the amount you'd like to donate and let us choose the gift card for you.

Many families needed to donate *any amount* toward gift cards

You **must** contact Michelle Hart to participate in these packages. Email is best - [twohartsmom@sbcglobal.net](mailto:twohartsmom@sbcglobal.net)

*We have a few spots left in previously communicated packages:*

*There is just one \$35 spot left in the Beats Headphones Package*

*There is just one \$75 spot left in the Yeti Cooler Package*

*There are just three \$20 spots left in the Small Appliances Package*

*And, there are just three \$30 spots left in the Ceramic Cookware Package*

**Group Donations - The easy way to donate!!**

# Auction News and Updates

10/05/2017

**Just over a month away!!**

**FAMILY DONATIONS:** Many donations have already been turned in. THANK YOU!! Please be sure to turn in your donation form with your donation. *If you are donating a service, please turn in a gift certificate with your donation form.* PLEASE turn in donations as soon as possible, our volunteers are working hard to make sure we have everything ready for our big night.

**GROUP DONATIONS:** Not sure what to donate? We can help! We hear from a lot of families who are unsure of what to give. Please see the attached Group Donation Sheet for information and an opportunity to participate in a group donation. New group donation opportunities are available weekly.

**GOLF BALL DROP:** Tickets are still available! Only 400 will be sold, and Grandparents will have the opportunity to purchase these as well, so buy them soon!

**AUCTION TICKETS AND RAFFLE TICKETS** Ticket forms will also be in this update and will be available through the auction link on the St. Gerard School website. **\*\*PLEASE NOTE THAT AUCTION TICKETS CAN ONLY BE PURCHASED WITH CASH OR CHECK.**

## Volunteers Still Needed!

An event of this size does not happen with only a few people. Please consider helping out at one of the committees below. Your child(ren) will get a Jeans Day Coupon for your service to the auction. A volunteer form is attached. Please review the committees that need more volunteers. Volunteer and earn a Jeans Day Coupon for your child(ren)!

**Decorations Chair/co-chair:** Help with setting up and planning the decorations that pertain to the theme for the auction.

**Store Management:**

Help manage store items during silent auction. Deliver bid sheets to finance as store closes. Several volunteers each work a short shift the night of the auction. We have a desperate need for volunteers for this committee.

If you are able to donate some time to one of the committees above, or are willing to work wherever volunteers are needed, please note your selection below and return the form to the school office ASAP...

Please return to school office

I'd like to volunteer on the following committee: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

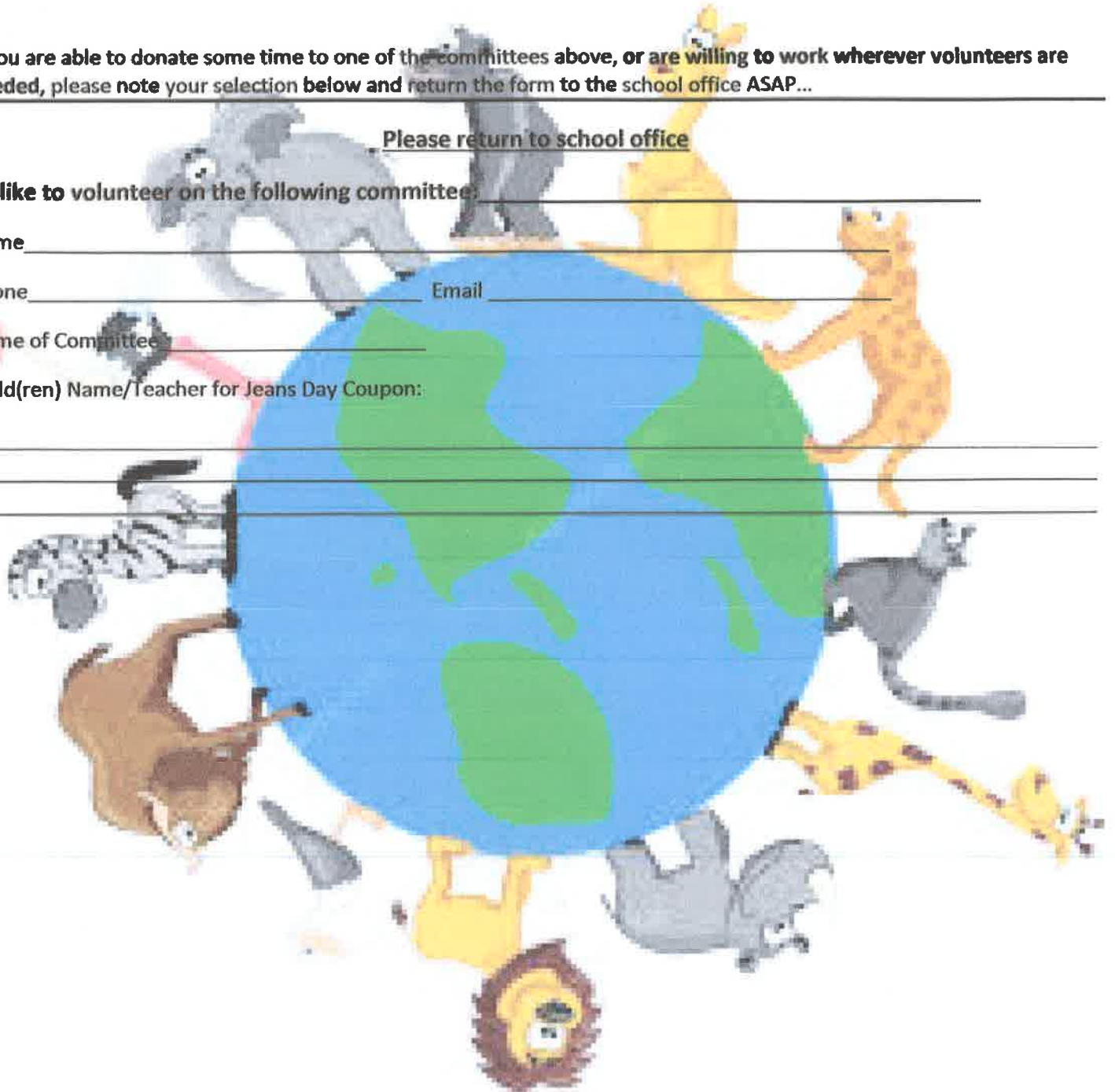
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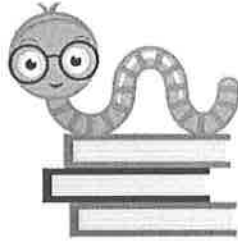
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Name of Committee \_\_\_\_\_

Child(ren) Name/Teacher for Jeans Day Coupon:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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## 8th GRADE USED BOOK SALE WASHINGTON DC FUNDRAISER

The St. Gerard 8th graders will host a Used Book Sale during the Fall parent/teacher conferences on November 1 and 2 as part of their Washington DC trip fundraising efforts. Students will have the opportunity to shop the sale during the school day, November 1. Students can purchase used books through a donation.

**To support this event, we are asking for donations of books and audiobooks.** You may drop these items off through October 29 in the boxes labeled “Used Book Donations” in the Church gathering space or by the school office. Donations should be in good condition and appropriate for a school sponsored event. We need books covering all topics: Fiction, Nonfiction, Biographies, Cookbooks, Holiday, Travel, Crafts, Hobbies, Sports, Outdoor, Religious, Children’s books (picture, early reader, chapter, pre-teen and teen). Please make sure that audiobooks are operational.

*Used Book Sale will be on Wednesday, November 1 from 5:00-7:30 and Thursday, November 2 from 7:30-10:00am, 12:00-2:30pm and 5:00-7:30pm in the school hallways.*

If you have any questions, please contact Dawn Pier at 517-488-2178 or [dawnpier@comcast.net](mailto:dawnpier@comcast.net) OR Tania Haraburda at 517-223-3312 or [tania.haraburda@gmail.com](mailto:tania.haraburda@gmail.com)

Thank you!!





# MOVIE NIGHT

For all 6th, 7th & 8th Graders

October 13th, 2017

6pm-8pm

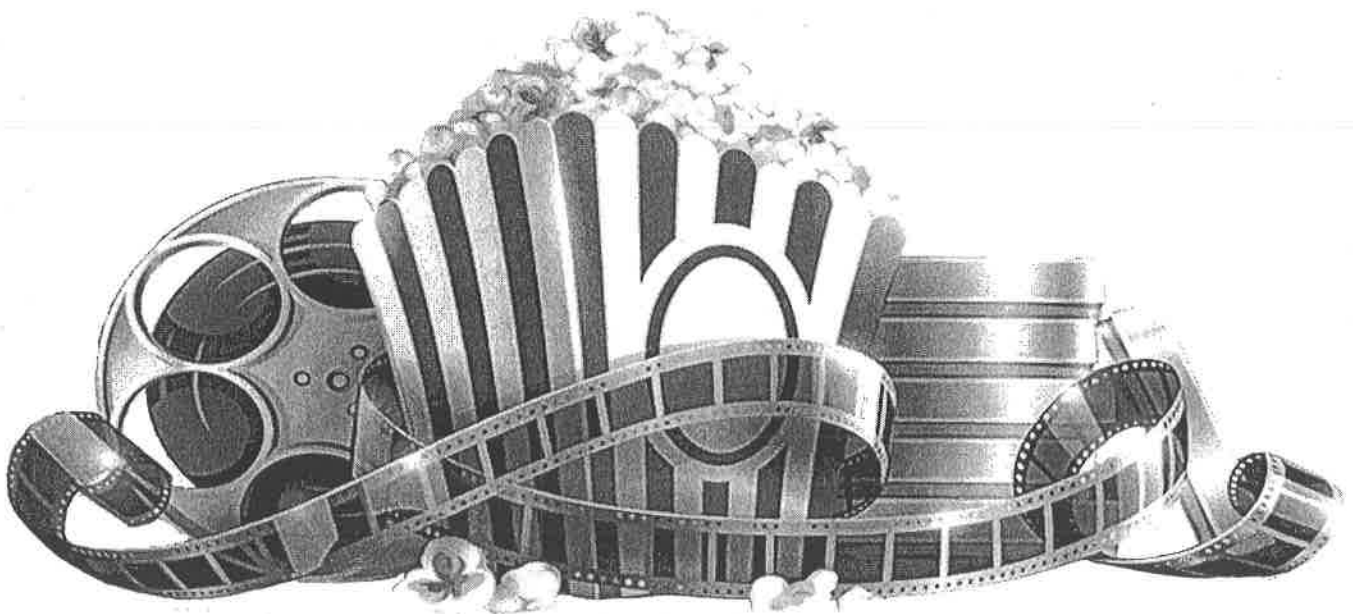
Youth Room

Pop, Popcorn, and other snacks

provided

**Cost: FREE!**

**Questions:** Please contact Theresa Bosman or Jeff Corder at the parish office- 517-323-2379



*Join us at our Prospective Family Night to discover how we live out our motto: Teaching a Way of Life!*



# Prospective Family Night

**Wednesday, October 18, 2017 6:30pm to 8:30pm**

Schedule of Events:

- 6:30-7:10pm – Tour Lansing Catholic with a current student as your guide and meet with teachers from each department
- 7:15-7:20pm – Welcome and Introduction of Breakout Sessions
- 7:25-7:40pm – Breakout Session #1
- 7:45-8:00pm – Breakout Session #2
- 8:05-8:30pm – Question and Answer Session with a panel of Lansing Catholic’s administration, teachers, and students

Choose two of four Breakout Sessions: Curriculum, Financing a Catholic Education, College Planning, and Athletic & Extracurricular Activities.

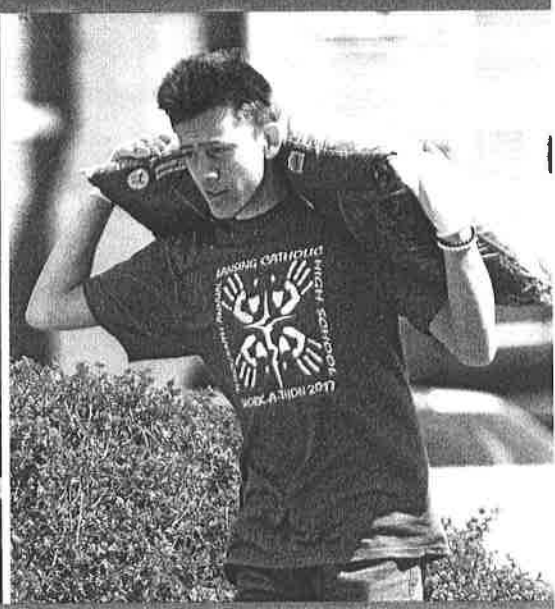
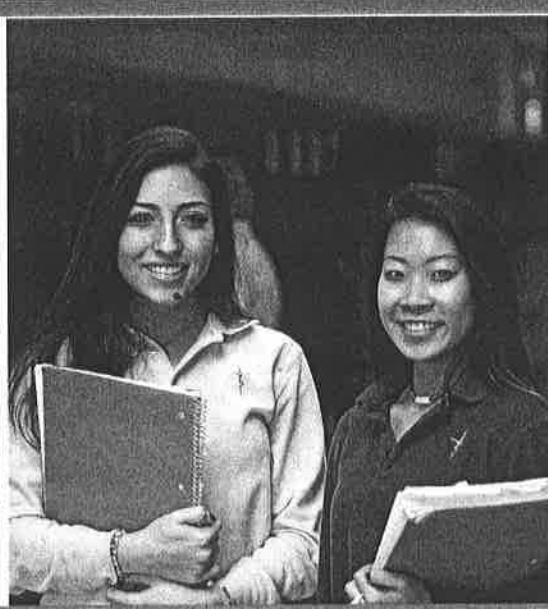
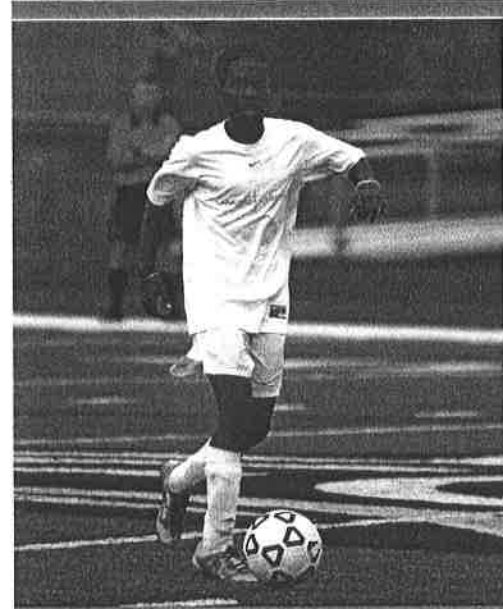
This event is open to families with children of all ages to learn more about what LCHS has to offer. Parents and students are welcome to attend.

Please contact Admissions Coordinator, Mrs. Karen Gavin at [karen.gavin@lansingcatholic.org](mailto:karen.gavin@lansingcatholic.org) or 517-267-2102 to register for this event.  
*(Registration is not required, but is appreciated)*

*Lansing Catholic High School is located at: 501 Marshall Street, Lansing, MI 48912, near the corner of East Saginaw and Marshall Streets, across the road from Lansing Public’s Pattengill School.*



# DISCOVER LANSING CATHOLIC



## LCHS QUICK FACTS:

Grades 9-12  
Over 525 Students Enrolled  
Average Class Size: 22  
Tuition Assistance is Available



## CLASS OF 2017 ACHIEVEMENTS:

College Scholarship Offers: \$4 Million+  
Accepted to 127 Colleges & Universities  
Average ACT Score: 25  
13,462 Service Hours Completed

Join us at one of our

# PROSPECTIVE FAMILY NIGHTS

**Wednesday, October 18, 2017**

**Wednesday, February 7, 2018**

Both Nights 6:30-8:30 p.m.

## Schedule of Events:

- 6:30-7:10 p.m. Tour with a Current Student
- 7:10-7:20 p.m. Welcome & Introductions
- 7:25-7:40 p.m. Breakout Session #1 \*
- 7:45-8:00 p.m. Breakout Session #2 \*
- 8:05-8:30 p.m. Q & A with Staff & Students

\* Breakout Session Choices: Curriculum, Financing a Catholic Education, College Planning, and Athletics & Extracurricular Activities

Please contact our admissions office at 517-267-2102 or [admissions@lansingcatholic.org](mailto:admissions@lansingcatholic.org) to register for this event. Registration is not required, but is appreciated.

[www.lansingcatholic.org](http://www.lansingcatholic.org)

Connect With Us



501 Marshall Street  
Lansing, MI 48912

# COSTUME CONCERT & Trick or Treating



501 Marshall Street      Lansing, MI 48912

## Thursday, October 26, 2017

The LCHS Marching Band and LCHS Choir, along with the Lansing Area Catholic Middle School Band and Combined Middle School Choir, will perform in the high school gymnasium at 7:00 p.m.

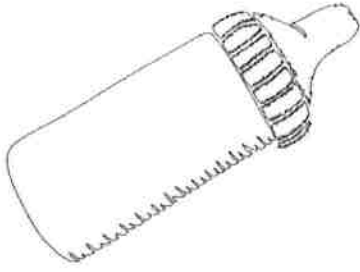
Trick or Treating at 6:30 p.m.

Free Concert immediately following at 7:00 p.m.

**Don't forget to wear your costume!**

Call 517-267-2102 if you have questions!





# Don't Miss The Annual Baby Bottle Boomerang!

Beginning October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>

Look for members of the Start of the Sea Women's Guild circle distributing baby bottles after all masses that weekend.

- Take one home, fill it up with loose coins, dollars or checks made out to Shared Pregnancy and return it.
- Please consider encouraging your whole family to get involved, as this is a wonderful opportunity to teach your child about giving to others.
- You will see bottles being collected for several weeks after masses or you can place them in the collection baskets at church as well.

The money raised helps benefit Shared  
Pregnancy of Lansing

*"Shared Pregnancy is committed to helping women in unexpected or challenging pregnancies with emotional, material, and spiritual support and assisting families with young children."*

# TRICK OR TREAT TRAIL



## MONSTER MASH



## FAMILY FUN HALLOWEEN DANCE



TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10 • 5:30-7:30 P.M.\*  
(Rain Date: Wednesday, October 11)  
SHARP PARK • \$1 PER CHILD

No pre-registration is required.  
Please bring your own bag.

Flashlights are suggested.

\* While candy supplies  
last.



TEQUILA  
COWBOY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24 • 7-9 P.M. • TEQUILA COWBOY

Families will enjoy dancing to favorite Halloween and other songs along with refreshments, and more! \$7 per person. **There will be no food or alcohol sales at this event.**

For more information or to register please visit [www.deltami.gov/registration](http://www.deltami.gov/registration) or call 323-8555. **PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED, SPACE IS LIMITED.**

These events are sponsored by Delta Township Parks and Recreation.







# Grand Ledge Community Recreation 2017 Parent - Child Basketball Camp






**Sponsored By:**  
**Higher Level Sports**  
*Elevating Lives and Leaders*



This GREAT camp is led by Stan Daugherty, director of Higher Level Sports. Coach Daugherty has coached at every level from middle school to college. Known for his teaching of fundamentals, he has compiled a record of over 200 wins as a head coach at 5 high schools in Indiana. He has won 3 sectional championships, 2 conference championships and 3 county championships.

**Guest Speaker** - Jill Marlan, owner of Peak Performance Physical Therapy. Jill is a physical therapist who works with many collegiate and professional athletes. She was Lansing entrepreneur of the year, scholarship athlete (basketball at Wayne state) and Grand Ledge basketball standout.

The focus of this camp is to teach fundamentals of basketball while providing a bonding experience for the parents and their children. Leadership, academics and attitude issues will also be discussed with campers and their parent.

-  **Date:** Saturday, October 28, 2017
-  **Time:** 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.
-  **Location:** Grand Ledge High School Main Gym
-  **Fee:** \$30 - 2 participants (Parent & Child)  
\$10 - each additional child
-  **Child:** Grades: 1st - 6th

 **Registration:**  
*Deadline: Wednesday, October 25th*  
**Limited Space Available**  
Register online at [www.glathletics.com](http://www.glathletics.com)  
(Click on the Community Recreation Tab)

OR

Register in person:

Community Recreation Office ~ 220 Lamson St.  
Monday-Friday ~ 9am-5pm



For questions contact Jen Daly  
Office: (517) 925-5440 ~ [dalyj@glcomets.net](mailto:dalyj@glcomets.net)