

September 29, 2016

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Type to Learn: Agents of Information!

The school has purchased a web-based program that enables students to practice keyboarding at school and at home.

You will need to login to *typetolearn.com*. There is nothing to download, this is a web-based program. Your student can work on Type to Learn from any computer with Internet access.

The username for each student is their first initial and last name with the year they graduate from St. Gerard. For example Marcia Maiville a third grader would have the user name mmaiville22.

Password: ttl4

Account Code: 156458

#### **About Type to Learn**

- Type to Learn is a comprehensive instructional keyboarding program that covers skills ranging from beginning to advanced.
- Type to Learn is built on a proven method of sequential skills building instruction. This program uses leveled lessons and includes a diagnostic pre-test, reviews, demonstrations, practice exercises and activities, multiple formative assessments, and personalized remediation.
- The program motivates students toward keyboarding mastery by recruiting them as new members of an ancient society, The Agents of Information. Students discover that our world is in danger of a total communication breakdown because information cannot flow smoothly! Through the training they move up the 7 ranks from Recruit to ultimately become accurate, fast-typing Master Agents.
- To learn more about Type to Learn go to [typetolearn.com](http://typetolearn.com)
- Attached are direction for downloading the program on your home computers as well as student usernames, passwords, and account code.

I hope you will encourage your student to practice their keyboarding skills.

Sincerely,

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# MOVIE NIGHT

For all 6th, 7th & 8th Graders

October 7th, 2016

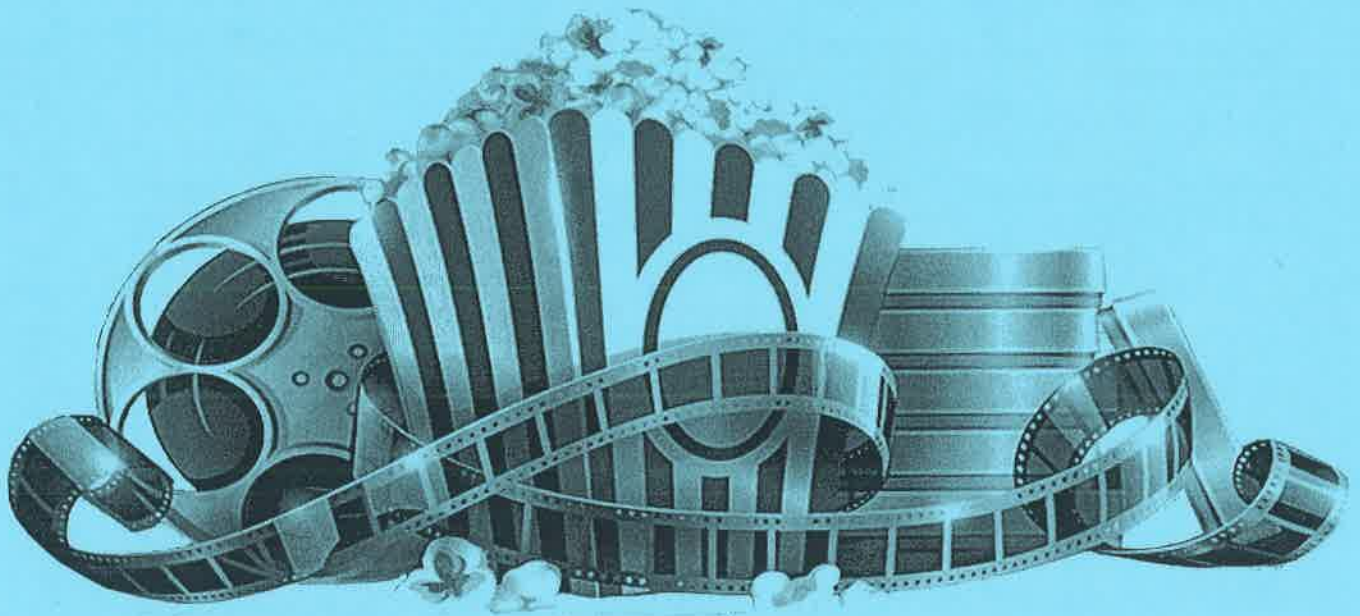
6pm-8pm

Youth Room

Pop, Popcorn, and other snacks  
provided

**Cost: FREE!**

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





## St. Gerard School Auction 2016

### Raffle Ticket Order Form

**Order your tickets now for these exciting raffle items...**

- \$2,000 credit towards tuition for St. Gerard School for the 2017-18 school year.  
**Donated by the faculty and staff of St. Gerard School**
- Canon EOS Rebel T5 DSLR Camera with 18-55 mm and 75-300 mm Lenses

**The drawing will take place at the live auction- need not be present to win.**

If you have questions about these raffles, please contact

Melissa Griffin, Raffle Chair, at 882-8412.

**THANK YOU!**

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*Please send order form and cash or check made payable to St. Gerard to school office in envelope marked **Auction Raffle Tickets**. Ticket stubs will be returned via the child you list below.*

Tuition Raffle Ticket \_\_\_\_\_ @\$20/ea. = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camera Ticket \_\_\_\_\_ @\$5/ea. = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed- \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_



## ST GERARD SCHOOL AUCTION ADMISSION ORDER FORM

**November 5, 2016**

**Hawk Hollow Golf Course  
15101 Chandler Road, Bath, MI**

**6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.**

**6:00 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. Silent Auction**

**9:00 p.m. - Raffle Winners Announced**

**9:15 p.m. - Live Auction**

**Golf Ball Drop Winner announced at the conclusion of the Live Auction**

**Tickets are \$20.00 when purchased by October 26<sup>th</sup>, \$25.00 after and at the door.**

**For more information, please contact Vicki Malacina (517-290-0841) or Lori Glencer (auction@stgerardlansing.org)**

Please make checks payable to **St. Gerard School** and send form back to school with payment in an envelope marked **AUCTION TICKETS**. Please note: No tickets will be issued. You will receive confirmation through email and your name will be on a list at check-in at the auction. You will receive your bidder number at check-in.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St/ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$20 each= \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional names of those attending: (Please provide information of your guests.)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

## **“Stay-cation” GROUP DONATION PACKAGES!**

**Our families are loving these group donation packages and they are filling fast! We’ve come up with three more packages to make donating easy.**

**(Yes, these will count for a Jeans Day Coupon!)**

### **The “Stay-cation” Cookware Package**

**Whip up exotic recipes from around the world in your own kitchen.**

**7 families needed to donate \$40 each toward the cookware package**

### **The “Stay-cation” Power Drill Package**

**Everyone has a “to do” list. Get a few projects checked off with a new drill.**

**5 families needed to donate \$25 each toward the Power Drill package**

### **The “Stay-cation” Wireless Speaker Package**

**This Monster Clarity HD Micro wireless speaker and speakerphone delivers high-quality audio, whether you’re listening to music or making a conference call.**

**5 families needed to donate \$25 each toward the Wireless Speaker package**

**You must contact Dawn Gehle to participate in these packages.  
[dsgehle@comcast.net](mailto:dsgehle@comcast.net)**

**We are creating new packages every day. If you are interested in donating a different amount than what we’ve posted, let us know! We will create a package just for you! We will have several packages available at the ice cream social next week as well.**

**The easy way to donate!!**

# Let's Travel Around the World

## Auction News and Updates

9/29/2016

**Please note that our auction email address has changed.** Our new email address is [auction@stgerardlansing.org](mailto:auction@stgerardlansing.org)

**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.* All donations are due by **SEPTEMBER 30.**

**NEEDED!** Our decorations committee is in need of old road maps, paper atlases, and old hard-sided suitcases. If you have any of these items that you are willing to part with, please let us know! Items can be sent to the school office to the attention of the decorations committee, or contact us if you have an item that needs to be picked up.

**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 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 one of the committees.** 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)!

**Check In:**

Help check in guests at 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...

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**Please return to school office**

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

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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# GOLF BALL DROP RAFFLE

The St. Gerard School Golf Ball Drop Raffle is selling tickets at a rapid rate!

The Golf Ball Drop will feature 400 numbered balls dropped on school grounds at an undisclosed time before the auction. The event will be witnessed (and videotaped) by Fr. John, Mrs. Piecuch and, in an effort to include our children in the event that benefits them in so many ways, our student body. The results will then be shown and a winner will be revealed at the end of the evening at the St. Gerard School Auction on November 5, 2016.

Soon, Grandparents and special family members and friends will be receiving an order form in the mail to purchase raffle tickets. **MANY** tickets are sold this way.

Don't wait too long to purchase your ticket(s)!

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## Golf Ball Ticket Order Form

*Complete and return to St. Gerard Office*

*(License # R38411)*

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

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

# of tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25 ea. Total amount \_\_\_\_\_

- I will pick up my ticket stub(s) in school office
- Please send home through via my child (Name \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_)

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