



## IMPORTANT DATES



**October 3 & 4 - Pizza Hot Lunch.**

**October 17 & 18 – Picture Day**

### **THANK YOU to the GRACE Families, Board Members and Staff**

It was a wonderful first week at the new location! It was a lot of hard work to prepare for this new year with an extra day of classes and a new building. We are so thankful for the staff and board members pitching in to ready the new building for classes! We couldn't have done it without this great team of people! And we are thankful for the patience of the families as we adjust to the changes.



We are still looking for a parent to serve as Family Room Monitor on Fridays from 2:45-3:45. You will earn a \$5.00 tuition credit each week. Please contact Robyn at [office@gracehsaonline.org](mailto:office@gracehsaonline.org) with questions.

## IMPORTANT NEWS & REMINDERS

### **T.R.I.P. Trip Reduction Incentive Program**

Tammy Cunningham will be at GRACE on Thursday September 19, from 8:30–12:00 and Friday September 20, from 8:30–4:00. Anyone can come into the GRACE office to sit down with Tammy to learn more about using TRIP to pay for your GRACE classes or to learn better ways to use TRIP or to get set up, etc.

### **INSTANT T.R.I.P. REMINDERS:**

1. You must pay with a check or the exact dollar amount.
2. You must have changed your non-profit organization to GRACE HSA through your ShopWithScrip account under *Dashboard/Manage Non-Profit* or enter the GRACE HSA Family Enrollment Code: 28F22D636452L when setting up an account.

### **A Few Reminders Regarding the New Facility:**

This beautiful building was a true gift in a time of need. We are asking for everyone's help to treat it respectfully and keep it clean.

1. **The elevators are for adults, not students.**
2. **Please use the south entrance.**
3. **Please leave the nursery in the same or better condition by putting away the toys.**
4. **For adults using the cappuccino machine, please be sure to pay \$.50 AND bring you mug to the kitchen when you are finished.**

**Please let Robyn Wassink know if anyone has a working microwave they are not using and would like to donate to the GRACE lunchroom.**

### Lunchtime Clean Up

To those eating lunch in the Family Room and Quiet Study Hall: the GRACE Administration requests that you finish eating 5 minutes before the end of the lunch hour so that you have time to clean up any food, drink and trash. Thank you for your cooperation



***Lost and Found Items will be placed on the hooks in the hallway near the GRACE office***

## SUPPORT GRACE AND HELP KEEP YOUR CLASS COSTS LOW



### SHOP AMAZON, SUPPORT GRACE

Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to GRACE whenever you shop on AmazonSmile.

How do I sign up?

Login to your current Amazon account, but use this link to do so: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/38-3194117>

After logging in you will see Supporting: XXXXX under the search bar. To begin supporting GRACE with your Amazon purchases, simply hover over Supporting and select Change. Search for GRACE Home School Academy to begin supporting GRACE Home School Association with each AmazonSmile purchase!

Don't forget! Each time you want to shop on Amazon.com, be sure to start at smile.amazon.com so that your purchases will be eligible for a .5% donation to GRACE!

### OFFICE DEPOT & OFFICEMAX REBATE

How does it work?

When making a purchase of qualifying school supplies, provide the GRACE HSA I.D. number 70242332 at the checkout (in-store or online) and GRACE will receive 5 % back in credits for FREE supplies!



Once GRACE has earned more than \$10 in credits within the quarter, a merchandise certificate will be mailed to GRACE that can be redeemed at Office Depot in-store or online. Some schools earn up to \$3,000 a school year!

 **PAPER GATOR** COMING SOON!

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The West Michigan Home School Honor Society - Iota Eta chapter welcomes new and returning members for the 2019-2020 school year! The Honor Society will hold the first meeting of the year on Tuesday, Sep 24, at the Home School Building (5625 Burlingame Ave SW, Wyoming, MI), in Classroom 11. Start time is 4pm, duration is one hour.

New participants are welcome! Please visit the Honor Society webpage at the following link: <http://www.gracehsaonline.org/OtherLinks/WestMichiganHomeSchoolHonorSociety.aspx>. This site lists the test score requirements along with other helpful information.

We are also seeking an assistant Parent Advocate for the group.

If you have questions, please contact Trent Gooding at 616-308-0474 or [iota.eta.nhs@gmail.com](mailto:iota.eta.nhs@gmail.com)

Burgess Concrete Construction is looking to hire help around the shop. This job includes general labor and assisting the yard manager. This position is open to high school students looking for a job after school. This is a great opportunity for an entry level position in the construction field.

To apply, please visit

<http://burgessconcrete.com/job/shop-help/>



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*Thank You*