

LUNCH PURCHASES: Lunches may be purchased on a monthly basis, bi-monthly, weekly or daily. School begins on **Tuesday, August 23, 2011.**

Prices for this school year are as follows:

Grades K-5	\$2.00/meal
Grades 6-12	\$2.25/meal
Adults	\$2.50/meal

Please try to keep in mind that it is the student and family's responsibility to keep track of the child's lunch money status. The school cannot be responsible for notifying each family when the child's lunch money has ran out. The students are notified when the money is low or out as they go through the lunch line. It would be greatly appreciated if you and your child would make a sincere effort to stay current. Should your child forget his/her lunch money, charging a lunch is allowed on a **very limited basis**. **Lunchroom credits:** if a lunch is paid for and the student does not eat, the credit is added to the end of the students paid lunches.

Lunch money should be sent with your child on the first day of school, or you may personally bring it to Mrs. DeGraff. When sending lunch money to the school, **PLEASE, clearly label which child the money is for and how much is for each child if you have more than one you are paying for.** Many families have found that sending the payment in an envelope works well. Just write on the outside of the envelope how it is to be divided. One check can be used to do all family members if it is labeled properly. **The lunch calendar is posted each month on Option C and the website.** For those students in grades K-2 who wish to send their **morning** milk money (\$.30 per day) along with their lunch money, **please label it clearly.**

The classroom teacher keeps the record on morning milks. Please send the payments with the child who will be receiving milk credits. The teachers will forward the payment to my office for all the students. You may not receive credit for morning milk if not clearly labeled. Most parents find it simpler to send morning milk payments separately to the class teacher.

Sacred Heart School has a closed lunch hour. Due to this fact, students **will not be allowed** to have fast food delivered to the school for lunch consumption. Students needing to have a sack lunch delivered from home should have it delivered to the office, and the office staff will have it delivered to the student. Please refer to the school handbook if you have any questions concerning the cafeteria policy. **If your child brings a sack lunch this year, please remember that milk may be purchased in the cafeteria for \$.30.** Juice may not be sold or served during the lunch period unless your child has an allergy and we have a written notification from your doctor stating this. A la Carte items will be available this year, but students need to pay for the item before receiving it.

****Towards the end of school it is a good idea to check to see where your student/s are on lunch monies. Please do not overpay for lunches, as NO REFUNDS will be made.**

Thank you for all your help and cooperation. If you have any questions, please feel free to call. Esther DeGraff, Cafeteria Bookkeeper 660-827-3800.