

Bits and Pieces from the Principal
week of: October 16, 2011

SERVICE-

It is with great sadness that we, as a St. Mary's Academy community, mourn the loss of Ridge Barden a Phoenix Central School Junior. The students will be working on a poster of "Thoughts and Prayers" that they will all sign. That, along with flowers and a donation will be brought over to Phoenix High School on Monday.

We will be "adopting" a family and putting together a Thanksgiving basket for a family of 7. (mom, dad, and 5 children over age 12) Look for more information in my November newsletter.

WEB SITE- Our St. Mary's Academy web site is looking great! PLEASE check the site regularly as there are up to date announcements from both the PTA and the school office. As we are trying to cut down on paper that is arriving home, we will utilize the web site more and more.

SCHOOL PICTURES- School pictures will be taken on Friday, October 21st. Children may "dress up" that day. Make up pictures will be on Tuesday, October 25th.

VIRTUS- As a reminder, those who were originally Virtus trained in 2006, your training expires at the end of this year. Please register to get re-certified so you can continue to volunteer.

LATE PICK-UPS- We realize that there are extenuating circumstances that prevent you from being on time to pick up your children. When that is the case, they will be sent to "after school" and you will need to go to the cafeteria to sign them out. The fee will be prorated accordingly.

SAFETY- For the safety of our students, please do not send in metal forks or spoons with their lunches. We have plenty of plastic silverware they can use.

TOWN MEETINGS- Please note a letter from our Superintendent on the reverse side of this note.

* Remember- we are role models for our children

"A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger" Proverbs 15:1

Peace and Grace<><.
Mrs. Renae Henderson
Principal