



Target credit & debit cards



Elden's	
Milk	2.50
Eggs	3.25
Muffins	4.50
Lettuce	1.50
Total	11.75
Thank you for shopping!	

EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS! There are several “little things” that families can do to raise funds for our school. Here are some programs we are participating in:

Target Red Card: If you have a Target Red Card go online to [Target Red Card: Take Charge of Education](#) and enroll Parkers Prairie Elementary as your designated school. PPES will receive 1% of all purchases.

General Mills Box Tops for Education – Simply cut out the box tops from General Mills products and send them to school. For more information and a complete list of Box Tops products, please visit www.boxtops4education.com.

Kellogg and Scholastic Books have teamed up to help families and schools earn \$5 certificates for books through Scholastic. Go to www.scholastic.com/kellogg/ for more information.

Buy your favorite Kemps or Land O' Lakes milk products and send in the specially marked caps or proof-of-purchase symbols. Each stickered milk cap or proof-of-purchase symbol is worth 5¢ for purchasing equipment for our school.

Campbell's Labels for Education – For more than 30 years, Labels for Education has been awarding free educational equipment to schools in exchange for proofs of purchase from the Campbell family of brands. Just simply clip the **UPC** from the Campbell's label and turn it in to the school office. For more information, please visit <http://labelsforeducation.com/default.aspx>.

Used Ink Cartridges- We have used the funds from turning in old ink cartridges to purchase colored ink cartridges for special projects.

Elden's Receipts: Place Elden's receipts in the Parkers Prairie bin as you leave the store. PPES receives school equipment items based on the amount collected.

Thanks to participating parents and companies for their support. In the past we have used the money to purchase playground equipment, digital cameras, school supplies, books, etc. It all adds up and makes a difference.

Parkers Prairie Elementary Newsletter

October 2011



Dates to Remember:

*October 9-15:
Fire Prevention Week*

*October 17:
Vision and Hearing
Screening*

*October 20-21:
No School – Fall Break*

*November 2:
Picture Retake Day*

*November 7:
No School –
Teacher Inservice*

*Starting on Nov. 8:
Fall Book Fair*

*November 9 and 10:
Conferences*

*November 11:
No School*

*November 24-25:
Thanksgiving – No
School*

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:

The month has gone by quickly and I've noticed how well students are settling into routines and patterns again. I am so impressed with the amazing staff and students at this school. I consider myself very fortunate to be part of this school community.

One word that describes my focus for this year is **RESPECT: Respect for Others and Respect for our Community**. We have been emphasizing anti-bullying measures with many of the classrooms and we will continue to stay focused on what we all can do to stop bullying. We have also started addressing respect for our community by discussing and supporting recycling in our school. We have a lot of student interest in wanting to help our earth by Reducing, Reusing and Recycling. It's a wonderful opportunity to develop life-long habits that support environmentally sound practice.

I am getting to know student names and a little more about each of them but I'd like an opportunity to get to know more about you and your family. If you are in the building, don't hesitate to stop in and introduce yourself. I'd love to meet you.

We're Partners in Your Child's Education:

Just a reminder to check backpacks for homework and important notes. It may be helpful to designate a special spot and time to get homework completed.

We appreciate when children get plenty of rest and a healthy breakfast to get them on the right track for learning each day. It makes a difference!

If you are picking up your child after school, please park along the curb in front of the school on McCornell. We really don't want students crossing such a busy street to get into vehicles. We are concerned for everyone's safety. THANKS!

