



## PTO FALL FUNDRAISER

### IT'S MORE THAN JUST DOUGH!

#### Chip Shoppe Catalog Sale Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> – Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>

We hope you're hungry! The Chip Shoppe offers a catalog of a delicious assortment of soups, braided breads, frozen pizzas, dry mixes, and other gourmet delights. Another catalog has gifts and wrapping papers.

During the two weeks of the sale we ask you to support Northview Elementary PTO's largest annual fundraiser. This is our effort to provide Northview with additional resources to help ensure a successful school year for all of our children.

#### Our fundraising goals for 2009–2010

- Documentation cameras for every classroom.
- Continue to increase the number of interactive Smart Boards in classrooms.
- Continued support of academic programming and community building activities.

**We need your help** — a little bit from everyone will help us reach our goal. **THANK YOU!**



We are happy to be using *The Chip Shoppe* this fall as our fundraising partner — we think you are going to love their products. We also appreciate the fact that they are a Minnesota based company that sells many locally produced products.

## Food Perspectives TASTE TESTING

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Food Perspectives is a taste testing company that will pay you and PTO for each taste testing you do. Sign up through Northview PTO, Food Perspectives calls you, if it's convenient for you, go and taste test. They pay you for your time and donate \$10 to Northview PTO. For more details or to sign up, contact Kym Howe at 651-994-9136.

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## Upcoming Events

**School Directory:** The school directory is in production and will be available in mid-October.

**Spirit Wear Sale:** School t-shirts and other items will be for sale during Fall Conferences in October. Delivery is scheduled for November.

**Box Tops Contest:** We know your kitchen drawer is getting full! The classroom box tops collection contest is coming in October.

## NV Culver's Night Tues Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>, 5–7pm



*"Ice Cream,  
Get your ice cream!"*

PTO receives 10% of all drive-up and eat-in sales between 5 and 7pm.

Culver's Restaurant, 3445 Oleary Lane, near the corner of Lexington & Yankee Doodle Rd.

### Hosts needed for October

Go behind the counter, put on an apron, and serve up the crowd at NV Culver's night. Any 3<sup>rd</sup>–5<sup>th</sup> grade troop, club, or neighborhood group is welcome to sign up. Please call Michelle Altier at 651-228-1497.

### NVPTO Board Members:

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# No One Can Do Everything, But Everyone Can Do Something

## Become a Northview Volunteer

### PTO Volunteers Needed

**THANK YOU** to all who have already signed up so generously to support one of the many PTO activities in 2009-2010.

We still have the following needs for fall events. If you can help, contact Shawna Peters, our volunteer coordinator, at 651-683-1975 or email: Peters\_Shawna@hotmail.com

- Fall Conference meal coordinator
- Fall Conference meal food donation
- Culver's Hosts for future months
- Food Perspective sign-ups

### PTO Classroom Liasons Needed

PTO is looking for one parent from each classroom to act as the go-to person for PTO information sharing. We'll keep you informed; you pass the word on to your classroom parents and teacher. You also pass back needs and ideas to us. Please call Shawna Peters at 651-683-1975 if you are willing to take on this networking role.

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### Academic Volunteers Needed

Northview has many opportunities for volunteers. Contact your child's classroom teacher for more information on how you can help.

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### Fundraising Opportunities

Here are some ways you can help raise funds for Northview

Save Kemps Milk Caps, Land O'Lakes labels, Box Tops for Education, and Campbell's Soup labels. Collection boxes are in the school media center. (Don't forget to save the box tops for the contest in October.)

Target VISA: Target will donate 1% of all purchases charged to your REDcard by designating Northview under Target's TAKE CHARGE OF EDUCATION program.

### Thank You

Mucho Gracias • Shukriya • Ua tsaug  
Mahad sanid • Ar kun • Cám ơn • M goi  
Spasibo • Shukriya Danke • Sta na shukria

**Deb and Sid Foster** and all your helpers for your work all summer on the beautiful Northview gardens.

**Alexander, Kleis, and Altier families** for serving ice cream at the school open house.

**Kathy Fleck, 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher** for demonstrating her Smart Board and document camera at the September PTO meeting.

**Girl Scout Troop #52686** for hosting the September Culver's night.

**Dunn Brothers Coffee and Cub Foods** for their donations to the PTO's welcome breakfast for Northview staff.

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### Murphy's Law of Children

- The later you stay up, the earlier your child will wake up the next morning.
- For a child to become clean, something else must become dirty.
- Toys multiply to fill any space available.
- The longer it takes you to make a meal, the less your child will like it.
- If the shoe fits – it's expensive.
- The surest way to get something done is to tell a child not to do it.
- The gooier the food, the more likely it is to end up on the carpet.
- Backing the car out of the driveway causes your child to have to go to the bathroom.
- The more challenging the child, the more rewarding it is to be a parent – sometimes.

