

**LINCOLN PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**Fredstrom Elementary School**  
**Wednesday Weekly**  
**April 2, 2008**

**Help Fredstrom Media Center Purchase New Books...by RECYCLING!!:** Isn't it about time to take in those aluminum cans you have been collecting? April is the PERFECT time! Midland Recycling is again working with Lincoln Public Schools to promote April as *School Library Media Month*. For every pound of aluminum turned in between April 1 – 30, you will receive your regular profits. Be sure to mention that you are from Fredstrom School, and Midland Recycling will donate an additional five cents per pound to our Media Center. In the last seven years, Midland Recycling has donated over \$19,250 to LPS elementary and middle school libraries for the purchase of library books. The student with the most pounds of aluminum cans will receive an environmental award from Midland Recycling, and a \$75 gift certificate from Lee Booksellers. The student with the second largest amount will earn a Lee Booksellers \$50 gift certificate and the student with the third largest amount will earn a Lee Booksellers \$25 gift certificate.

Take your cans to **A-Can Recycling, 3255 S. 10<sup>th</sup> St. OR A & J Recycling, 3250 N. 20<sup>th</sup> St.**

**MAT Testing:** 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade students will be taking the Metropolitan Achievement Tests the week of April 7 – 11<sup>th</sup>. A practice test will be given on Monday with the actual MAT testing beginning on Tuesday, April 8<sup>th</sup>. It is very important that students get a good nights sleep, eat breakfast and arrive at school on time. We certainly understand if children are ill, but please avoid elective absences during this time.

**25<sup>th</sup> Annual Zoo Fun Run/Walk:** The Lincoln Fire Rescue 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Zoo Fun Run/Walk will be May 10, 2008 at 10:00 A.M. The run starts in the zoo parking lot just east of the main entrance, circles the outside of the zoo on the bike path, then returns to the parking lot where it started. No fee is required to participate in this Fun Run/Walk although, a registration form and waiver must be signed prior to the race. Registration forms may be picked up from Mr. Cope.

**Hy-Vee Receipts:** Hy-Vee receipts can still be turned in to Fredstrom School, the program will conclude April 6<sup>th</sup>. Receipts must be turned in to Fredstrom prior to April 14<sup>th</sup>, even if they don't have the red stripe on them as long as they are dated on or before April 6<sup>th</sup> they may be turned in.

**Parenting 101: The Basics & Beyond:** A unique parenting class where you will learn various discipline strategies, tips, and techniques which will benefit your peace of mind and your child's ability to grow, learn, and thrive in a stable predictable environment. As a result you will help your child grow to be happier, healthier, and better behaved.

Dates: April 14 – May 5, 2008

Days: Mondays

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: Southeast Community College

Continuing Education Center

301 S. 68<sup>th</sup> Street Place, Lincoln, NE

Cost: \$39.00

For more information, contact Nancy Holman at 402-437-2712; 1-800-828-0072, ext. 2712; or [nholman@southeast.edu](mailto:nholman@southeast.edu) via e-mail, or a registration form may be picked up at the Fredstrom Elementary School office.

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