

TMS TEACHER BULLETIN

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"Yes, we have *Chicken Soup for the Math Teacher's Soul*.
The price is $\$475 \div 23 \times .018^2 - Y^3 + 4X \div \$73.99999 + 2$."

UPDATE FOR THE WEEK OF: 1-30-12

COMING UP

- Please make sure to submit the Report Activity – Request Materials form for your February 29th PBIS Community Block. I need to start purchasing/planning for materials.
- We are looking for staff members to play basketball and cheer for the upcoming Hoops Challenge basketball game held Friday, February 24, here at TMS. If anyone needs the official "Dream Team" t-shirt, we need to know that by Friday, February 3. There is a sign-up sheet in the mailroom where staff members can sign up and indicate if they need a t-shirt. PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY!! We have a lot of fun and cannot do this without you!! Thank you! Kerri and Kiki
- If you were unable to attend the Wellness Seminar, Suzanne Waterhouse has provided literature on the topics of Insulin Resistance and Metabolic Syndrome, and Reducing Cancer Risk. It is available on the mailroom counter.

INFO TO KNOW

- Today, January 30th, is the last day to enter students who have lost their SOAR standing for February.
- Quarter and Grade Entry Timeline/Deadline
 - February 3rd, Quarter Ends
 - February 8th, 2:30 PM – Grades must be finalized
 - February 10th, Report Cards sent home...

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- Please take a look at the attached PTO budget. The PTO would love to have your requests. The budget will be closing in another month or so, so please submit those requests! The next PTO meeting is February 14th.
- Site worth taking a look at, regarding Race relations:
<http://www.mnh.si.edu/exhibits/race/>
- Interesting article: <http://pollposition.com/2012/01/04/do-teachers-make-enough/>

A majority of Americans think U.S. school teachers do not make enough money. In a Poll Position national scientific telephone survey we asked, do you think school teachers in the U.S. are underpaid, overpaid, or make the right amount of money? More than half of Americans, 56% said teachers are underpaid, 24% think U.S. teachers make the right amount of money, 13% said teachers are overpaid, 8% did not have an opinion on the question.

- FALCON Post Cards... We have a number of falcon post cards in the main office. Please feel free to use these to recognize a child (and/or staff) that you feel has done a great job, they were purchased for this purpose!