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Fun Facts:

- *"I am" is the shortest complete sentence in the English language.
- *An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.
- *Stewardesses is the longest word that is typed with only the left hand.
- *The sentence "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." uses every letter in the alphabet.



Where has the time gone????

Personal time management skills are essential. People who use these techniques routinely are the highest achievers in all walks of life. As you learn to use these skills, you will find that you take control of your workload and your life. You need to focus and concentrate on the results of your task. So many of us spend too much time in a frenzy to get the job/task done and achieve very little.

Here are a few tips for better time management.

Set Goals-Write down your goals and assign a rate from 1 (unimportant) to 5 (very important). Use this rating to determine the order in which things should be done.

Beat Procrastination. Ask someone to check up on you. Peer pressure works!

Use a Schedule: Write down everything...this will minimize the stress by avoiding over-commitment and keep you focused on what needs to be done.

Do NOT Multi-task: It is much better to do one thing at a time well than multiples things sloppily.

Take advantage of these tips, and you will see how easily it becomes to be more productive in school and work. I know old habits are hard to break, but stay focus on your goals and you will achieve. The day is yours....make the most of it.

TWILIGHT...WHAT IS THE SPARKLE?????

So I don't get it....and maybe I never will....what is the Twilight craze??? It seems as though everyone I know is completely hooked on the books and now the movie. My daughter had her nose in these books for weeks on end and then was one of the first people in line to see the movie at the theater. I set my foot down when she asked if we could go to Wal-Mart at midnight to be one of the first people to get the movie.

I have heard plenty about Bella and how "hot" Edward is. I remember when I was young having a huge crush on Shaun Cassidy (ask your parents, they should know who he is). Anyway, I have asked a lot of questions and done some research to find out about this craze. This movie appeals to both genders as it is a great romantic story as well as an adventure. Twilight in some way is the story of a prince saving a princess; only the prince is a vampire. Bella is a strong and intelligent person and Edward enjoys his companionship with her just as much as how pretty she is. Bella on the other hand is attracted to Edwards's intelligence, wit and conversation. This story has great information to offer both guys and girls about what the opposite sex really desires because this movie shows both sides of what people want out of relationships. So remember girls, substance as well as style is what guys are attracted to in girls. As for the guys? Guys can learn a lot about sacrifices and what girls want. OK, so I guess I have convinced myself to at least give it a shot and see the movie. ☺



Your check this month will be _____.

Let me know if you have any questions!

Happy Birthday!

Kyle – 5th

Tiffany – 8th

Dara – 21st

David – 25th

Megan – 26th

Amanda – 27th

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Help Wanted

I need help with this newsletter. Please let me know if you can help with articles, pictures, poetry, hints or have any other ideas to improve the newsletter.

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DO YOU WANT TO MAKE \$1,000 THIS SUMMER???

It is that time of year to start thinking about the summer employment program. Every student in this program will have the opportunity to work for a 6 week period this summer making approximately \$8.00 an hour. You can even pick where you would like to work...the only stipulation is that the place you choose has to match your career goal. Let me know where you would like to work, and I will contact them to see if they are interested in the summer work experience program. CALL ME!



On April 10, 1912, the R.M.S. Titanic set sail from England on her maiden voyage to New York. She was the world's largest and most luxurious ship ever built at that time. At 11:40 PM on April 14, 1912, she grazed an iceberg. Although Titanic had been warned about icebergs several times that evening by other ships nearby, she was traveling at top speed when one grazed her side. Two hours and forty minutes later, the Titanic plunged to the bottom of the sea taking more than 1,500 people with her. Only 705 passengers were saved. The world was stunned as to the fate of the unsinkable Titanic. It carried some of the richest, most powerful industrialists of her day. In addition to the wealthy and middle class passengers, she carried poor immigrants seeking economic and social freedom in the New World.

Here are some interesting facts about the Titanic.

The ship was loaded with only enough lifeboats to hold half of the passengers.

Some of the lifeboats were lowered to the waters only half-full

Each first class passenger paid a whopping \$4,350 for a parlor suite ticket (that would be \$86,000 in today's money)

Of the 1523 people that died, only 306 bodies were recovered

The largest percentage of survivors came from first class passengers

It took three years to fully construct the ship

In 1985, the first pictures of the wreck were taken

