1. **SEVERE WEATHER AWARENESS WEEK**

MEMORANDUM: [Severe Weather Awareness Week](#): To focus attention upon the rapidly approaching tornado and severe weather season, the National Weather Service in conjunction with the Indiana Department of Education, Indiana State Police, Indiana Homeland Security and various other agencies announces **March 14-20, 2010** as Severe Weather Awareness Week.

Jeanne Zehr, ext. 1002

2. **PRINCIPAL MEETINGS**

- March 18 Joint Principals/Adm.  9-12 in the board room
- April 20 Elem. Principals   9-11 in the board room
- April 20 Second. Principals  1-3 at Park Hill, Room 220

Jeanne Zehr, ext. 1002

3. **BORDERS EDUCATOR APPRECIATION WEEK**

Every day in the classroom, at home, in lecture halls and within libraries across the country, the commitment of the professional educator shines. Borders is a longtime proponent for literacy and learning and strives to recognize each teacher, homeschooler, professor, religious educator, and librarian’s efforts to share the love of books and knowledge with their students. During **Educator Appreciation Week**, educators will be honored for hard work with an “apple” of their own by welcoming current and retired teachers, **Friday, March 19 – Saturday, March 27**, to receive a special discount in our stores. Educators will be enjoying a **30%** savings on personal and classroom purchases of books, CDs, DVDs, café items, gifts & stationery and more* when they bring in a current Classroom Discount Card, Educator ID with date, homeschool certification, or pay stub. For more information, please visit [www.borders.com/educators](http://www.borders.com/educators). Don’t miss the **Special Reception, Saturday, March 20 2:00 – 6:00 pm** at Borders stores nationwide.

Tamyra Kelly, ext. 1050

4. **BUDGET CONSIDERATIONS**

The Board of School Trustees met for a Special Session on Tuesday, March 9, from 9:00 to noon to discuss budget considerations in light of the necessity to make $4 million in reductions. Information about the meetings can be found under the Business Office tab of the EACS website. Please continue to send in cost reduction ideas by visiting the EACS website.
The next meeting to continue discussion will be held March 23 at 4:00 p.m. in the Board Room. The Board will approve reductions at its Regular Meeting on March 30, 2010.

Karyle Green, ext. 1001

5. ADDITIONAL MEETINGS REGARDING FINANCIAL PICTURE OF EACS

The following times have been established for meetings throughout the community to share information about the Financial Picture of EACS. These meetings will follow the same format as the meetings held in each of the schools.

Monday, March 15  5:30 p.m.  Leo Chamber
Wednesday, March 17  7:30 a.m.  New Haven Chamber
Wednesday, April 17  7:00 p.m.  Woodburn Chamber & Ministerial Assn

As meetings are scheduled throughout the community, dates and times will be listed in the bulletin.

Karyle Green, ext. 1001

6. EAST ALLEN EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION BREAKFAST

The East Allen Educational Foundation will have its annual Fundraising Breakfast on April 21 at 7:30 a.m. at Park Hill. There will be a silent auction. Tables of 8 are $50 and individual seating is available as well. The breakfast and auction will end by 8:30. Principals are asked to make this information available to parent and community organizations. Teachers who have first period release time are welcome to attend. Auction items will be listed in the bulletin as the date nears.

Rose Fritzheimer, ext. 3161
1. On March 7th Tom Ladig was recognized by Parkview Health (PHP) at Hoagland's Komet Hockey Night. Parkview Health gives an award to ‘People Helping People’. Mr. Ladig was recognized for all he does at Hoagland Elementary and how he keeps the building so clean for the safety of the students and staff. Mr. Ladig has been an employee of EACS since 1991.

CONGRATULATIONS MR. LADIG!