

Important information! Please read by May 1st.

Beginning May 1, 2009 the Kroger Cares program will end and the Kroger Community Rewards program will start! To continue earning money toward the Milford Band Program and your student's account all members will need to register their Kroger Plus card with the Milford Band Parents **ID#82738** and stop pre-loading their Kroger Cares gift card.

This program has been very successful to date! Please take a moment to apply for a Kroger Plus card at your local store and then register on line at:

www.krogercommunityrewards.com

Be sure to designate the Milford Band Parents (**ID#82738**) as your organization. Instructions below.

If you already have a Kroger Plus card you can go directly to the web site and register and designate Milford Band Parents (ID # 82738) as the organization to receive the community rewards when you make a purchase.

Milford Band Parents Inc. will receive a reward check each quarter based on the percentage of spending of our group in comparison to that of the other registered organizations. Kroger's will award up to \$500,000 per quarter.

Donating to the Milford Band Program will be easier for the participants because you will no longer need to pre load your gift card but earning will become more difficult for the organization. We will no longer receive 5% on all purchases. Kroger will limit the maximum amount they give out which is \$500,000 per quarter for **all** organizations registered and a maximum contribution per household per quarter. What exactly these maximum will be we do not know. They are awarding the money on a points system. Please continue to use this Kroger's Reward Program and register your Kroger Plus card before May1st and use it for all purchases at Kroger's. We may be very surprised and actually earn more money than in the past.

Kroger has reserved the right to change this program without notice.

Below are instructions on how to register.

Thank you for your support!

For those who do not have access to email, we should be receiving a hard copy with a bar code that we can copy and distribute to our parents and they can register right at the store. We don't have this yet.

How to: Kroger Community Rewards

Step 1: Type www.krogercommunityrewards.com into browser

- Step 2: Select your state (click on Michigan)
- Step 3: Scroll down and **Click on "Enroll"** (bottom of screen)
- Step 4: Click on **"Sign up Today!"** under New Customer section on right
(At the bottom of the box on right hand side)
- Step 5: Enter in your zip code and then **click "Find"**
- Step 6: Select your store
- Step 7: Enter in your email & password
- Step 8: **Click on "Confirm"**
- Step 9: Check box for agreement and **Click on "Confirm"**
- Step 10: Go to your e-mail (open e-mail "no-reply@Kroger.com.Last step
To activate you account preferences") **VERY IMPORTANT!!!!**
- Step 11: Click link in e-mail
- Step 12: Sign in: click on **Blue** "Click here" button then type in your
E-mail and password
- Step 13: Under Kroger Community Rewards Section at **right**; **Click "Edit
Kroger Community Rewards Information"**
- Step 14: Put in Kroger Plus Card Number (back of card starts with 4)
- Step 15: **Click on "Save Changes"**
- Step 16: Input address information and click **"Save Changes"**
- Step 17: Find your organization; Type in your organization (**82738**)
- Step 18: Click on organization name that you want (Milford Band Parents Inc)
- Step 19: Click on **"Save Changes"** **VERY IMPORTANT!!!!**
- Step 20: **You are now registered!!!!**
- Step 21: The most important of all... E-mail the number of your Kroger's
Plus Card and the student's name where you want funds designated to
Maryann Makkonen at jkgmakk@comcast.net**

**Any funds not designated by following Step 21 will go directly into the
general fund. It is your responsibility to get Maryann the information.**