

NEW for the 2014-15 School Year!

The Algonac Community School District is pleased to introduce a new program call *e-Funds for Schools*. This program offers various options for parents/guardians who *choose* to make payments online and is extremely user friendly. You will have the ability to have lunch payments electronically withdrawn from your checking account or charged to your credit card. The *e-Funds For Schools* service is offered to you by a third party service provider. The district does not request or keep records of family checking or credit card account information.

You are in full control of your account and can make a payment at any time that is convenient for you. **No payments will be allowed without your knowledge and authorization through this secure payment system.** By providing your home and/or work email address, an email notification informing you of the student's name, purpose of the payment, and the amount of the item will be sent to you each time that a payment is to be processed. The *e-Funds For School* site is secure and uses industry standard data encryption.

How does e-Funds for Schools work?

- Families set up and maintain their own logins, passwords, and payment preferences. Your account information is retained in a password-protected file.
- *e-Funds For Schools* will help to eliminate last minute check writing hassles, improve efficiencies, and help cut costs for both you and the school district.
- On-line payments will help eliminate the worry that your children could lose or forget the money intended for school items or that it might be spent on other non-school related items.
- Payments from a credit card or checking account may easily be set up.
- Parents/guardians may establish a reoccurring payment or may opt to make a one-time payment.
- Your payment history for the year is available with a click of the mouse
- For more information on e~Funds for Schools, go to our district eFunds Access page:
 - http://algonac.k12.mi.us/resources/parent_resources/efunds.html

