

# Sam's Club Awards \$1,000 In Gift Cards To Meadowmere Teachers

Grandview Sam's Club representatives presented \$1,000 worth of gift cards to ten Meadowmere Elementary teachers (\$100 each) on September 30 as a part of their Teachers Rewards program to purchase needed classroom supplies for the 2011-12 school year. Through the program, local Walmart stores, Distribution



Centers and Sam's Club® locations across the U.S. are eligible to select one local kindergarten through eighth grade public school and provide \$100 reward cards to 10 teachers from the selected school. Winning teachers can use the funds to purchase essential items for their classrooms such as paper, folders, binders, clipboards, pens, pencils, crayons and markers.

Presenting the cards were Grandview Sam's Club Todd Harris (Store Manager), Sandra Deffenbaugh (Assistant Store Manager) and Luke Zubeck (Advantage Card Representative). Meadowmere teachers receiving gift cards were Josie McClernon, Evelyn Jones, Nicole Cirese, Cheryl Worman, Mary Ann Toohey, Pam Pinkerton, Jennier Belk, Adrian Steinberg, Kalin Tapp and Stacie Kilgore. In its third year, the Teacher Rewards program is an extension of Sam's Club® ongoing support of education and local community involvement. In 2010, Walmart and its Foundation gave more than \$89 million to fund educational, health and children's programs to help students in communities across the country better prepare for their future.