



Penny War!



Battle for Blessings in a Backpack!

All Lake Orion elementary schools are holding a “Penny War” the week of
February 22nd – February 26th 2016
to raise funds for Blessings in a Backpack – Lake Orion!

The school who raises the most money (calculated on a per student basis) will win the
Blessings in a Backpack - Lake Orion

Penny War Trophy

to be held at the school for a year!
(Your school's name will be engraved on the trophy!)

So, look out that spare change and donate it to a great, local cause!



The Rules!

The **GOAL** of the Penny War is to collect as many **PENNIES** as possible in your grade's Penny Jar – and to put as many **NON-PENNIES** (nickels, dimes, quarters, notes, checks) in other grades' money jars! At the end of the War, the money collected in each jar is added up as follows:

Penny = 1 Point	\$1 bill = MINUS 100 Points
Nickel = MINUS 5 Points	\$5 bill = MINUS 500 Points
Dime = MINUS 10 Points	\$10 bill = MINUS 1,000 Points
Quarter = MINUS 25 Points	

Checks (made out to Blessings in a Backpack – Lake Orion) will count as MINUS points too!!

So, put pennies in your own grade's money jar and put everything else – nickels, dimes, quarters, paper money, checks into the jars of the other grades!! **STRATEGY COUNTS!** *(However, once money is in a jar it must stay there - it cannot be taken out and put it into another jar!)*

The winning school will be announced on Friday, March 4, 2016.

All money raised will go to Blessings in a Backpack - Lake Orion

For more information about Blessings in a Backpack – Lake Orion go to:

www.blessingsinabackpacklakeorion.org