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Virtue of the Week – Honesty

May 26, 2010 - Wednesday Bulletin



Principal's News

Principal Appreciation Day was wonderful! Your children made special cards. Thank you for your generous gift certificates. It was a lovely day for me!

Thank you to Mr. Mike Abbariki for coordinating the installation of the new lights in our gym.

This Friday is our 8th graders last day of school. Next week is a busy celebration week for them. The June calendar is enclosed.

6th and 7th grade Parents: Please remember that your children are invited to the 8th grade Graduation Dance on Friday, June 5th at **8:15 p.m.** **DO NOT DROP YOUR CHILDREN OFF EARLY.** Please have children remain in your car until 8:15 p.m. The formal attire is required. Girls should wear dresses or nice skirts of appropriate length, boys should wear shirts, ties and khaki pants with dress shoes. Pick up after the dance is 10:00 p.m. sharp! The cost is \$10 per person. Your children will not want to miss this great event!

8th grade Parents: Another list of reminders is enclosed in this envelope. Please save it and refer to it for all the special events coming up.

Enclosed please find a new 2010/11 family school volunteer activity letter for each family to fill out and return. Volunteering is a great way to meet other parents and support the school's mission. We need everyone to contribute in order to keep up the wonderful programs at St. Bart's. We are asking every family to find some way to volunteer at St. Bart's. Take time to read the letter and sign up for your choices. *Kathleen Miller, Principal*

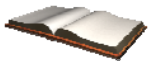


Update on The 2010 Snowflake Ball Pictures (Father/Daughter Dance)

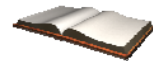
Enclosed you will find the 2010 photographs from the Father/Daughter Snowflake Ball. Thanks for your patience!

End of Year Reminder!

The end of year is near so we need to have all 2009/10 tuition, child care, church dues, & misc. financial obligations free and clear in order to receive your child's final report card and Terra Nova test scores.



Calling All Library Books! Please Send Them In!



Home & School News



Enclosed in your Wednesday envelope you will find a volunteer sign up. ***Please check off one item in each category.*** There are three categories to choose from: CYO, In School Activities, and Home and School Association Activities. You will only be assigned to two of the three areas. Please note if you have any preferences. This system will allow you to see what is on the horizon for next year and how you can contribute. It will not only help you to organize your participation in advance, but also will help the school prepare in advance so that the many activities and events that you attend are well planned. If we do not receive your preferences by next fall, we will proceed with assigning two activities for you. Positions will be filled as we receive them, so sign up early! Thank you, as always, for your support. If you have any questions, please email me at

jenmorton@gmail.com

Jennifer Bautista, HSA President

Hot Lunch Schedule



These are the last hot lunches for the school year. Thank you to everyone for volunteering to help serve the lunches. Special thanks to Magda Pettey for chairing the hot lunch program, Donna Sinai for picking up the *Mama Lucia* pizza and pasta lunches, and Dawn Ziemski for being the lunch volunteer coordinator.

Thursday, 05/27

Parent Volunteers:

Beef tacos with all the fixings & fruit

Elizabeth Gimblett, Nancy & Nick Triandafilou

FRI/MONDAY

NO SCHOOL - HOLIDAY

Tuesday, 06/01

Parent Volunteers:

Chicken Nuggets, chips, and fruit

Cindy Flores, Patty Keith, & Denise Nelson

Wednesday, 06/02

Parent Volunteers:

Macaroni & Cheese, fruit and roll

Mimi DuFour, Joni Fontana, & Beth Grisius

Thursday, 06/03

Parent Volunteers:

Cold Cut Sandwich, chips, and fruit

Courtney Bromley, Gena Conte, Elisa DeAngelis

CYO Soccer Announcement



Player registration for Fall Soccer will commence Monday, May 24th. Player registration will be on-line through the CYO section of the St. Bart's website, under the Registration link.

Coaches are needed at all grade levels. We need volunteer coaches in addition to players in order to register teams.

So far, Mrs. Gentilo has volunteered to coach 5/6 girls, and Mr. Bautista has volunteered to coach 5/6 boys.

Virtus Certification information - All adults age 18 and over who have substantial contact with youth (such as chaperones, youth ministry volunteers and catechists, coaches and scout leaders) must be in compliance with the Archdiocesan Child Protection Policy. All training and fingerprinting must be done through the ADW. Please call the school office for a fingerprinting package.

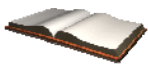
This includes completing FBI and Maryland state background checks before volunteering or working with children (fingerprinting is offered at three locations in the Archdiocese; reading the Archdiocesan Child Protection Policy; and attending a practical child protection workshop called Protecting God's Children (by Virtus).

If you have already completed the Archdiocesan Child Protection Policy because of other volunteer work with the school or Parish, you do not need to be re-certified to coach soccer.

Anyone interested in coaching, or questions on certification, please email Vince Steis, CYO soccer commissioner, at vsteis@aol.com as soon as possible.

Announcements

- Our condolences to the Collins family, (Connor 7th Gr., and Katie 4th Gr., for the paternal grandfather passed away last weekend. Also, our condolences to the Miller Family, (Jake 8th Gr., and Samantha 4th Gr.) maternal grandfather passed away.
- Thursday, May 27th - 8th grade graduation practice (all day) last day of school for 8th gr.
- Friday, May 28th - Faculty Retreat, No School for students
- Monday, May 31st - Memorial Day, No School
- Tuesday, June 1st - 8th grade class trip
- Wednesday, June 2nd - 8th grade Graduation- 6:00 p.m.
- Friday, June 4th - 8th grade graduation dinner 5:30 p.m.,
grade Dance 8:15 p.m. 6-8th
- June 7th- 11th - 12:30 p.m. Dismissal All Week. Pack a lunch all week. Aftercare available through Thursday, June 10th
- Friday, June 11th - Honors Mass at 11:00 a.m./ Last Day of School (No Aftercare)



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