

Virtue of the Month: JOY

June 12, 2008

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Upcoming Events

- Friday, June 13th,
Free Dress Day
- Saturday, June 14th,
8th Grade Graduation, 5:30PM Mass
- Monday, June 16th,
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Field Day
- Monday, June 16th,
Noon Dismissal
- June 23-27, Vacation
Bible School
- Thursday, June 26,
St. Francis School
Float Meeting,
6:00PM
- Monday, July 7th,
Auction Meeting,
7:00PM
- Tuesday, September
2nd, First Day of
School, Noon Dis-
missal, Meet the
Teacher

Message from the Principal

Dear Families,

I hope that your school year went well. From my vantage point, there were many highlights. I set the expectation bar high and I feel comfortable in saying that our students surpassed expectations. To me, our students embody the hope we are all trying to achieve for them and for our future society. The talents that they are beginning to discover in themselves are just beginning to bear fruit and this is a process that will continue into their futures. I know that there have been and will continue to be bumps along the way that things don't always go the way we would want, but overall, we had a year of many achievements and this is something to celebrate. It goes without saying that our Mission is to not only prepare them academically but to instill in them the qualities of living a moral life and a life animated by Faith.

I want to thank our teachers and staff and I want to thank our parents and extended family members that make the sacrifices to make Catholic Education a reality for our pupils. I would like to point out that we owe a great deal of gratitude to the work of those behind the scenes to bring about improvements to our school and certainly we owe Father McCarthy SJ, our gratitude for his untiring support of our school.

I am very excited to continue getting ready for next year. I will be working on a number of projects for the school and I will be doing some graduate work at the University of Portland. If you wish to contact me over the summer, I am here through June and once again in August. I am planning to take some time off in July, but I will be checking messages and will get back to you if you leave a voice mail- (503) 625-0497 x236

Michael Cantu,

Principal



News from the School Office

READ ANY GOOD BOOKS LATELY?

It's time to return all school library books to the cart in the atrium.

We are looking for volunteers for the Scrip program and Box Tops/Campbells labels for next year. Call the school office if interested. Box Tops/Campbells labels is a great way to earn share hours at home.

Stop by the school office to check out the Lost and Found. All unclaimed items by noon on the 16th will be donated to the Parish clothes closet.

Monday is Field Day. It is also noon dismissal. Snacks will be available for purchase during field day. (See enclosed flier). Each team has it's color: Kindergarten—orange, 1st grade—pink, 2nd grade—yellow, 3rd grade—purple, 4th/5th combined—red, 6th grade—blue. Wear something that has that color, a ribbon in your hair, a ribbon on your arm or shoe etc. You do not need to buy anything for this.

Summer School Office Hours:

June 17-19 9:30-3:30

June 20 9:30-noon

June 23-30 11:00-2:00

Closed July—we will check messages

August 18-29 9:30-3:30 Closed August 22 for Staff Retreat

Auction News

Auction Meetings 7PM-outside or in the Parish Hall. Are invited to attend.

July 7th

August 4th & 18th

September 8th, 22nd, 29th

October 6th

Be involved and earn a share hour for each meeting you attend.

Student Council News

Continue to send in food for our “lunchbox” food drive. *Let’s fill the atrium!*

PSO News

Meeting for the St. Francis School Float for the Sherwood Robin Hood Parade will be Thursday, June 26th at 6PM at the playground (weather permitting-otherwise in the Parish Hall).

St. Francis Parish News

Vacation Bible School News: Vacation Bible School is rapidly approaching...less than a month to go! More volunteers and donations of supplies are needed. Contact Mara Cowan if you are interested in volunteering or have any questions at 503.625.9084. Please turn in your VBS forms as soon as possible.

Other News

Jesuit High School is offering Summer School Classes, Athletic Summer Camps (variety of sports and age groups) and a Summer Theatre Program for children grades 1-12. Information is available in the school office.

La Salle is offering summer credit and enrichment courses for 7th-12 graders and sports camps for 3rd-12th graders. For details visit www.lshigh.org or call 503.353.1413.

La Salle Cheerleading Clinic is for Kindergartners-8th graders on Wednesday, August 27th from 10am-3pm. Registration is at 9:30am. To register or for more information contact Cindy at 503.652.5923 or cinder_bug@yahoo.com

Central Catholic High School Basketball Camp is for boys entering 5th-9th grades in the Fall. Cost is \$100 per week. Camp I is June 23-June 26 and Camp II is June 30th-July 3. Register online at www.centralcatholichigh.org

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