

St Norbert WEEKLY NEWS

PARISH SCHOOL

October 30, 2006

Upcoming Events

October 31

Halloween ~ Costumes for all grades

November 1

All Saints Day
Mass at 8:30

November 3

NO SCHOOL
Teacher Inservice

November 7

6th Grade Retreat

November 9

8th Grade Mater Dei High School Visit

November 10

Christian Service Children's Boutique

November 11

Fiesta Dinner
8th Grade DC Fundraiser

November 14

8th Grade Santa Margarita High School Visit
Parent Guild Meeting

November 20

Re-Take / Make-Up School
Picture Day

November 22

Thanksgiving Mass
12:20 dismissal

November 23 & 24

Thanksgiving Holidays
NO SCHOOL

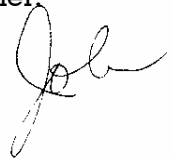
Dear Parents,

Happy Halloween!!! Be safe tomorrow night as you take your children out for "Trick or Treating." Also remember that the students are able to wear costumes to school tomorrow. I would like to remind you that costumes need to be tasteful, modest, and non-gory. In addition, **NO COSTUME ACCESSORIES** (i.e. masks, weapons of any kind, wands, etc.) will be allowed. Students must be able to move and sit freely and safely in their costumes. Any students wearing a costume deemed inappropriate by the faculty and/or administration will be asked to call their parents to bring their school uniform. This day is intended to be an enjoyable one for everyone including myself. Please use good judgment in selecting costumes.

I wish to thank Jacob Conway and his committee, as well as all the students, for making Red Ribbon Week a great one. It was a great week to celebrate being drug free but also a great reminder to say NO to drugs. A special thanks to the Felix Garza family for arranging for our speaker, Corporal John Reed, a retired Santa Ana Police D.A.R.E. officer. It was a wonderful presentation with a great message.

Wednesday, November 1, is All Saints Day. There will be an all school Mass at 8:30 a.m. to honor the Saints. All are welcome to join us. Also, Friday, November 3, is a Diocesan Teacher In-service Day; therefore, there is no school or daycare on this day. Enjoy your three-day weekend. One last calendar item: Thursday, November 16, will be Fall Fundraising Reward Day. The Pig Races will take place in the afternoon. Thank you again to all of you for your support in making this Fall Fundraiser successful by you 100% participation.

Until next week, enjoy the rest of the week and pray for one another.



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IT'S FIESTA DINNER TIME!



Please join us on November 11, 2006, in the Ministry Center for a delicious Mexican Dinner including two enchiladas, beans, rice and dessert. Dinner will be served from 5:00 – 8:00

p.m. You can eat with friends, or take it home!

Pre-sale tickets can be purchased from any St. Norbert 8th grade student for \$6.00, or \$7.00 at the door.

Proceeds support the 8th grade trip to Washington DC. *Gracias!!*

HELP FOR HURRICANE KATRINA VICTIMS



The St. Norbert Biloxi Outreach Team is collecting small items to be delivered during our humanitarian mission.

WE NEED

- basic school supplies (pens, pencils, markers, and crayons)
- small stuffed animals (Beanie Baby size)
- home-made cards

A plastic storage collection container will be placed in front of the school office from October 30, 2006 through November 3, 2006.

Our St. Norbert team and our brothers and sisters of Biloxi thank for your kindness and generosity. Please keep us in your prayers

HOT LUNCH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Hot Lunch volunteers are needed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 12 to 1. It's a quick and easy way to earn service hours! Call Cam Spieckerman at 289-1306 for more information.

SAVE YOUR RECEIPTS



Need new ideas for the kids' lunches? Stop by Trader Joe's for all your lunch-time purchases. Everyone will be thrilled with their tasty and healthful lunches. After you pack that lunch, don't forget to "pack your receipt" and stop by Customer Service in the mall or send it into the school office. It's not too late to get triple points from the following merchants: Wild Noodles, Quizno's Subs and any kiosk or cart located in The Village at Orange (Triple points end 10/31). All stores are participating in the Tools 4 Schools program, both in the mall and greater parking lot area, including Tuesday Morning and CVS.

WELCOME

Please welcome Mrs. Ciriza, our new Extended Daycare Homework Room Teacher. She will be taking students to Room 1 which has been set aside just for quiet homework. The Homework Room involves Grades 1-8, Tuesday through Thursday.

SHARPIE PENS NEEDED



In January, students will be participating in a unique art lesson through the *Meet The Masters* program here at school. Students will be creating stained glass windows similar to those in the St. Norbert Church. In order to complete this lesson, we will need **LOTS of permanent Sharpie brand pens**. We will need at least 36 black pens, and a wide variety of colors. If you have any used Sharpie pens at home, or would be willing to donate some new pens, just put them in the basket in the office. If you have any questions, please call Kim Collell at 281-4340. Thank you!

WHERE DO YOU GROCERY SHOP?



Von's, Ralph's, Albertson's, Stater Brothers and Smart & Final want to give St. Norbert School money! It is easy to earn your family scrip profit by just swiping your registered Club Cards. Or if you shop Von's, Albertson's, Stater's or Smart & Final, you can purchase gift cards after school or by sending in your order/payment and your order will be sent home with your student.

Did you know there are two ways to earn Von's and Albertson's credit? One is to purchase gift cards to use at the register in the store AND swipe your registered club card. Now that is a great deal!

To register your Club Cards visit:

Von's – www.escrip.com

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(In the community program)

Need help? Contact Christine, 685-9874. Happy shopping!

