

St Norbert PARISH SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWS

January 29, 2007

Upcoming Events

January 28 - February 2
Catholic Schools Week

February 2

First Friday

Mass at 8:30

Progress Reports

12:20 dismissal

February 9

Junior High Valentine's
Dance

February 13

Parent Guild Meeting,

7 p.m.

First Reconciliation

Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

February 14

♥ Valentine's Day

February 19

Presidents' Day

NO SCHOOL

February 21

Ash Wednesday

February 22

Jeans for Jesus

February 23

Talent Show

Dear Parents,

Kindergarten Round-up was this past Wednesday. We welcomed 11 siblings and 16 new families so far. If you have a child who will be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2007, contact the school office. You also need to be aware that we will be testing on January 30 (tomorrow). We have scheduled the testing earlier than in past years due to the request of parents needing the information early in order to make their decisions. Please call the school office for an appointment.

Good news! We welcome Mrs. Maria Phillips as our new First Grade Classroom Aide. Mrs. Phillips has been a St. Norbert School parent since 1998.



Catholic Schools Week begins today and continues through February 2. I hope that you will be able to participate in as many events as possible as we celebrate our presence in Orange. The schedule is as follows:

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| Sunday | Kick-off Catholic Schools Week
Alumni Mass, 9:0 a.m.
Pancake Breakfast, 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon
St. Norbert School Open House, 10 a.m. to 12 noon |
| Monday | Volunteer Appreciation Day
Special Recognition Card sent to Volunteers |
| Tuesday | Parent Appreciation Day
Coffee and Donut Drive Through for all parents in the morning
carpool line
Love Money for Parents |
| Wednesday | Student Appreciation Day
Citywide Catholic School Prayer Service, 8:15 a.m. in front of
school
Extra recess
All school movie
Spirit Rally, 2:15 p.m. |
| Thursday | Community Appreciation Day
Cookies delivered by Student Council to community |
| Friday | Teacher Appreciation Day
Teachers switch classrooms
Volleyball Game Teachers vs. Students, 11:30 a.m.
Teacher Luncheon |

Please feel free join us when ever you can to celebrate our existence.

God bless,

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A NEW TWIST ON THINGS

This year, the **Rhinstone Roundup** committee is not holding its usual underwriting dinner. Instead, we're hosting a ladies' Bunco party that is sure to be a hoot. So, if you and your posse are interested in the best of the best premier table on the night of the auction, be sure you contact Monica Farley 630-7872 or Joan Doyle 282-1082 so they can make sure you get fine treatment on auction night.



GIFT GATHERING REMINDER

Gift Gathering for the **Rhinstone Roundup** is in full swing. Your donations - large or small - will add fun and profit to the evening. Need ideas?? Check our Auction page on the school web site: www.stnorbertchurch.org/school/annual_auction under "Gift Gathering" for suggestions. If you have a large, fragile or expensive item that you would rather not leave at the school office, call Adele 637-6489 or Christine 685-9874 to arrange for drop-off or pick-up.

BUNCO PARTY

Don't forget to turn in your RSVP for the Mom's Bunco Party on February 2. We'll have dessert, prizes, and a hootin' good time, but we need to know how many to expect. Friends & relatives are welcome to join in the fun.

DAD'S NIGHT

Not to be outdone by the ladies, St. Norbert Dads are planning another Underwriting Event! Watch for more details in next week's Monday envelope.

DON'T MISS THE BOOK FAIR



The Book Fair continues this week through Wednesday, Younger students may bring money/checks in envelopes with their orders and we will assist them with their purchases.

Parents are always welcome to come with their student during their buying time or after school. Please make checks payable to St. Norbert School. We will also be accepting credit cards for the Book Fair. **Please make sure to add 7.75% tax to your order totals.** Questions?? Call Mrs. Bartholemy at 637-6822 ext. 208.

THANK YOU



The Meet The Masters Team would like to thank everyone for their generous donations of Sharpie pens! We got a great variety of colors. We hoped you enjoyed seeing the student's stained glass window art on display at Open House. This art project was based on the works of Isabel and Edith Piczek, the same artists who did the stained glass windows, altar mural, and Stations of the Cross in St. Norbert Church.

LAST CALL FOR JANUARY RECEIPTS FROM THE VILLAGE AT ORANGE



It's still not too late to get **DOUBLE POINTS** in January! All receipts from the Village at Orange dated September 1, 2006 to the end of January will earn double points for SNPS.

For those of you who shop early for your special Valentine, don't forget about Hallmark, See's Candy, Borders, and NYX Stella. Just take your receipts to the Customer Service counter in the mall or send them into the school office.

SNPS GIFT OF LOVE



The Faith & Mission Committee will be collecting gently used books, educational videos/cassettes/CD's for our sister parish school, St. Barbara's in Santa Ana. We will be collecting the items from February 12 through February 16 just in time for St. Valentine's Day and Lent. Start gathering your items and watch for more information. Questions?? Contact Donna Garza at 615-0537.

HAPPY FEET



Dance and Gymnastics classes taught by Happy Feet are open to all children ages 5 and up at Saint Norbert School and are held in the Old Parish Hall from 3:15 - 4:00 p.m. every Wednesday. If your child would like a free trial class just stop on by or let them know! Happy Feet: 806-3382

NEED GROCERIES?



Earn Scrip credit while you grocery shop! Albertson's (4%) and Vons (3%) gift cards can be used to pay for your purchase and earn your Albertson's AND Escript credit each time you swipe your Club Card. If you shop with a Stater Bros. gift and spend about \$100.00 a week x 52 weeks your Scrip profit will be about \$300.00 ... just for buying your groceries!

To register your Ralph's Club Card visit www.Ralphs.com and follow the instructions. To register your Escript/Von's card visit www.escrip.com; for Albertson's Club Card, visit www.albertsons.com and follow the "In the Community" instructions. (If the last name is different than the school family name please send in the information to the Scrip office.) Questions or need assistance contact Christine, 685-9874.