

January 26, 2012

St. Paul Parish School
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COMING EVENTS

- 1/27** Noon Dismissal
- 1/29** Pancake Breakfast after 8:00am and 10:30am Masses
- SUNDAY**
- 1/29** Annual SPPS Open House 11:30-1:30
- 2/1** Talent Show 1:00pm in PH
- 2/2** CSW Mass at Marist High School 9:00am
- 2/2** PTC Parent Info Nite: Internet Safety 7:00pm
- 2/6** Marist Info Nite for grades 5-8

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St. Paul Parish School

Voyager

A Voyage in Faith and Learning

Faith. Academics. Service.

Catholic Schools



Notes from the Principal

Dear St. Paul Families,

Today, students in first through eighth grades attended a presentation given by Crime Prevention Specialist Tod Schneider of EPD. The focus of his presentation was internet safety. At age-appropriate levels, he shared and discussed information about identity theft, cyber-bullying, and pedophiles on the internet. Included in this edition of the Voyager is an informational sheet regarding internet safety tips for kids and their parents. Next week, Mr. Schneider will host an internet safety night for St. Paul parents. Information is included in this Voyager. Thank you to our SAC Student Enrichment Chair, Sherilyn Schwartz, for organizing this opportunity for both our students and parents.

Next week, we will join together with other Catholic schools across our country to celebrate Catholic Schools Week. The theme this year is "Catholic Schools: Faith. Academics. Service." These three priorities make Catholic schools stand out from other education institutions. Children are taught faith – not just the basic tenets of Christianity, but how to have a relationship with God.

Children are taught academics, which in Catholic schools are held to very high standards, to help each child reach his or her potential. They experience service, the giving of one's time and effort to help others, as an expression of both faith and good citizenship.

Monday morning we will begin the week with a prayer service celebrating Catholic schools. There are many events, including the all Catholic schools Mass at Marist, the talent show, and a visit from Fr. David Jaspers, a St. Paul graduate. We will also celebrate the success of our magazine drive. Tuesday will be "Bounce House Day" and 6th grade student, Connor Fitzpatrick, will be Principal for the Day. Mr. Fitzpatrick has awarded a free dress day to all students on Tuesday!

Finally, I am very happy to announce that Mrs. Tristyne Huffman has joined our staff as the new instructional assistant in our preschool and pre-kindergarten program. Working with children has always been important to Mrs. Huffman. Please help us warmly welcome her to the St. Paul staff.

In His Peace,

Kelli Braud

Announcements

Annual Open House
Sunday, January 29
11:30am-1:30pm

Come one, call all and join us for the afternoon.

Open House Clean up

Help is needed for tomorrow morning, Friday, January 27. We believe that with a committed group of helpers we can polish up the school and grounds between 8:30 and the noon dismissal.



Hot Off the Griddle!

7th Grade Pancake Breakfast
Sunday, January 29
After 8:00 & 10:30 Masses

Please join us this Sunday, January 29th in the St. Paul Parish Hall for a delicious pancake breakfast benefiting Project Starfish. Our 7th graders and their parents will be hosting this event. Breakfast will be served after the 8am and 10:30am Masses. Admission is \$5 per person or \$15 per family. Please contact Scott Ahrens at school (541-344-1401) or Mary Harwood (541 543-7054) with any questions.

Remember to return your permission slips for Marist Catholic Schools Week Mass!

BOUNCE DAY!
FREE DRESS DAY
TUESDAY, 1/31

2012-13 SY Registration

Registration season for the 2012-13 school year is already upon us! We will keep you updated with news every week. At this time, the things to make note of are as follows:

- Timeline for Registration 2012-13 is attached to this Voyager
- Currently enrolled students will automatically roll into the next year. No need for new applications for our own students.
- Applications for SIBLINGS are due before January 31. Please don't assume we know about your incoming child unless we have an application on file. Beginning February 1, we will work to fill any available class openings for the fall.
- Parish Subsidy request forms are available in the office.
- You can now apply online for FACTS Tuition Assistance through 3/23/2012 at Factstuitionaid.com.

2012-13 Tuition Assistance

www.factstuitionaid.com

If you would like to start applying for financial aid for the next school year, please go to www.factstuitionaid.com. Applications need to be in the system by March 23, 2012 in order to be considered. The new tuition amount will be determined by the end of January, but you can just put in \$4970.00 for now. Remember, there is no aid available for pre-school or pre-kindergarten students. Please call Lynda with any questions.

Parent Information Night: Internet Safety

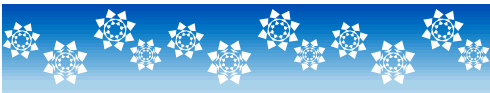
Thursday, February 2, 7:00pm

Crime Prevention Specialist, Tod Schneider of the EPD will present on the timely topic of internet safety and our children next Thursday, Feb. 2 at 7:00pm.

"E-Parenting: Online Safety"

They connect to it. They download from it. They watch on it. They listen to it. They play on it. They surf on it. They converse with it. Do you know how to monitor it? Come, learn tips and information on how to keep kids safe online.

New SCRIP order coming next week!



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BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT CONTACTS

Eric Riechers	Security/Admissions	541-683-7653
Richard Proulx	Concessions	541-747-6034
Joe & Mary Harwood	Food Service	541-988-3042
Stacey Loboy	Dance	541-654-0111
Jeff Krier	Advertising	541-687-7899

Or contact **Mel Damewood**, Tournament Chair at 541-343-9214 or **Krista Johnson** at the school for general questions.

BOUNCE DAY!

All School Magazine Drive Goal Celebration!

We are in desperate need of volunteers to help supervise students during "Bounce Day" on Tuesday, January 31st. In accordance with our contract with Destination Events we are required to have 2-4 supervisors for each apparatus.

We are offering two shifts –
8:00am to 11:30am – need 5 more volunteers
11:30am to 3:00pm – need 6-8 more volunteers

Please Contact Krista Johnson if you would like to help out. FPP hours apply.



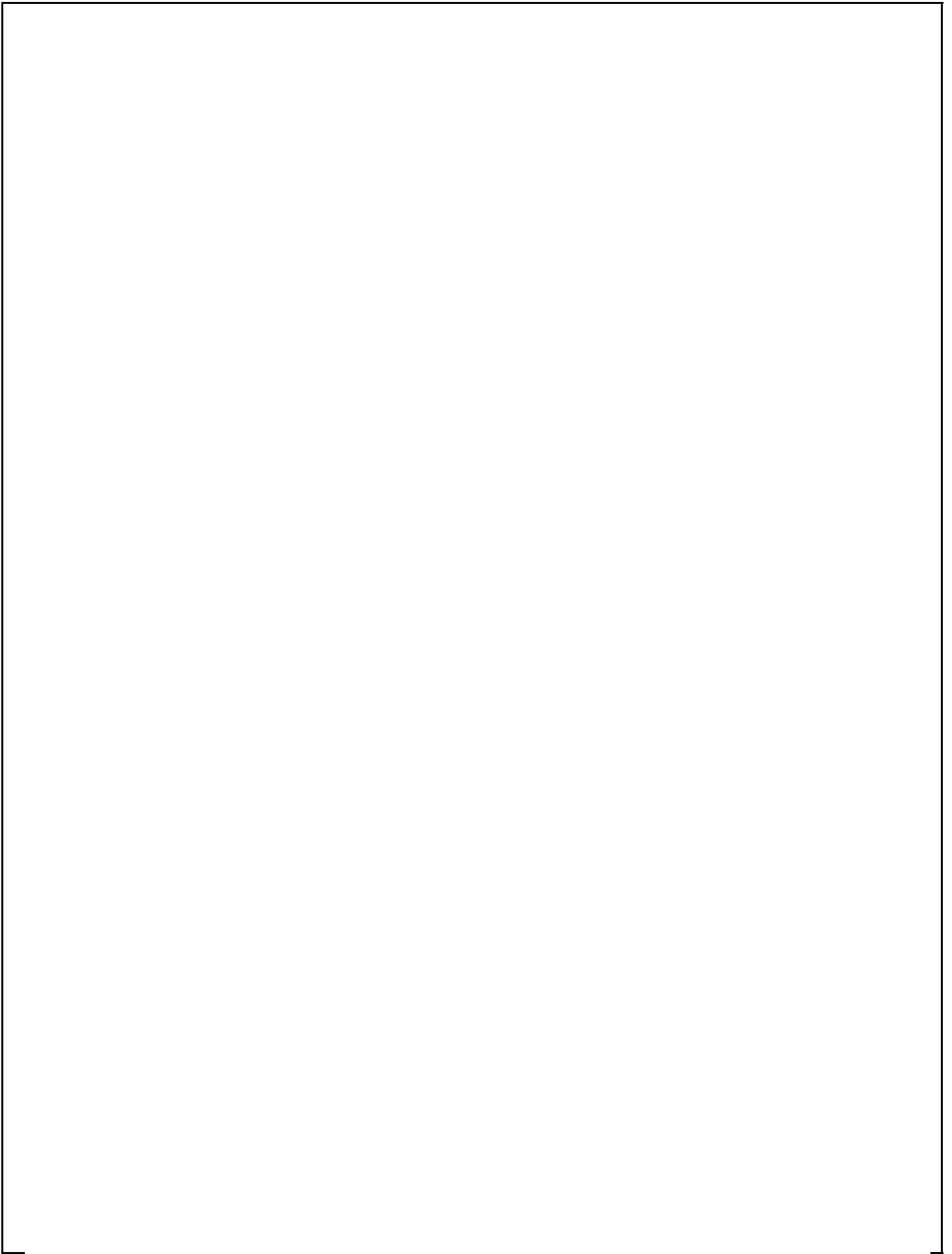
ST. PAUL TOURNAMENT OF EXCELLENCE FEBRUARY 17-19

Three weeks and counting!
Don't miss this great family traditional event held at Marist Catholic High School – Presidents weekend, February 17-19. Contact one of the following chairs if you would like to help out- FPP hours apply.

RAFFLE BASKETS FOR BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

We are seeking donations to put together 4 raffle baskets for the basketball tournament. The basket themes are – University of Oregon, Oregon State, "Family Fun Night" and a wine/kitchen basket. If you would like to donate an item (or cash and we'll shop) for the baskets please bring it to the office by **Friday, February 10th**. Your support is truly appreciated. Please contact Krista Hughes (mom of Hayden in 8th grade) at 541-912-0067 with any questions.





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