



Saint Martin of Tours School

Spread the Seeds of Peace

Week 34

May 4, 2007

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Notes from Mrs. Marshall The Parish Board of Education

The last Parish Board of Education meeting for this school year is scheduled for Monday, May 14, 2007 at 7:00P.M. in Runge Hall. A discussion regarding changes for next year will be presented. Board members are still needed. Please contact Mr. Alex Lantos at alrox@msn.com if you would like to serve on this board.

Gift of Sight Foundation (FIX)

A Free Eye Exam will be held at Hancock Elementary on May 8th and 9th and at Hancock Elementary School and on Thursday, May 10th at Hancock Middle School. The time is from 9:00 –3:00 each day. Please contact Cathy @ (314) 578-1245 to schedule an appointment. Free eye glasses will be provided if needed. Contact the St. Martin of Tours school office to obtain more information and a parental consent form.

St. Vincent DePaul Canned Food Drive

This is the last service project for this school year. Students are asked to bring in nonperishable foods as a way to say Thank You for this wonderful school year. Our food pantry is in need of re-stocking items as protein foods; canned ham, tuna, chicken, canned pasta with meat, soups. etc. Additional items may include; diapers, toiletries, shampoo, deodorant, and paper products. Please bring in your donations by May 16th as this will be part of our Offertory Gifts for our all school mass on May 18th.

SCRIP Purchases

The deadline for purchases to fulfill the SCRIP requirement for 2006-2007 is Thursday, May 31st. The quota for the year was \$900.00 per family. SCRIP is available at the rectory, through school on Friday, and after the weekend masses. Schnuck's eScrip Cards are available at the rectory and at all Schnuck's stores. There is no cost for this card. Just sign up as an eScrip user, register with St. Martin of Tours, and present the card at the register BEFORE your order is started. The parish receives a percent of the purchase just for using your card. This is the easiest fundraiser around. Just save your receipts, label them with your name, and turn them in to the school office to receive credit for your scrip requirement. Tell your neighbors and friends to register their card for St. Martin of Tours to help our parish with this EASY fundraiser. If you have questions regarding your SCRIP total, please contact Laura Hobbs (638-0260). Please continue support this easy parish fundraiser throughout the year.

Boxtops and U'S Again

Thank you to Mrs. Susan Jones for her outstanding efforts in putting together the box top collection. Again we raised an additional \$364.68. Thank you for cutting, sorting, and submitting these throughout the year. We really appreciate all you do for SMT.

The Clothing Bin has earned \$37.10 for the 4th Quarter of '06 and 1st Quarter '07. Thank you for your support of this fundraiser.

Physicals

In order to comply with mandatory Archdiocesan and state regulations, all students entering grades K,3, and 6 must have a physical exam prior to the beginning of the school year. Please call to schedule your child's appointment soon, as summer appointment times fill quickly. Contact the school office, if you are in need of a SMT physical form.

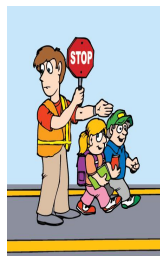
Please remember to attend Mass this weekend. May God Bless you as you continue to "Spread the Seeds of Peace."

The Week In Review: May 7 -May 11, 2007

<p>7 <u>Monday</u> Mass grades 5-8</p> <p>Concert Band</p>	<p>8 <u>Tuesday</u> Mass grades 1-4</p> <p>Schola</p>	<p>9 <u>Wednesday</u></p> <p>Concert Band</p> <p>SMT Library—Turn in Day Only</p>	<p>10 <u>Thursday</u></p> <p>BirthDay Dress Down</p> <p>Gus' Pretzel Fundraiser</p> <p>SMT Library - Turn in Day Only</p>	<p>11 <u>Friday</u> All School Mass</p> <p>Volunteer Appreciation Mass and Breakfast</p>
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Lunch Menu

Monday, May 7 – Mini corn dogs with cheese, baked fries, tossed salad, and chocolate cake
Tuesday, May 8– Taco salad with chips, re-fried beans, jello, and a chocolate chip cookie
Wednesday, May 9 – Chicken patty on a bun w/lettuce, tomato, and cheese, mashed potatoes, corn, and a brownie
Thursday, May 10 —Hot dog with cheese, chili, carrots and celery w/peanut butter & ranch, and a sugar cookie
Friday, May 11- Toasted ravioli with sauce, au gratin potatoes, and ice cream
REMINDER: 1% Milk is served with all meals.



Safety Patrol (May 7–May 11) Corner (PM Only)

Ben E.
Nick L.

East Lane	West Lane
Katherine C.	Molly D.
Ryan S.	Nick M.

The Men’s Club would like to thank all the wonderful volunteers who helped to make the Parish Bar-B-Q a success. Over 650 dinners were sold last weekend. Thank you to everyone who supported this fundraiser with either their hard work or their purchases.

The **St. Louis Office of Vocations** is offering a Summer Camp for Girls in grades 6-9 (for the 2007-2008 school year). **Camp Mater Dei** is a weekend of fun and spiritual growth, with an opportunity to learn more about God’s call to be faith-filled Catholics. The camp will take place at the Catholic Camps of America in Dutzow, Missouri from Friday, July 22 through Sunday, July 22, 2007. Contact the St, Martin of Tours Office for more information or a registration form.

Are you ready!

This year’s parade theme will be “**SMT has School Spirit**”. The colors will be blue and yellow and you are welcome to be creative and make pom poms, pennants, banners, megaphones, anything to show your school spirit. As always we will be collecting candy for the parade and we are always looking for cars, clowns, etc. Please call Diane Julius at 544-9258 for more information.

The **Student Council election** process is currently underway. Campaign posters may be displayed beginning Monday, May 7, and “live” speeches will be broadcast on Friday, May 11. Elections will be held on Monday, May 14th.

Information regarding **Summer Camps** and learning opportunities is available in the school office. Please be mindful that many of the applications have deadlines, so don’t delay. Call the office today to find out more about the free Mehlville Summer School Learning Academy to be held from Monday, June 4 through Thursday, June 28, 2007. The four week session will run Monday through Thursday each week and will take place at Blades Elementary School on Patterson Road.

Golf Tournament to Help Catholic Schools

The annual Ryan/Governal Golf tournament will be held Saturday, June 16, 2007 at Eagle Springs Golf Course, 2575 Redman Road in North County. Registration is at noon and the shotgun start is at 1:15 P.M. The tournament, sponsored by the archdiocesan Catholic Education Office, honors the late Ellen Ryan and Sister Mary Ann Governal, OSF, two Catholic educators who died in an automobile accident in 1996. The two were staff members of the Catholic Education Office. Funds generated from the tournament go to support innovative programs in Catholic schools, and parish schools of religion. The cost of the 18 hole tournament is \$95 per person which includes an awards dinner, golf balls, tees and attendance prizes. For more information or to make a donation in the name of Sister Mary Ann Governal or Ellen Ryan, call 314-792-7304.

Athletic Association News: Sign-ups for **Soccer** and **Volleyball** will be held on the following date and times.

Sunday, May 6	9:00 - 12:30
Sunday, May 13.	9:00 - 12:30
Monday, May 21	6:00 - 8:00.

Eighth Grade Exam Schedule

Reading	Thursday, May 10
Religion	Friday, May 11
Music	Monday, May 14
Science, English	Tuesday, May 15
Math	Wednesday, May 16
Social Studies	Thursday, May 17