

# SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

" A Community of Faith and Knowledge"



Notes from Mrs. Marshall

## STUCO News

Student Council sponsored a fund-raising event to benefit Our Lady's Inn this past week. Each classroom had a positive bucket for money they donated while other members of the school community donated to the negative bucket. At the end of the week the negative was subtracted from the positive resulting in the class total gain. The winning classroom to have the most money left in their positive bucket was Grade 8. Congratulations for your diligence in maintaining positive cash. Over-all \$401.22 was collected for Our Lady's Inn. Thanks to all the students who generously gave to help support this worthy cause. This was a true gift of heart as there were no prize incentives.

## Confirmation

Thank you to all the 7th&8th grade parents and sponsors who attended the meeting last Monday. This was a time to reflect on the meaning of

confirmation and how they will share this Sacrament with their Confirmation candidate. Each is called to be a role model to live and share their faith .

Just a reminder the sponsor forms are due. It is important that you contact Fr. Ferrara with any questions regarding the completion of this form.

## First Eucharist

Family Day for Second Grade is scheduled for next Saturday, March 8th, from 9:30-11:30 A.M. in Runge Hall. Please bring an old shirt as part of the activities involve paint.

## Incarnate Word Grant

4th and 5th grades are privileged to have faculty from Young Audiences provide a five session workshop. 5th grade is working with Mr. Adam Rugo on Soundscape, and the art of applying sound and sound effects to a story. Each student will receive a copy of the CD upon completion of the course.

4th grade will begin next week with Ms. Jacqueline

Masei on Playback Theatre. The students will learn the art of storytelling while developing their listening skills and the ability to recall past events in story form. SMT is pleased to have been awarded these programs through the Incarnate Word Young Audiences Grant Program.

## Scholastic Book Fair

The Book Fair begins this weekend and runs through the week, Students will attend the Book Fair during their scheduled library periods on Wednesday and Thursday. The Book fair will be open each day after school from 3-4PM. Please help to support this Fund raising activity. Thank you to Mrs. Hobbs and all the volunteers who help to make this possible.

## Spring Picture Day

Remember to dress for Spring Pictures on Wednesday, March 5th. You may bring a small prop to have in your photo. There are no retakes for this photo session so please plan accordingly.

May God bless your week.

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## Lunch Menu

Student Lunch—\$2.50

Adult Lunch \$2.75

Milk—30 cents

☺ Monday— Chili with crackers, salad, corn, and a cookie

☺ Tuesday—Hamburger on a bun, cheese, pickles, oven fries, green beans, and Jell-O

☺ Wednesday— , BBQ pork patty on a bun, parslid potatoes, peas and a brown

☺ Thursday—Hot dogs, triangle potatoes, veggies and ranch dip, and peaches

☺ Friday— 12:30 Dismissal No Lunch served

## Safety Patrol

### Corner (P.M. only)

Jordan H.  
Katherine C.

### East Lane

Jackson R.  
Kristen B.

### West Lane

Alexis S.  
Brendan H.

## Week at a Glance March 3 — March 7, 2008

Monday 3	Tuesday 4	Wednesday 5	Thursday 6	Friday 7
Mass Grades 5-8	Mass Grades 1 -4 <i>Good Behavior Dress Down Day</i>	1st-4th <b>Book Fair</b> Region 7 Principals' Meeting @SMT <i>Spring Pictures</i>	(K) and Grades 5—8 Scholastic Book Fair	All School Mass. <i>12:30 Dismissal Faculty Meeting</i>

Scholastic Book Fair open from 3:00—4:00 P.M. each day after school Mon. — Thurs.

**Shop'n Save** is currently running a promotion where shoppers can earn 100 **Labels for Education**

**Bonus Points** when they buy participating Campbell's products. Please visit the store for more details. Thank you for your continued support of the BoxTop and Campbell Soup Labels for Education Programs.

**Classroom Focus** You might be as smart as a 5<sup>th</sup> grader, but are you as healthy as a 4<sup>th</sup> grader? Over the next six weeks the fourth grade class will be studying ways to keep our bodies healthy as part of a health awareness class being taught by Mrs. Duncan. We will cover topics like the food pyramid, healthy serving sizes, the benefits of exercise: cardio and strength-training, sun protection, and personal hygiene. To find out if we are eating healthy, we will be keeping a food journal for 2 weeks, jotting down everything we eat and how much is eaten, then comparing this with the guidelines set by the United States Department of Agriculture. We will also record daily the number of sit-ups, push-ups, and jumping jacks we can do in 1 minute, eager to increase our numbers over a two week period. Together, we hope to become a more fit and healthy fourth grade class!

### St. Patrick's Day

#### All-You-Can-Eat Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner

Saturday, March 15, from 12:00 - 7:00 P.M.

**Mass that day will be at 4:00**

**Adults - \$7.00 in Advance/ \$8.00 at the door**

**Children 12 and under - \$3.00**

#### Advance tickets on sale:

March 1-2 and March 8-9 after Mass

Weekdays 9:00—3:00 in the Rectory

Friday, March 14 6:30 - 8:30 in Runge Hall



#### St. Patrick's Day Raffle Prizes—\$1 each or 6 chances for \$5

**1st Prize**—4 Cardinal Field Box Tickets

**2nd Prize**—\$200 Dierbergs Gift Certificate

**3rd Prize**—\$100 Belli Flori Florist Gift Certificate

**4th Prize**—\$100 Kenrick Meats Gift Certificate

#### Additional Recess Parents needed for Monday and Friday.

##### Recess Parents Weekly Schedule:

<b>Monday:</b>	Kellie Tritch Michelle Martin
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Teresa Barnett Lisa Blassie Michelle Martin
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Malisa Lee Stephanie Stotts Michelle Martin
<b>Thursday:</b>	Lisa Blassie Michelle Martin Teresa Barnett
<b>Friday:</b>	Melissa Froidl Peggy Orton Beth Spies

**\*Kindly call a sub if you are unable to be here.**

#### BAND SCHEDULE March 3-7

	Mon.	Tues.
12:30	Concert	Beginning
1:15	TBD	Concert
2:00	Beginning	TBD

The Band schedule will alternate so the classes do not fall on the same days each week.

**Remember your instruments!**

#### Important Bingo News:

- Weeks Two and Four are in need of more regular workers.** *The Bingo Board is also seeking new members. The Board meets once a month and Board members may serve as week captains.*
- Thank you to the following **Week One** regulars and grade workers from grades **five and seven** who are scheduled this Sunday: **Jasper VanMier (Captain)**, Lynne Bova, Wayne Becker, Dennis Costello, Beth Counts, Bob Eike/Greg Hrbacek, Marge Fedke, Greg Gillick, Kenny Harangozo, Shelly Henson, Melissa Langevin, Cat Lopez, Stephanie Stotts, Carol Wallace, and Dana Weatherford
- Thanks to the many regular workers and grade volunteers who donate their time at Bingo. The Bingo Committee has turned over \$71,000 to date. If you are scheduled to work, it is important that you keep your commitment. The success of Bingo depends on the dedication of the workers. If you will be unable to keep your scheduled time, please contact the captain for your week.**

# Saint Martin of Tours Catholic School

Invites all Fathers, Grandfathers and Uncles  
to a celebration of the Feast of Saint Joseph.



Please join us for an All School Mass  
on Friday, March 14th  
followed by a reception in your honor  
in the Cafeteria.

To help us plan for the event, kindly complete the form below and return it to the school office by Monday, March 10th.

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ will not be able to attend the Mass and reception on March 14th.

\_\_\_\_\_ will be attending the Saint Joseph's Day Mass.

\_\_\_\_\_ will be attending both the Mass and Reception on March 14th.

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of people attending.