

The PULSE

Sacred Heart Parish School

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Friday's Subway Lunch Cancelled

We did not realize that Lent starts Feb. 6th, and this will affect the Subway meals on Friday. We have decided to forego the Subway meals during Lent and we will be giving out credit vouchers for the children who had signed up. We are very sorry for this oversight and the short notice. If there are any other questions, please feel free to call. Thank you for all your support.
SHPS Lunch Staff

Principal's Notes:

Dearest Parents,

We are down to the wire in preparing for the largest fundraiser of the year, and the committee, who has worked tirelessly, has asked my help in recruiting volunteers for this special evening since, unfortunately, there has been a very limited response to previous requests for assistance. (I'm sure you just haven't gotten around to calling Sherry ☺.) We will be decorating and setting up all day each day next week, and we really need every parent's help to make this a success. I know everyone's busy, and I know time is in short supply these days. I also know how much fun we have when we get together on a project, so how about spending a couple hours with each other next week? Many hands do indeed make light work.

The second request I want to make is in regards to uniforms. Those of you who know me, know that the last thing I want to do is come down on your kiddos. I'm one of their biggest advocates when it comes to their dignity, and there's so many things I'd rather be saying to them than, "your socks are too short, tuck your shirt in, your skirt's too short," etc. In order to keep me (and the teachers) from being the heavy with regards to uniforms, I ask for your support at home should your child come home with a uniform violation. Please know that it is not a judgment about your child or you in any way. It is simply a gentle reminder that students wear uniforms for certain reasons, and those reasons are important. The handbook speaks of leveling the fashion field and building community. I'm sure Christ would prefer that we express our individuality by showing off our gifts from Him instead of our gifts from Santa. I would also like to assert another reason: It reminds us that while we are very different, we also share a lot – our faith, our pride and our history. We are Sacred Heart and we *belong* here.

I thank you for your continued support, and I look forward to seeing you again soon.

God Bless,
J. Smith, Principal

There will be
**NO
EXTENDED
CARE**

on

Ash Wednesday

Feb. 6, 2008

due to a Faith Formation Workshop for all teachers & staff.

Thank you!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MUSIC OF THE NIGHT

As you know, Music of the Night at Bolado Park, to be held February 9, is the biggest fundraiser of the year for Sacred Heart. This event needs the assistance of all parents in some capacity. Parents are still needed for the set up during the week leading up to the event, as well as the event itself. It is the last fundraising opportunity of the year that will receive fundraising hours other than Bingo. Volunteer sheets may be picked up in the office. If you have already signed up to help, we thank you. You will receive a schedule this week of the days and times you volunteered. A chairperson for clean-up is desperately needed still. This person would organize the take-down the next morning. If you are able to help us out with this, please call Deanna @ 634-1128, or Sherry @ 630-1836.

Thank you for your part in making this event a success.



Important Dates to Remember

Jan. 31	Thurs.	Pre-School conferences 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. Speech Contest Finals (Gr. 1-8) 4:00 p.m. - Girls Soccer vs. Charter @ Vets Park 4:00 p.m. - Gr. 6 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m. - Gr. 7 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 6:00 p.m. - Gr. 8 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart
Feb. 1	Friday	Grandparents Day - dismissal at 12:05 p.m.
4	Monday	4:15 p.m. - PASS Board meeting in SHPS Library 4:00 p.m. - Gr. 6 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m. - Gr. 7 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 6:00 p.m. - Gr. 8 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart
5	Tuesday	4:00 p.m. - Girls Soccer vs. Aromas at Vet's Park
6	Weds.	Ash Wednesday Liturgy 8:15 a.m. - Ash Wednesday Liturgy - (PK, K, 1st) 10:15 a.m. - Ash Wednesday Liturgy - (Gr. 2 - 8) Minimum Day - 12:30 p.m. dismissal - <i>No Extended Care</i> 4:00 p.m. - Gr. 6 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m. - Gr. 7 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 6:00 p.m. - Gr. 8 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart
7	Thursday	4:00 p.m. - Gr. 6 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m. - Gr. 7 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart 6:00 p.m. - Gr. 8 Boys Basketball @ Sacred Heart
9	Saturday	Music of the Night @ Bolado Park
10	Sunday	10:30 a.m. - Children's Liturgy @ St. Benedicts (Gr. 7)
15	Friday	Field Trip - Monterey Custom House, etc. - Gr. 4 9:15 a.m. - School Mass (Gr. 3)
Feb. 18 - 22		Winter Break

Grandparents Love to Snack Too!

Just a reminder that each class is asked to bring in certain items for the continental breakfast on Grandparent's Day, **February 1**. Please check with your child's teacher or the front office if you've misplaced the "please bring" list that was enclosed in the PULSE earlier this month. Thanks so much for helping to make Grandparents Day a success!

Class Basket Donations

are due **TODAY - January 31, 2008**, which is the day before Grandparent's Day. Please be sure to bring your item to school and place it in the collection basket located in your child's classroom. Gift card and cash donations are gladly welcome.

Thank you for your participation!

