

HSA News

Teachers Need Tissues

With all the sniffles and sneezes we've had lately, the teachers are running out of tissues. If anyone is able to help out by sending in some boxes of tissues, it would be greatly appreciated by our teachers and students!

Student Birthdays

The cards for February birthdays will be distributed this week. If your child has a birthday in February and did not receive a card, please contact Melissa Lovelace at 767-9899. The non-uniform day for students in grades 1 through 6 with a birthday in February is **Monday, February 22, 2010**.

SCRIP Tip of the Week

Our Chili's Restaurant fundraiser is coming up on February 10th, so order your Chili's scrip now! The percentage of tuition reduction for Chili's is high (11%). If you buy \$50.00 in Chili's gift cards, you'll get \$2.75 off your tuition AND St. Rose will earn \$2.75 from your purchase. If 50 families do this, our school can earn \$137.50 in addition to the percentage Chili's gives back the night of our restaurant fundraiser. This could be a very profitable event if we all participate!

Open House

Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time and/or donated snack/beverage items to help make our Catholic Schools' Week kickoff Open House a huge success. There were many new families who toured our school who were very impressed with the school, the warm friendliness of the tour guides, the manners of the children who assisted with the tours, and our wonderful teachers. What a great way to kick off such a special week!

HSA Meeting

Our next HSA meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 9th, at 6:30pm at the school. We will be discussing our 2nd tuition reduction fundraiser, plans for the Derby, and the beginning preparations for Race for Education, to name a few agenda items. If you need stewardship hours, the time you spend at the meeting counts towards those hours. You can also learn how you can earn the remainder of your hours at that meeting. Hope to see some new faces!

Hearts for Haiti

Let's fill our lobby with love! Buy a heart for \$1.00, and put your name on it to show your support for Haiti. We'll hang all the hearts in the lobby of our school! What a great student led service project this is!

Talent Show

- **Stage Crew Art Session - Wednesday, February 3rd, 3:00 - 4:30pm:** Students should bring a t-shirt/old clothes to change into. Parent help needed too. Cardboard is needed to cut and paint at stage crew art session - if you have any to donate, please contact Shari Gordon ASAP.
- **Dress the Stage - Tuesday, February 9th, 7:00pm:** Adults only please!
- **Dress Rehearsal - Wednesday, February 10th, 3:00 - 4:30pm:** All students on Stage Crew and performing needed to run through the Talent Show after school. Bring music and any props with you. Parent help needed!
- **Talent Show - Thursday, February 11th at 6:30pm:** Parents, siblings, relatives and friends are welcome at no charge. Donations will be collected to send to our friends in Haiti via the Catholic Relief Services. All students on Stage Crew and in the Talent Acts should arrive at **6:00pm** in costume. Donations of baked goods appreciated and parent help is needed the night of the Talent Show!
- Contact **Shari Gordon** 767-5901 (home), 600-4800 (cell) or email thegordons5@comcast.net.

Save the Dates:

02/05/10 – Dance Marathon (proceeds benefit soldiers overseas)
02/09/10 – HSA Meeting – 6:30pm @ school
02/10/10 – Chili's Fundraising Night
02/11/10 – Talent Show – 6:30pm @ school
02/13/10 – St. Rose Church Valentine Dinner Dance
02/14/10 – Valentine's Day Donut Social after 10:30am mass @ school
02/16/10 – Teacher Tuesday
02/17/10 – 2nd Tuition Reduction Fundraiser begins
02/22/10 – February Birthdays Non-Uniform Day
04/10/10 – St. Rose Derby