



St. Paul's School Weekly Newsletter

January 24, 2007

Upcoming Calendar Events:

- Thursday,
January 25** **Grade 2 Field Trip to the
Academy of Sciences**
- Sunday,
January 28** **9:15 a.m. Mass—Start of
Catholic Schools Week
MOSP – Pancake Breakfast**
- Monday,
January 29** **2:00 p.m. Dismissal
2:20 p.m. Faculty Meeting**
- Wednesday,
January 30** **Blue and Gold Day
Alternate dress**
- Thursday,
February 1** **8:30 a.m. School Mass Dress
Uniform**

Principal's Message:

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Tomorrow we end the Week of Prayer for Unity in which we continue to build Christian respect, understanding and unity. This week is chosen to conclude on the feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul, who first spread the gospel throughout the Mediterranean region. Paul wrote many beautiful letters that are contained in the New Testament.

Our first semester has just concluded and we are moving into the last part of the year. Our eighth graders have completed the high school process and will get their news in March. After you have reviewed your child's report card, please sign and return to your child's teacher by Friday. At our next school Mass on February 1, we will have our 2nd quarter awards assembly.

We ask that you keep in your prayers the family of Natalie Taylor, whose grandfather, Dennis Guzman, passed away last week. We'd also ask that you keep in your prayers the boyfriend of Kelly Shasky, Extended Care, who is recovering in the hospital after being involved in the fatal accident that occurred over the weekend.

Sincerely,

Arleen Guaraglia
Principal

Chocolate Sale:

Please have your candy orders in the office by 9:30 a.m., so that all orders can be filled at the same time and not continuously throughout the day. Thank you in advance regarding this matter.

For the candy sale we need one (1) parent who can come in every afternoon, depending on how much candy there is to distribute and scratch cards to give out and help with this process. Please call the office and let us know if you can help. This would go towards your service hours.

Early Bird

Drawing Winner: Gregory Guinasso
2nd Grade -- \$25.00

Scratch Card

Winners:

Illeana Carillo
1st Grade -- \$10.00

Maxiene Pangan
2nd Grade -- \$10.00

Tiara Poquis
3rd Grade -- \$10.00

Natalie Helms
5th Grade -- \$10.00

Grey Curtiss
6th Grade -- \$10.00

Julian Villaseñor
Kindergarten -- \$5.00

Bianca Rivera
Kindergarten -- \$5.00

Jacob Saba
2nd Grade -- \$5.00

Kara Nguyen
4th Grade -- \$5.00 (x2)

Winter Curtiss
5th Grade -- \$5.00

These cash prizes will be sent home in the Wednesday envelope.

So far, the School's Profit from the Candy Sale is **\$4,222.00**. **This is very good but remember our goal is \$15,000.00**. Keep up the good work. We appreciate all your efforts!

Graduation Fees:

The final payment of \$80.00 for graduation fees is due on January 26, 2007.

Service Hours:

Earn double service hours by working bingo and your name will be entered in a drawing for the chance to receive \$100.00 credit towards tuition, financial agreement, etc. Call the school office by the Thursday of the week you want to work bingo. Drawing winners for the months of November and December are: Carmen Coreas (Elaine – 2nd grade) and Brett Dyer (Joseph – 1st grade). Please contact the office and let us know where you would like the \$100.00 credit applied.

Family Bingo:

Please save the date – **Saturday, March 3rd**. Details will follow.

Athletic Program Crabfeed:

Flyers for this event are enclosed in the Wednesday envelope.

Archdiocese Tuition Assistance:

Applications are now available in the school office for tuition assistance from the Archdiocese. An adult must stop by the office to pick up the application. We cannot send it home with a student. Applications **MUST** be postmarked by **February 28, 2007**. Remember to send in all the necessary paperwork, so as not to delay the possibility of your family being awarded assistance. Also, be sure to make a copy for yourself of everything you mail in. Applications will be given out on a first come—first serve basis.

Quote of the Week:

*The only real mistake is the one
from which we learn nothing.*

John Powell