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REILLY REPORT

This is the last Wire of the 2009-2010 school year..... and our last opportunity to thank you for letting us help you educate your child. This has been a year of countless blessings and each child has been a gift! Our summer will be filled with professional development (time for many of us to go to school). We are also taking three days to map out our language arts curriculum as a method of insuring a cohesive scope and sequence of lessons through out our 23 language arts classes. And, of course, we will all be taking some time to recharge for next year.

The school office will be staffed between 9:00 AM and noon weekdays in June and August. We are in the building many, many additional days and hours but may not be in the office. If you need us beyond the posted hours, just call the office. There is a good chance we will be in the building!

Congratulations to Rebecca L! Becca has been awarded the Mark Schnorbus Education Award for 2010. This special honor was implemented in the memory of Mark Schnorbus for his dedication to educating the whole child. The memorial fund awards \$100 for tuition assistance annually to a student with accommodations that demonstrates all-around outstanding effort and attitude toward education and others at St. Ignatius of Loyola School.

Thank you to the Educational Scholarship Assistance Program who has awarded aid to 19 of our families. Also, Congratulations to the following students who were selected to receive the ESAP scholarship to use towards their tuition next year at St. Ignatius: Kevin U., Lyndsi K., Christopher L., and Samantha M.

The Kristy Haffner Memorial Scholarship will be awarded after this is printed. The Haffner family extends their appreciation to all those who contributed to make this full tuition scholarship possible.

Our 15 Days of Fitness ended this morning. The winners of the "Big Stinky Shoe" will be announced on Olympic Day. The totals are really close! Our students have logged over 10,500 miles in 15 days. That is 1,000 miles more than last year! Remarkable! I can't stop smiling when I replay a teacher's comment to their students which I over heard this week, "If we all work hard on this math lesson, we can go outside and get in another lap!" More math, more exercise, more motivation- it's Win! Win! Win!

I hope your child has shared some of the 42 high quality health and safety lessons taught the last two days. Mrs. Sieve, parish volunteers, Barb Evans and Barb Ehrhardt, along with committee members Mrs. Wissel, Mrs. Seifert, and Mrs. Arling put together an outstanding program. The students may not have grades to show how much they learned during the Health Fair, but anyone who witnessed the interaction will attest to the positive impact made. I can't wait to see what we do next year!

Olympic Day is on Monday, rain or shine. We appreciate the leadership of Mrs. Christy Gagnon and her support team. I hope you have scheduled some time to join the fun. Opening ceremonies will start shortly after 9:00 AM in the courtyard or gym depending on weather. DRESS CODE FOR OLYMPIC DAY: No sleeveless T-shirts. Shorts should be appropriate in length and fit. Nylon or jean shorts are acceptable and suitable for field events. The T-shirt colors are as follows: Grades 2 and 4-Red, Grades K and 6-Blue, Grades 3 and 7-Green, Grades 1 and 5-Yellow. Thank you to Kellie Kruse for organizing the Olympic Day t-shirts again this year. All of the t-shirts were delivered earlier this week.

For our closing All School Mass on Tuesday, we would like to encourage students to wear either their new "Ignatius begins with I and ends with US" yellow t-shirt or their Blue Ribbon School of Excellence t-shirts. Shorts should be appropriate in length and fit. If wearing jeans, please be sure they do not have any tears.

Our last school day is Tuesday, June 8th. After the All School Mass at 9:15, students will return to their homerooms to receive their report cards. Students will be dismissed to buses at 10:45. **ALL BUS SERVICES WILL BE RUNNING. First Student (CPS), Northwest, and Oak Hills will provide early dismissal transportation on our last day of school.** We strongly encourage that these students ride the bus home that day. **NO** students are permitted to walk home on the last day unless they have been a walker all year.

Report Cards will include a homeroom assignment for the '10-'11 school year. Please note these assignments are for homeroom, not full schedules. The master schedule will be completed during the summer. If you do not receive your student's report card on the last day, you'll need to speak with someone in Parish Office.



Congratulations to the following students who came (and stayed) to school EVERY DAY (as of June 4th)! They will receive a Perfect Attendance certificate and a voucher for a free dinner at Golden Corral.

Rachel B.	Tyler B.
Benjamin C.	Benjamin D.
Ally E.	Tyler F.
Makenna F.	Hanna F.
Madeline H.	Tyler H.
Evan H.	Jared H.
Mark K.	Samuel L.
Morgan L.	Katie M.
Emily M.	Michael M.
Zachary M.	Riley M.
Mitchell O.	Austin P.
Timm R.	Alexandria S.
Jacob S.	Zachary S.
Sydney S.	Emma V.
Isaac W.	Maria W.
Simon W.	Matthew W.

Our first day of school next year will be Tuesday, September 1st. HAVE A SAFE & WONDERFUL 87 DAYS OF SUMMER!

UPCOMING LITURGIES

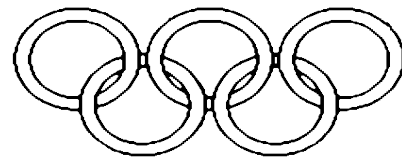
June 8 All School Mass, K 9:15AM

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 7 Olympic Day
Market Day Pickup 6-7PM
June 8 Last Day of School, dismiss at 10:45AM

SCHOOL NEWS

OLYMPIC DAY TOP TEN LIST



- Opening ceremonies begin at 9:00 A.M. in the courtyard. Closing ceremonies are at 3:00 P.M. in the courtyard.
- Dress codes: NO sleeveless T-shirts! Shorts should be appropriate in length and fit. Nylon or jean shorts are acceptable and suitable for field events. The T-shirt colors are as follows:
 Grades 2 and 4 Red
 Grades K and 6 Blue
 Grades 3 and 7 Green
 Grades 1 and 5 Yellow
- Put sunscreen on your children's faces, necks and arms. They will be outside all day. Water bottles are ok ... but student is responsible for it.
- Dismissal – If student will be leaving with a parent at 3:00, a note to that effect must be sent to the homeroom teacher on Monday morning by 9AM. Bus and car riders will be the same.
- All students MUST have a bag lunch! DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED!
- Parent volunteers, please be informed of your assigned event/site and be sure to show up at the designated time that was listed on the letter you received earlier this week. THANK YOU FOR MAKING THIS ALL POSSIBLE!!!!
- Parking is recommended in the front lot. The back lot will be closed.
- Eight FUN events are planned.
- Our nurse, Mrs. Seifert, will be outside with us all day. The concession stand will serve as the Olympic Day Headquarters.
- Pray for sunshine! Come and cheer for the kids.

WILDCATS ON THE MOVE



Congratulations to the newest members of the Ten Mile Club: Zackary B. Reagan G., Hannah M., Samuel S., Matthew D., Zachary S., Gregory S., John L., Mason L., Jeffery S., and Anna G. We offer a special congratulations to Josh H., Jessica H., Drew G., MacKenzie M., Carter A., Jack E., Claire F., Maya G., Sophia H., Adam H., Alana H. Bridget H., Margaret J., Samuel L., Rebecca S., Austin S., Alyssa S., Samuel T., Jenna W., Kieran C., Taylor E., Wyatt F., Elizabeth K., Carli L., Evan S., Luke S., Dillon T., Andrew W., Randii W., Joseph B., Derek F., Shelby H., Louis L., Reiley S., Patrick T., Zachary F., Olivia P., and Will L. for reaching the 50 Mile Club. A huge congratulations to Joshua B., Catherine B., Brady T., Abbey V., Makenna F., Abby H., Morgan H., Isabella H., Elizabeth S., Benjamin B., Jared F., Cole K., Allison K., Austin M., Ann Marie N., Mitchell S., Kevin U., Hannah P., Kaylee H., and Madelyn K. for reaching 100 Miles! Way to go! Keep walking!

THANK YOU 7TH GRADE PARENTS

The 8th grade parents would like to extend a special thank you to all the 7th grade parents, especially Lisa Feist and the Graduation Party Planning Committee. The evening was perfect. The gym looked magical with wonderful food, great music, and beautiful decorations. We all know it is months of hard work and we certainly appreciate it! Good luck to all of you! Embrace your 7th graders because their 8th grade year goes very quickly!

DON'T FORGET KROGER & PACE

As you read in last week's *Wildcat Wire*, the proceeds generated by Kroger Community Rewards card reloads and PACE gift cards will now be used to offset tuition increases for everyone for future school years. So keep using those cards this summer to help keep tuition manageable!

Kroger Community Rewards cards are available at the Parish Office.

The most popular PACE gift cards -- including Kohls, Speedway, Skyline, Bob Evans and many others -- will also be available for immediate purchase at the Parish Office.

Gift cards for many other retailers (see Retailer List at www.glscrip.com) will also be available by special order. Due to administrative changes in the PACE program, however, special orders must now

be placed at the Parish Office by the first Friday of each month. They will then be filled and available for pickup at the Parish Office the following week.

If you have any questions about Kroger Community Rewards or about PACE gift cards, please contact Leslie Odioso at 574-6376, Sue Newland at 741-3095 or Carol Lecher at 661-4394. Have a great summer!

SPORTS NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the 4th Grade Boys Baseball Team on their second consecutive CYO League and Tournament Championship. They beat Guardian Angels by a score of 10-0 in Sunday's Championship game and completed their CYO season with a perfect 9-0 record. Team members: Justin B., Ben C., Doug F., Brennan G., Brandon G., Eli G., Nathan H., Gabe L., Jakob N., Mitchell S., & Matt W.

ENRICHMENT NEWS

REMINDER.....

Looking for something to do on the last day of school, problem solved... Back by popular demand is Saint I's Day at Orchard Hill Swim Club.

Date: 6/8/10, Last day of school from 12-4:30. Members are free. Cost for non-members is \$3/person, up to \$10 maximum per family. Feel free to bring a cooler, snacks, pizza...and enjoy a day in the sun with friends! If you have any questions please contact Sandy Stross.

JAZZ & HIP-HOP CLASSES

Come join Saint Ursula Academy's Dance Team for an exciting week of Jazz and Hip-Hop classes! The camp runs June 14-18th from 8:30-11:30AM for girls entering the 6th, 7th and 8th grade.

Registration forms can be downloaded from www.saintursula.org/forms/CampOfferings.pdf.

2010 CHRIS MACK BASKETBALL CAMP

Join the Xavier Basketball team and staff for a four day camp for boys grades 2-9 and also for boys ages 4-7. For information on all camps please call 513-745-3417 or coachmack@xavier.edu.

DOLLY AND ME

Harvest Home Fair is hosting a new creative, expressive, and an imaginative event titled Dolly and Me. Dress yourself and your doll in cleverly matched outfits and set out for an adventure at the

fair. Plan to allow Dolly to be on display Friday thru Sunday, Sept 10th-12th. Enter to win prizes. Forms and additional information are available at www.cheviotwestwoodkiwanis.com/generalexhibits.

SUMMER TENNIS LESSONS

Interested in learning the basics of tennis? Wanting to improve your serve? Looking to try out for your high school tennis team? Tennis lessons for all ability levels will be offered this summer on local outdoor courts by parishioner Trey Rischmann. Lessons available for individuals or groups. For more information contact Trey at 673-8249.

SUMMER CAMP INFO

Information on the following summer camps is available in our school office:

British Soccer Camp
Cheviot Summer Basketball Camp
Cincinnati Recreation Commission
– Spanish Language Summer Enrichment
Elder High School Color Guard Clinics
Elder High School 2010 Summer Camps
LaSalle Summer Camps
McAuley Sports Camps
McAuley Summer Enrichment Camps
Mercy Healthplex Kids Camps 2010
Mercy High School 2010 Summer Camps
Miami University Summer Reading Skills
Mt. St. Joseph Basketball Camps
Mt. St. Joseph Football Camps
Northern Kentucky University Camps
Spanish Summer Class
St. Ignatius Laffalot Summer Camp
St. Ignatius Volleyball Camp
St. Ursula Volleyball Camp
St. Ursula Summer Camps
Vandergriff Summer Gymnastics Program
Western Sports Mall – Volleyball Camp
Western Sports Mall –
Co-Ed Junior High Volleyball Leagues
Xavier University Soccer Camp
YMCA Camp Ernst

