



BULLETIN

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL

January 22, 2010

www.stfoa.org

206-243-5690

HEAD LICE

Keep checking, we have had a few instances of head lice in the past week and would like each family to check their child's head at home this weekend. Parents have done a great job keeping on top of this so that we don't have a school-wide epidemic – we really appreciate it! Thank you!

THANK YOU ST. BEATRICE!

Thank you to Beatrice van Tulder, who single-handedly checked every head in our school for head lice on Tuesday. We are so grateful for your continual volunteering in the nursing department. You are a saint!

OPENINGS FOR NEXT YEAR:

We have openings in Kindergarten, 1st, 3rd, 4th & 6th grades for next year. Please invite your friends to join us for Open House on Thursday, February 4th at 7:00. We would love to show them our school and facilities! Thank you!

SCRIP NEWS

Albertson's is discontinuing its Community Partner Program and profit is only available by buying their gift cards.

SCIENCE FAIR – ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Mark your calendars! The Science Fair will be on March 31st. Get a jump start on your community hours for next year. We need volunteers for set-up and break-down. If you are interested, please email: kellidevite@yahoo.com with your interest.

GENERAL VOLUNTEER HOURS AVAILABLE

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a breakfast on January 31st for Catholic Schools Week after both Masses. If you are interested in helping, you can contact Ken Devos at ken.devos@comcast.net or 206-248-2543.

FREE THROW COMPETITION

Mark your calendars for Saturday, January 23rd, 9:00 am to noon for the Knights of Columbus **FREE THROW COMPETITION**. All boys and girls ages 10 – 14 as of January 1, 2010 are invited. Bring your mom or dad and proof of age (copy of birth certificate) to **St. Anthony's gymnasium in Renton**.

CONGRATULATIONS – 2010 HONOR BAND

Thank you to all of the students that auditioned. We are proud of you! Congratulations to the following band members selected to represent our school in the 2010 Honor Band: Natalie Mutter, Julie Greene, Karanjot Gill, Shannon Scruggs, David van Tulder, Ally Kieras, Nikki Macias, Cory Kieras, Brianna Pierce, Quan Phan, Eli Braun, Chaz Bergseth, Simon van Tulder, Caelin McDonald, Nils Gollersrud, Paul Schumacher, Todd Johnson, Ben Josie, Morgan McCullough, Jessie Dirks, Kyle Pierce, and Biruk Araya.

THERE'S NO BUSINESS LIKE SHOW BUSINESS

The talent show will be on Thursday, February 4th at 1:30 p.m. Please mark your calendars!

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NEED CHILD CARE FOR SPRING BREAK?

Contact Nancy McHenry Dirks. DSHS Licensed. \$5 per hour per child.

VALENTINE'S DAY OPEN HOUSE – ALL CURRENT AND FORMER KB STUDENTS

Save the date. Mrs. Dirks will host her annual Valentine's Day Open House for all Current and Former KB students on Saturday February 6, 2010.

USED UNIFORM DRIVE

Our used uniform Winter drive begins Monday, 1/25. If you have any used uniforms, please bag them and drop them off in the blue bins located just inside the front doors to the school office or in EDP. The last day to donate at these locations will be Wednesday, 2/10. If you have donations after this date, please contact Shannon Hilton at 206.261.0608 to schedule a pick up or if you prefer, you may donate them during our End of the Year drive which will begin in mid-May. **Lost & Found will be picked up on 2/10 at 3:30pm**, please take time to stop in before then and check for your lost items. **PLEASE NOTE:** Lost & Finds are located in the upstairs hall closet, the gym (presently closed and empty) and EDP.

PACWEST LITTLE LEAGUE – CHILDREN AGES 5-18

Baseball/Softball Signups will be held on January 30th from 10:00a.m.-2:00p.m. at St. Francis of Assisi – Parish Hall. Additional signup dates and times can be found at www.pacwestll.com. The cost is \$70 for the first child and \$65 for additional children. Sign up early – space is limited.

CYO NEWS

Join us for our **CYO Annual Italian Dinner**, this Saturday, January 23rd 6-10:00 pm in Unity Place. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$20/person. See you there!

The CYO "Parent Like a Champion Today" evening was a great success with strong material and articulate speakers. We so appreciate Tauno Latvala, Clint Richardson, Ross Brownell, and Scott Bailey from the Archdiocesan Office of Youth Ministry and CYO Athletics for coming out to St. Francis to present this program—A first in the Archdiocese of Seattle. We had a capacity crowd of wonderful St. Francis folks. A sincere and heartfelt THANK YOU to *Mick Kelly's Irish Pub* for the delicious refreshments and to *Val Johnson, Sabrina Souffront, and Veronica Souffront* for their welcoming hospitality!

CYO Baseball Registration is open for boys grades 5 – 8. Games are played on *Sundays* from mid-March through May. 7th/8th grade teams play with wood bats like the professionals! Registration and concussion information sheet can be found at www.stfoa.org. Fee is \$75. Baseball registration closes Wednesday, February 17th.

LACROSSE FOR 5TH-8TH GRADE BOYS

Signups for Highline Lacrosse are now taking place. Please visit our website for more information regarding the Highline Lacrosse Club and this exciting sport. Season runs from March 1-May 31. Early pre-season practices begin this weekend at the Normandy Park City Hall gym. Details are on the website. No experience with lacrosse is necessary, as most players are beginners. If you have any questions, please call Ann Stout 206 498 4727. Visit WWW.HIGHLINELAX.SHUTTERFLY.COM for more information.

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SYMPATHY



Our condolences to the family and friends of:

Eleanor Bow

(Brandon Silvernale's Great-Aunt)

Our thoughts and prayers are with you!

ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEK OF JANUARY 23rd:

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| Saturday – | | Simon van Tulder, Tanner Beard, Chaz Bergseth, Patrick Christiansen |
| Sunday – | 8:00am | Kyle Pierce, Nikki Macias, Anna Tegelberg, Angela Isernio |
| | 10:00am | Brogan Meyers, Nils Gollersrud, Shannon Scruggs, Sarah Wydick |
| Monday – | | Nathan Gordon, Caelin McDonald |
| Tuesday – | | Nils Gollersrud, Karlee McCaroll |
| Wednesday – | | Communion Service |
| Thursday – | | Nick Galando, Jessie Dirks |
| Friday – | | Monique Wenner, Nathaniel Tolton |