



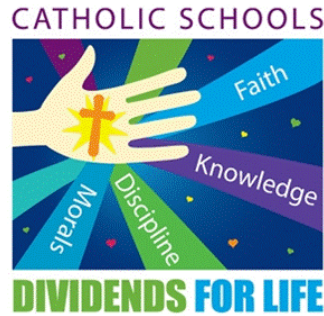
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# ST. PATRICK PARISH SCHOOL

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## Catholic Schools Week January 25-29, 2010



**MONDAY, JANUARY 25:** Blanket Drive for St. Vincent de Paul. Bring in NEW machine washable blankets to be dispensed at the shelter.

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 26:** Self Portrait dolls will be created in the classroom to signify our diversity and unity. They will be displayed around the school to celebrate our unity of faith.

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27:** "Celebrate Reading Day!" Students may get comfortable in sweatpants or other comfortable clothes. NO pjs, shorts or skirts are permitted! Younger students may wish to bring a stuffed animal to cozy up with during the reading experience. Portions of the day will be spent reading in groups, with buddies or silently.

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 28:** Career Day! Each classroom teacher may solicit volunteers from parents or the community to share their careers with their class. (K1 and K2 will not participate as they have one scheduled later this year.)

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 29:** The big letter! Classes will compose original letters to various community helpers to thank them for their service. Community helpers include priests, parish staff, firemen, policemen, military, and parents. Any others?

## Open House & Book Fair

*Sunday, January 31, 2010*

All are invited to attend our annual Open House and Book Fair after 9:00am Mass. Students are encouraged attend 9:00am Mass with their families and wear their school dress uniform. All classrooms will be open for you to visit and the Scholastic Book Fair will be back for your enjoyment.

**Book Fair Hours: Monday, January 25 through Friday, January 29 - 7:40-8:15am and 2:00-3:00pm and Sunday January 31 during the Open House from 9:30-11:00am**

Students will have an opportunity to visit and choose from this fine collection during a private viewing. If you care to indulge our precious teachers with one of these fine items, they all have been asked to make a selection of books which could be used in their classrooms.

**We look forward to seeing you at the Open House and Book Fair!**

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**1/18** Noon Dismissal, MLK Day - 9:00am Mass (dress uniform) - NO DAYCARE

**1/19** 2nd Grade Parent Meeting for First Communion 7:00pm in Church

**1/20** 5B Batiquitos Lagoon 8:45-10:30  
Family Dinner Night - Ruby's (must take enclosed flyer)

**1/21** Regular Day

**1/22** 8:15am All School Mass (dress uniform)

### DUE DATES/DEADLINES

**1/18** Scrip Orders Due

**2/5** Yearbook Orders Due

**2/11** Tuition Assistant Forms Due to FACTS

### LOOKING AHEAD

**1/25** 3rd Grade Whale Watching 8:45-1:30

**1/27** Sports Awards-1:00pm Parish Center  
1B Villas de Carlsbad Senior Center  
10:00-11:30

**1/29** Quarter Ends  
First Semester Milk Ends



### **WEEKLY BIBLE VERSE**

(for January 24)

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,  
because he has anointed me to  
bring glad tidings to the poor. He  
has sent me to proclaim liberty to  
captives and recovery of sight to  
the blind, to let the oppressed go  
free, and to proclaim a year  
acceptable to the Lord.

*Luke 4:18-19*

# THE WONDERS OF OUR WEBSITE

## FROM PTG PRES...

We are blessed that our children attend a school with such well organized and wonderful opportunities for involvement and information. The school, the principals, and office staff spend a lot of time maintaining our complete and up to date website. If you have a computer at home, you have access to up to the minute information on your child's school.

Remember to use the website at [www.stpaddys.org](http://www.stpaddys.org) for information on our parish community including links to the church website and general information and history of our precious school. Review the calendar and register for our upcoming special events; the 18th Annual Golf Tournament *Fairway to Heaven*, the third annual *Got Grapes Wine Tasting Party*, and our annual auction *We Are Family*. If you have any questions about past activities, all the year's newsletters are available on the website.

Information about all of the school's programs can be found online: daycare, sports programs, PTG lunch program, the Student Outreach Program including the Hours Record Form, and Dennis Uniform link with our much needed school code.

If you are interested in more information about your child's classroom activities, your child's teacher's e-mail address is available on line, as is the Parent Student Handbook, and classroom supply lists.

The Parent Teacher Group (PTG) has their roster including e-mail addresses of the executive board, committee chairs, room parents, and PTG class representatives. If you are interested in getting involved in a committee all you have to do is e-mail the chair. The School Board is also listed with information on their general purpose. Year round fundraisers including *Sally Foster*, *Scrip*, and *E-Scrip* can be found with convenient links on the website. Our Volunteer Handbook is on line if you have questions about your volunteer commitment to the school.

Finally, if you have friends that might be interested in enrolling their children in St. Patrick Parish School, registration information and important deadlines can be found on our school website.

Hopefully this great resource will enhance your experience at St. Patrick Parish School! Happy computing!

*Pam Fox*

2009/2010 PTG President

*"We have technology, finally, that for the first time in human history allows people to really maintain rich connections with much larger numbers of people." Pierre Omidyar*



## Win \$10,000!!!

BIG 10 tickets are available for sale on line at [www.stpaddys.org](http://www.stpaddys.org) under fundraisers! Enter for your chance to win \$10,000! (a minimum of 200 tickets must be sold for drawing to take place).

Questions?? Please e-mail Stephanie Stringfellow at [stephellow@gmail.com](mailto:stephellow@gmail.com)

## Order Sees Candies for Valentine's Day!

Valentine's Day is around the corner and we've got you covered. Surprise them with a box of See's Candies. Look for a flyer in next week's newsletter. Questions? Call Tina Pereira at (760)730-0452.

# SPORTS

**North County  
Parochial League  
Website**  
ncpl.pbworks.com

## GAME SCHEDULE

### Tuesday, January 19th

Girls Varsity "7" Soccer Game 3:30 @ St. Mary's Oceanside

### Wednesday, January 20th

Boys JV "B" Basketball Game 3:30 vs. St. John's "A" @ Ecke YMCA (Encinitas)

### Thursday, January 21st

Boys Varsity "B" Basketball game 3:30 vs. St. John "B" @ Nativity

Boys Varsity "A" Basketball Game 4:30 vs. St. Mary Escondido @ Nativity

Girls JV "5" Soccer Game 3:30 @ Nativity

### Friday, January 22nd

Boys JV "A" Basketball game 4:30 vs. St. James @ Ecke YMCA (Encinitas)

## COACHES

### **JV "5" Girls Soccer**

Pat Brennan (760) 720-3312  
Jack Pentlarge (760) 433-5301

### **JV "6" Girls Soccer**

Alison Knepler 295-4241

### **Varsity "7" Girls Soccer**

Andrea Taylor (760) 729-1333

### **Varsity "8" Girls Soccer**

Katrina Waidelich (760) 729-1333

### **JV "5" Boys Basketball**

Rich Gillette (619) 972-5035

### **JV "6" Boys Basketball**

Barry Elliott (760) 458-9174

### **Varsity "7" Boys Basketball**

Coach Martin (760) 729-1333

### **Varsity "8" Boys Basketball**

Coach Martin

## **Don't forget to Save the Date...St. Patrick's Annual Jog-a-Thon "Laps for Laughs"**

**Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 - 2:30**



Students can have fun by wearing their "Irish" t-shirts, their running club t-shirts, or any sports jersey (soccer, baseball, football, etc.) that they have with their SCHOOL UNIFORM SHORTS only.

Look for the Pledge Form and Raffle Ticket Order Form to go home next week. You can purchase a raffle ticket(s) to win a Brand New Life Core Elliptical (Value: \$2000) that was just rated Best Buy by Consumer Digest for just \$50 a ticket! The raffle will take place at the Jog-a-Thon, but you do not need to be present to win.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!** It takes a lot of volunteers to help make the Jog-a-Thon a success. If you can help that day (and earn some PPP hours), please contact Stephanie North-Cole at [northcole@roadrunner.com](mailto:northcole@roadrunner.com) or 760-806-4124 to join in the fun! Parents and siblings are welcome to attend!



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Pastor: Rev. William Rowland, CJM

**WE'RE ALWAYS ON  
THE WEB!**

[www.stpaddys.org](http://www.stpaddys.org)

**Newsletters will be emailed  
beginning Feb. 5th!**

## **St. Patrick Parish School Student Learning Expectations**

A student at St. Patrick Parish School is a **Faith-filled Christian, Responsible Citizen, Life-long Learner, Effective Communicator and Well-rounded Individual.**

A student at St. Patrick Parish School is expected to develop as a:

II. **Responsible Citizen** who:

- A. Accepts responsibility for an consequences of actions.
- B. Is respectful of social, cultural, and individual differences.
- C. Makes healthy and moral choices.
- E. Actively participates in community.

III. **Life-Long Learner** who:

- A. Demonstrates curiosity and enthusiasm for learning.
- B. Demonstrates a strong foundation in all subjects.
- C. Applies and builds upon current technology.
- D. Uses study, research, and technology skills effectively.
- E. Uses time effectively.

## **TUITION ASSISTANCE INFORMATION**

Tuition Assistance applications are available in the Front Office and Business Office. They must be completed with all required documentation and sent to FACTS by February 11, 2010. This is a **STRICT** deadline to be met. After this date there may not be additional funds to distribute. Any questions, please contact Leslie Franco in the Business office.

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR USED UNIFORM SALE**

Our next Used Uniform Sale is Sunday, January 31 after the morning masses at the lunch tables in conjunction with Open House. We need volunteers to help set up, sell, and then pack up the uniforms. You can stay all or part of the time. This is a great way to get your parent participation hours. If you are interested in helping, please contact Marilyn Allison at [mlallison@cox.net](mailto:mlallison@cox.net) or (760) 439-3465.

**USED UNIFORM TURN IN:** See the enclosed flyer regarding turning in your used uniforms for a credit voucher to use at the sale. For questions, please contact Marilyn at [mlallison@cox.net](mailto:mlallison@cox.net) or (760)439-3465.



## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE FUN WORKING AT THE BOOK FAIR**

Anyone wishing to have fun volunteering their services to help at the Book Fair, please leave your name and number along with your time of availability with the Front Office. The Book Fair will be held from **Monday, January 25 through Sunday, January 31.**

Thank you for your help.

# SAVE YOUR BOX TOPS - WIN FREE DRESS

## **BOX TOP CONTEST January 18- February 16**

The first contest of the new year starts this Monday, January 18 and will conclude Tuesday, February 16th. There will be a Ziploc bag in each class for the children to deposit their BOX TOPS. The grade with the most BOX TOPS at the conclusion of the contest will receive a FREE DRESS PASS!

For families with multiple children, please divide evenly amongst them. Encourage your extended family, friends and neighbors to collect for you. Thanks in advance for your participation!

It's so easy! Simply clip Box Tops for Education from hundreds of participating products (www.boxtops4education.c

om). Please register, as our school receives \$1.00 for every new sign up.

Our school receives 10 cents for each Box Tops we send to General Mills. There are also Bonus and Super Box Tops that can be worth up to \$1.00 each.

Making a difference has never been easier! Start clipping now!

### BOX TOP COORDINATOR

CHRISSE DEWHURST

dcdewhurst@adelphia.net



# SCRIP ORDER SCHEDULE CHANGE BUYING SCRIP HAS NEVER BEEN EASIER!

As a result from feedback from you, we will be changing the weekly SCRIP order schedule to make your SCRIP shopping easier.

Orders received by MONDAY will be received the FRIDAY of the same week.

These include online orders and manual orders.

Don't forget to that you can still purchase Scrip in the Front Office! Need groceries, or gas? We have Vons, Albertson's, Henry's, Chevron, Arco and much, much

more! Stop by anytime during office hours to purchase Scrip. Remember...it's money you would be spending anyway!

Thank you to all SCRIP participants!

### SCRIP COORDINATOR

JENNIFER LAB ELSNER

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# GOLF TOURNAMENT NEWS



It's time to send in your registrations for this year's 18th Annual Golf Tournament on March 15th! You will find information and registration forms online at the school website.

A letter for potential sponsors and sponsorship pack-

ages is also available online.

Look for more information and registration forms to come home in next week's Friday folder.

For questions, please contact Ron or Kay. Thank you!!

### GOLF CHAIRPERSONS

RON AND KAY ROSA

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# ALTAR SERVER PRACTICE

Practice will be held on Wednesday, January 27th for all Altar Servers. Students in grades 4-8 who would like to become Altar Servers are also invited to attend. Two time slots are available for your convenience: 2:45 or 3:30. Questions? Call Ruthann Besterce at (760)931-9003.

