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BJ's Corner

Dear Families,

St. Charles School will celebrate Catholic School's Week from February 1st through February 5th. During this week, we will have a special mass on Tuesday, February 2nd at 9:00 a.m. Please join us.

Last week I watched in earnest as Mrs. Medrano's 2nd grade class presented information on various countries world wide as well as foods from their countries.

Mrs. Bridger's provided a great learning experience discussing penguins and their habitat. Those first graders experienced a wonderful lesson and I learned all kinds of facts about penguins.

Mrs. Haley's 5th grade class continues to work on super sentences, i.e., "The Aztecs, wretched with sorrow over their animosity towards the conquistadors, clamored to Montezuma, 'Banish these unwelcome intruders.'" Mrs. Haley taught her class about a Thesaurus and how to use it. What fun!

Monday our 8th graders attended the All Catholic Schools' Mass presided over by Archbishop Sheehan. This group of students is wonderful.

I reviewed the first draft of our yearbook. Kudos to everyone involved.

Enrollment is progressing and classes are filling. Take time to come by and re-enroll your student.

Remember: "Tomorrow's Leaders are at St. Charles today!"

Have a great week.

B.J.

May I Suggest?

Dear Principal B.J.,
My suggestion is to have fire drills and owl alerts more often and maybe in the lunchroom.

Isabella Obermeier 5B

Principal B.J. – Taken care of. Thank you.

Calendar Update

**February 5th - Class
Picture Day
(uniform)**

**February 12th –
Early Dismissal
12:30p.m.**

**February 15th –
President's Day
No school**

National Junior Honor Society

Congratulations to our four new NJHS members who were "tapped" into St. Charles NJHS club on Friday, January 22, 2010. In order to be invited into NJHS, students must have a 3.5 GPA and demonstrate the characteristics of service, citizenship, leadership and good character. Congratulations to Haley Hilborn, Alejandra De La Cruz, Brianna Chavez and Sydney Hunter. The induction ceremony will be on February 2, 2010 at 8:00 a.m. in our school cafeteria. Parents welcome to attend.

Financial Aid Scholarships

All financial aid applications for the school year 2010-2011 will be done online through FACTS. The web address is www.factstuitionaid.com. There is a \$25.00 fee to FACTS for this service. The deadline is April 15, 2010. We do not have any applications in the finance office due to "Going Green." This applies to the Maloof Scholarship, which is given in August and the Archbishop's Scholarship, which is given at the end of October or the first of November. If you wish to apply for any of these scholarships, this is the only way to do it.

Plastic Bags

Wal-Mart has discontinued the school recycle program of plastic bags. Therefore, St. Charles will no longer be collecting bags. We do not have the room to store them. Thank you for your support.

First Reconciliation

A mandatory parent meeting for 2nd grade parents and other students receiving First Reconciliation and First Communion will be held in our cafeteria at 6:30 p.m. on February 11, 2010. Father Mueller will discuss parent responsibilities regarding the sacraments and I will discuss location, clothing, and behaviors and am open to all questions. See you February 11th.

B.J.

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