



The Cardinal Flyer

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BJ's Corner

Please continue to remember Mrs. Donato and her family in your prayers as her son passed away this past week. In lieu of flowers please send contributions to the Nicholas Donato Memorial Fund at Bank of America.

Some results from the parent survey given at Parent Teacher Conferences follow:

51 visit our website more than once a week, 79 visit our website at least once a week – Great Job! Only 10 have not visited the website as of yet!

155 receive e-mail blasts, 27 do not. 98% of responses feel the blasts are more than helpful. 2 responses did not think they were helpful.

If you do not receive blasts and want to, please contact Angelica at 243-5788.

Over 40 have purchased scrip with others planning to. We made about \$1100.00 in September. Remember, you can send the form and check with your child. We can give cards back to child or you can pick them up at the finance office. Keep up the good work!

Do not forget your DRA appointments on either Friday or Monday! Insure your child is well rested and fed!!!

Many of you have already purchased tickets for your child for the Halloween Carnival. These tickets will remain at the school with your child's homeroom teacher. We want to insure each child has possession of their tickets the day of the carnival.

B.J.

Peanut Butter Collection

During the month of October, the St. Charles Borromeo School NJHS club is sponsoring a Peanut Butter collection for the Albuquerque Storehouse. We are asking each child to bring in one jar. This peanut butter will be used to help feed many children in our city.

Don't Forget to Participate in Scrip

Order your Scrip cards. We order on Tuesdays. This is a great way to help the school, and it is convenient for shopping and giving gifts. Check the web site for more information. Order forms are available in the office. Keep bringing in your plastic bags! The **Wal-Mart Kids Recycling Challenge** runs from October 1, 2008 until March 31, 2009.

Calendar

Oct. 24th & 27th

DRA Assessment Days - Your student comes at scheduled time to do his/her assessment.

Oct. 28th - Picture Retake Day

Exciting Recycling News

Last newsletter an idea for paper recycling at St. Charles was introduced which required a parent volunteer from each classroom to pick up the paper and put it out on their curb or take it to one of the City's drop-off sites for recycling. It was hoped that in the future we could have onsite paper pick-up by the City. Well, thanks to Alfred Benavidez (father of sons, Kevin in 5th grade and Derek in 3rd grade here at St. Charles) the future is NOW! Mr. Benavidez works for the City of Albuquerque and thanks to him St. Charles now has **four large recycle bins** which the city will pick up every Wednesday for recycling. The St. Charles paper recycling program can now be completely run by the students (with help from the teachers). Thanks, though, to the parents who responded to last week's request for volunteers to serve as "recycling parent" for their child's classroom. And thanks again Alfred Benavidez!

Girl Scout Meeting

There will be a short meeting on Wednesday, October 22nd right after school in the Science Room downstairs. Don't forget to bring material and sewing supplies.

Picture Re-Takes

Picture re-take day is on Tuesday, October 28th. If you were absent on picture day, you may take your picture on that day. We will have order forms in the office soon. Also, if you do not like the picture and wish to re-take it, you must bring the old pictures back and give them to the photographer.

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ST. CHARLES BORROMEO SCHOOL
Annual Halloween Carnival
Calling all ghosts, goblins and saints...

Come "trick or treat"

With the St. Charles crew!

**We'll play some games, eat some munchies and parade
around in our costumes, too!**

Halloween Day

Friday, October 31, 2008

11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Pre-Purchase Your Carnival Tickets!

One Ticket = 50¢

I would like to purchase (please circle):

10 tickets for \$5 20 tickets for \$10 30 tickets for \$15 40 tickets for \$20 50 tickets
for \$25

Child's Name: _____ Teacher/Grade: _____

Return this form along with a check payable to St. Charles, labeled Carnival Tickets, on the memo line, to your child's teacher, or directly to the office, before October 29, 2008.

Watch for blasts for more information!!!!

Parent Contributions FOR Halloween Carnival

K- 3rd 1 six pack of soda
 And
 1-1 lb bag of candy

4th Grade 1 six pack of diet soda
 And
 1-1 lb bag of candy

5th Grade 2 - 2 liter bottles of soda
 And 1-1 lb bag of candy

6th, 7th and 8th Grade 1 baked good (Please wrap and bring to school on Friday, October 31, 2008. Please do not send store bought items in packages such as Oreo Cookies or Twinkies).

All items need to be brought to school during the week of October 27th, and no later than October 30th. The items should be given to the teacher. No gum, please.
Thank you for your support in making the 2008 Annual Halloween Carnival a success!

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!