

FROM THE HALLS OF ST. PAUL'S

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UPCOMING SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS...

- December 17 Friday 8th Grade Hot Dog Lunch
Non-Uniform Day
- December 20 Monday Advent Ceremony 8:15 am
Grade 3 to Camp Rogers
2nd Grade Pizza Lunch
- December 21 Tuesday Non-Uniform Day
Christmas Parties K-8 @2:00 pm
Christmas Party PS3yr @10:00 am
Hot Lunch Pre-orders
- December 24 Friday Children's Mass @ 4:00 pm
3/4/5 and Junior Choir Sing



No School – Christmas Break

December 22 thru January 2nd – School Resumes Jan. 3rd

COUGAR SPORTING NEWS...



Basketball Schedules for Saturday, December 18th:

- Boys:** 5th Gr. vs. SJV – 1:40 pm @ ASA – St. Jude
- Girls:** 7/8th Gr. vs. St. Thomas – 10:10 am @ IHM
5/6th Gr. vs. Corpus Christi – 1:40 pm @ Corpus Christi



Schedule for Saturday, January 8th

- Boys:** 5th Gr. vs. OLC – 12:30 pm @ St. Paul
6th Gr. vs. St. Stephens – 9:00 am @ St. Paul
- Girls:** 5/6th Gr. vs. St. Stephens – 1:40 pm @ St. Stephen

Athletes are allowed to wear their game jerseys over uniform shirts on the day of the game or on Friday if game on Saturday.

Upcoming Jr. Cougar Events

See the attached flyer for information on winter Junior Cougar events. Students in Grades 4-8 from our partner elementary schools can present a valid Junior Cougar card and get in free to the Catholic Central athletic events listed on the flyer!

Kudos to St. Paul alum and current CC Senior, Kristine Craven, who was featured on the Fox 17 News "Pay it Forward" segment for her "Warm the Heart" coat drive. Kristine and her brother, Joe have been collecting and donating gently used winter coats for the past four years. They estimate over 4,000 coats have been collected and given to *In the Image* to distribute to the needy!



Catholic Schools Week/Jr. High Play T-Shirt

Show your school spirit by ordering a St. Paul T-Shirt! Order form attached. Please turn orders in to school office by Monday, January 10th.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY...

May you have the gift of faith, the blessing of hope and the peace of His love at Christmas and always.



SCHOOL OFFICE NOTES...

Sympathy is extended to the Jackson family - Seth (grade 4), Jared (Grade 6), and Tracey (PS Teacher Aide) on the recent death of their uncle/brother-in-law, Devon Jackson.

Non-Uniform Day (jean day) – Tuesday, December 21.

1st Reconciliation for 2nd Graders will be on Jan. 6th @ 6:30 pm.

Reminder: E-mailed Newsletter Coming Soon! Starting in January, we will be sending the Halls of St. Paul's packet home via the email addresses you provided to us. **If your email address has changed, please notify the school office.** The newsletter will have a new look and format including links for you to print out any forms you need. For families who have not provided us with an email address, we will still be sending home printed copies of the newsletter on Fridays. Printed Hot Lunch order forms will be sent home via backpack mail.



Winter Time Recess – Please make sure your student has proper winter apparel every day for outside recess (boots, snow pants, hats, mittens) as well as shoes to change into. Outdoor recess will be held unless the wind chill is below 10°F. We cannot have students stay inside during lunch time because they forgot winter gear, so please come to school prepared to go out!

SPAuction 2011 Coming Soon - February 11th

Think of the St. Paul Auction when doing your last minute Christmas Shopping or when hitting the after-Christmas deals!! For ideas, check out the gift registry at Kohls, Target or Home Depot and type in "St. Paul" or "SPAuction." Gift Donation forms are available in the school office, and gifts can be dropped off at either the school or parish office. SPAuction is an important fundraiser for our school and **we need your donations to make it a success!!** **THANK YOU**

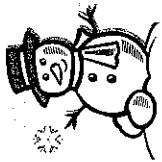
Scrip News

Regular Scrip order deliveries start back the week of January 3rd. Orders can be dropped off in the church safe (located in the ushers' closet) before 11:00 am on Sunday or by 8:00 am in the school office on Monday mornings. Scrip Packers for January 5th - Katie Puglessi & Roxanne Maitner.

Head Lice - There has been one reported case of head lice in the Pre-School 4yr class. The classroom and hallway were cleaned and sprayed. Parents, please make sure to check your student's hair for any indication of head lice and report to the office. Remind your children to not share hats, coats, scarves, etc.

SAFETY DUTY

BLUE team is on for the week of December 20th. GREEN team is on for the week of January 3rd.



January 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 <i>Epiphany of the Lord</i>	3 School Resumes	4 Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	5 Happy Birthday Mr. Gransow	6 Liturgy 8:30 am- Gr. 3/5 th Gr. Choir 1 st Reconciliation for 2 nd Gr. @6:30 pm Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	7	8 1 New Years Day
9 <i>Baptism of the Lord</i>	10 MAPS Testing – All Week	11 Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	12 8 th Gr. Burrito Sale starts	13 Liturgy 8:30 am Grade 2 4 th Gr. Choir sings Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	14 8 th Grade Hot Dog Lunch	15 Jr. Choir sings at 5:00 pm Mass
16	17 Maps Testing- All Week Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday	18 Home & School Mtg. 6:30 pm Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	19 School Bd. Mtg 7:00 pm in TL	20 Eucharistic Service 8:30 am Gr. 1 3 rd Gr. Choir sings Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	21 2 nd Quarter ends Subway Hot Lunch PS4, K, 1 st Grade to "Peter & the Wolf"	22
23	24 3 rd Quarter begins 2 nd Gr. Pizza Lunch	25 <i>Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle Feastday</i> Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	26 Last Day for 8 th Gr. Burrito Sale	27 Euch. Service 8:30 am – Kind./ Jr. Choir sings Coffee w/ Principal Hot Lunch Pre-Orders	28 Report Cards Home 8 th Gr. to Vets Home Non-Uniform Day	29
30 Catholic Schools Wk 3/4/5 Choir sings at 11:00 am Mass 8 th Gr. vs. parents Basketball Game 7pm	31 Catholic Schools Week					



Points to Ponder: The month of January is dedicated to the **Holy Name of Jesus**, which is celebrated on January 3rd. The first nine days of January fall during the liturgical season known as **Christmas** which is represented by the liturgical color white.

Junior Cougars

2010 Winter "Get In Free" Events



4th-8th Grade Students presenting a valid Junior Cougar ID Card from our Partner Elementary Schools will be given FREE ENTRY into the following Catholic Central athletic events:

Boys Wrestling

Wed, January 12, 6:00 PM at Catholic Central

Competitive Cheerleading

Wed, January 26th, 6:30 PM at Catholic Central

Hockey

Wed, January 26th, 8:00pm Griff's Ice House

Boys Swimming

Tues, February 15th 6:30 pm David D. Hunting YMCA

Basketball

Friday, February 18th 6:00 pm Boys and Girls game at Catholic Central

*Remember to keep your Junior Cougar ID Card
until you graduate 8th Grade*



Attn: All St. Paul the Apostle Students!

LET'S CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK AND SHOW OUR SCHOOL SPIRIT!

(Catholic Schools Week is January 31st thru February 4th, 2011)

We have created a special t-shirt to celebrate Catholic Schools Week and the Junior High Play (which is Thursday, February 3rd, 2011).

If you would like to place an order, please forward your pre-order form and payment by Monday, January 10, 2011 to the school office.

Pre-Orders and payment *must* be received by Monday, January 10, 2011.

THANK YOU!

Name(s): _____ Grade(s): _____

Phone: _____

Short Sleeve T-Shirt 50/50 BLEND

with a St. Paul the Apostle School Catholic Schools Week/Junior High Play Design!

COST \$9.00 per shirt (XXL ADD \$2)

YOUTH SIZE	SMALL (6/8)	MED (10/12)	LARGE (14/16)
# of shirts	_____	_____	_____

ADULT SIZE	SMALL	MED	LARGE	X-LARGE	XX-LARGE
# of shirts	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Total number of shirts ordered _____ X \$ _____ = _____

TOTAL DUE: (checks payable to St. Paul the Apostle) _____

ANY QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT Kris Russo @ 285-1283 or krisdan@comcast.net Thank you!