

“Assisting families in educating and fostering growth of the whole child”



From the Heart

the newsletter from Sacred Heart School

Hallsissey Dress up Days!



Monday – Group Picture Day *(no dress up!)*



Tuesday – Pajama Day



Wednesday – Sports Day



Thursday – Green and Gold Day



Friday – Uniform Mass Dress

February 9, 2017

February 11 - Happy Birthday Mrs. McGiff!!, Mother Son Bowling 2 -4pm at Emerald Lanes

February 13 - Group Picture Day, Fred Meyer and Regular SCRIP orders due, Home and School 7pm in the library, Happy ½ Birthday Mrs. Fischer

February 14 - HaPpY vALeNtInEs DaY!

February 16 - Cafe Rio Day---ALL DAY!! (see flyer in the family envelope and attached at the bottom)

February 17 - Mass 8:30 (7)

February 18 - Hallsissey Tournament begins (Volunteers Needed)

February 20 - No School - Presidents Day

February 22 - 8:30 Start

February 23 - Spirit Day and March Orders Due (Blimpie, Hot Lunch, and Homework Club),
Gala Meeting at 7PM in the 6th Grade classroom

February 24 - Mass 8:30 (2)

February 25 - Father Daughter Dance 6:30-8:30

February 28 - FAT TUESDAY!!! Free Dress - Free Hot Lunch!!!

A Letter From The Principal

February SLE - Discovery of strengths and God's love: Take action! Live life to the full! And when others see the witness you give, they may ask: why do you live this way?

Dear Parents,

I pray that you are all having a good week. It has been nice to have a “normal” week of school, without so many extra activities going on. I know teachers are glad to have students in the classroom without interruptions this week. I am so grateful for our students and the wonderful teachers who work with them each day!

As you know, we wrapped up Catholic Schools Week last Friday, with the All Schools Mass, at St. Mark’s Church. It was a beautiful Mass and experience. Our students who had a part in the Mass did a fantastic job and added something special to the liturgy. I was very proud of them and all of our Sacred Heart students for recognizing the special blessing it was to be there with our fellow Catholic students from the Treasure Valley. We were blessed to have Bishop Peter Christensen there to celebrate Mass with us. I saw several Sacred Heart families at Mass, which was wonderful! Thank you for joining us!

I want to thank all of our students and families for participating in our activities last week, especially our collection for CATCH. Our students brought in change through the week, and dollars on Friday. All together we were able to raise \$575 for CATCH, and their mission to help homeless families in our community. I am excited to present this gift to them! It was a week full of blessings. Thank you, Sacred Heart!

Next week is Hallissey Week, and we have three teams competing! Sacred Heart 7th girls have a team, as well as the boys, and our 8th graders have formed a coed team. They are all gearing up for a fun weekend of basketball and faith sharing. Our week at Sacred Heart will be filled with

fun and dress up days as we prepare for the weekend. Take a look at the schedule in the newsletter for dress up days. Hallissey games will begin on Friday afternoon, here, at Sacred Heart. Good luck to our Sacred Heart teams! Go Crusaders!

Monday is group picture day. Please have your students in their school uniform and sweatshirts if they have them. Thank you!

As I have mentioned before, registration is going to look a little different this year. We are in the process of implementing a new Student Information System, Rediker, which will take the place of PowerSchool. The plan was to have the system in place and ready to begin a new online registration process now. The implementation and training has not gone quite as quickly as the diocese had planned. So, we are doing our registration in two phases. We will do a short “pre-registration” now, followed by the online registration, which will happen towards the end of the school year or first part of summer. In today’s family envelope, you will find a letter explaining registration and what is needed now. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

Please remember that there ___ school next Friday. This is our make-up day from all the time we missed with the snow in January. There is no school on Monday, 2/20, Presidents Day.

Please continue to pray for Mrs. Florence’s recovery. Her surgery on Monday went very well, and they are planning for her to go home today!

Have a great week!

In Christ,

Brock Carpenter



Saint Alphonse

SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAM

Scoliosis

If you look at someone’s back, you’ll see that [the spine](#) runs straight down the middle. When a person has [scoliosis](#), their

backbone curves to the side. The angle of the curve may be small, large or somewhere in between. The most common type of scoliosis is idiopathic; it is present at birth and may be inherited. Other types include neuromuscular scoliosis and degenerative scoliosis. Idiopathic

scoliosis usually affects those ages *10-16, progressing during the growth years*. Treatment varies and early intervention is important. The Saint Alphonsus Health Program routinely SCREENS all fifth and seventh graders. If a concern is identified, we will contact the parent and can make an appointment for the Scoliosis Evaluation Clinic which is hosted by Boise Schools and is a FREE evaluation by orthopedic specialists. (PA and Physicians). If you have questions, please call the school nurse.

Saint Alphonsus School Health Program
MaryLou Cunningham, RN, BSN, NCSN, MHS
Kim O'Sullivan, RN, BSN
Linda Miller, RN, BSN
Sherry Placido, CNA



H&S Happenings:

Mother/Son Bowling, **THIS Saturday, Feb 11th** from 2-4 at Emerald Lanes. Please have your sign-up form returned to the office by tomorrow!

Our next meeting is **Monday, Feb 13th** at 7PM in the school library. All are welcome and you will earn PALS hours and a free dress for one of your students. See the agenda below

Café Rio fundraiser, **Thursday Feb 16th, ALL DAY**, 8233 W Franklin Rd, Boise. Show the voucher for Sacred Heart to earn 20% of the proceeds. Plan a lunch with friends or co-workers, pick up dinner on the way home or stop by after that game or practice and show off your Crusader gear!

Father/Daughter Dance will be **Saturday, Feb 25th** from 7-9 in the school gym.

The Fat Tuesday Pancake Feed will be **Feb 28th** during the kids lunches. If you are interested in helping to volunteer for this event contact Patricia Guerrero: isayzeke@hotmail.com

Like the [Sacred Heart Catholic School Home & School Facebook page!](#)

If you ever have any questions about H&S and our events, feel free to contact me any time!

Nicole Nichol, Home & School Assoc. President, nthaner@gmail.com, 440-9406

Agenda

- Opening Prayer
- Officer Reports
- Treasurer - Chrissy
- PaCE - Patricia
 - Fat Tuesday Pancake Feed
 - Lenten Pretzels
 - Rice Bowls
- Room Parent Coordinator - Becky
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- President Report - Nicole
 - January school advisory board report
 - Bench Neighborhood gardens
- Old Business
- Panera Report & Upcoming nights out - Amber
- Vote on helping cover the new chairs - Nicole
- Mother/Son bowling recap - Courtney Troutner
- New Business, Upcoming Events
 - Father/Daughter dance Sat Feb. 25 - Musick's
 - Open discussion for any new ideas or concerns
- Next Meeting - Monday, March 13th, Location TBA

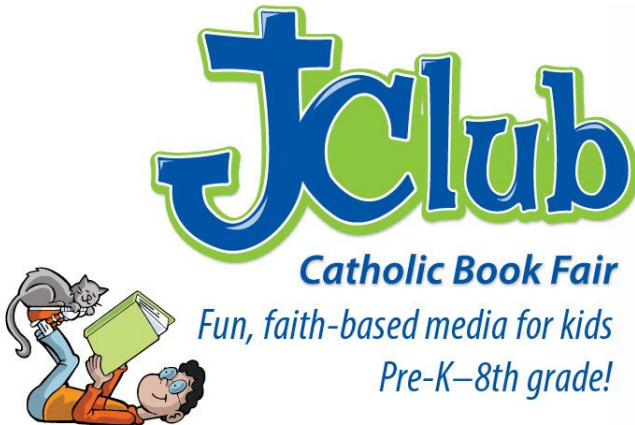
Do You Need a Tie or a New Plaid Jumper????

Sacred Heart plaid, including ties, may be purchased through www.dennisuniform.com

Our School ID is **IDSHSB**

We have a limited amount of small bow ties for sale in the office

Please make sure your 5th- 8th grade sons have Sacred Heart Plaid ties to wear to mass each week



We are still collecting orders for the JClub Book Fair. Please be sure to send in your form and money to your child's teacher, put it in the family envelope, or simply bring it to the front office. If for some reason you aren't able to get your order to school by tomorrow, Friday 2/10, then please contact Elizabeth Bauer for special arrangements. Thank you for your support!!

Elizabeth Bauer 208.440.6681 elizabethandvern@yahoo.com



Hopefully you have heard by now that the STEMBus is coming to Sacred Heart School. We are so excited! Our onsite field trip is scheduled for Tuesday, March 14th. All students will start the day at an assembly in our gymnasium. In addition, each class will have 40 minutes of time allocated to the onsite STEMBus and a STEM classroom. They will get to interact at various stations with fun, science-related activities.

We do NOT need volunteers for this event. However, because of the small size of our school, parents are welcome to come and observe the activities while their student is participating. Mark your calendar now for Tuesday, March 14th and watch for a refined schedule (coming soon) so that you know when your child's class will be spending their 40 minutes on the STEMBus or in the STEM classroom. Join us if you can.

For more information on the STEMBus, visit www.STEMBusUSA.org