

SCHOOL CLOSED – MONDAY, MAY 25TH – MEMORIAL DAY

PLEASE RETURN THE SOCCER SURVEY FOR GRADES 1-8 FOR THE Fall OF 2009

We need this information so we can determine how many soccer teams we will have in the fall.

Need your response no later than Friday, May 22nd

All Current 1st Grade Parents Meeting, Tuesday, May 26th – 6:00-7:00pm

Please join me, members of the school commission, and 1st, 2nd, 3rd grade teachers for a meeting outlining next year's class and staffing. The meeting will be in the gym on Tuesday, May 26, 2009, from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Please, no children if possible. Thank you - Eileen Gray

TITLE 1 PARENT MEETING – THURSDAY, MAY 28 – 6:00-7:00pm

TITLE 1 PARENTS & CAREGIVERS: You're invited to attend a meeting on **Preventing Academic Regression** over the summer months. We'll be meeting Thursday, May 28th from 6-7pm in the school library. If you haven't signed up yet, please do so by completing the registration form enclosed in today's parent envelope. See you there! Title I Staff.

BEFORE SCHOOL PROGRAM HAS OPENINGS! See Ms. Elliott

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2ND GRADE STUDENTS WHO RECEIVED 1ST EUCHARIST LAST WEEKEND: Martina Borghesi, Donny Buchanan, Roger Souarez and Noah Williams.

Mandatory Track Practice Monday & Wednesday at Franklin High School – 5:30-7:00pm

Team Championship Meet, Saturday, May 30, 10:00 am (confirmed)

**@ Highline Stadium, 225 South 152nd Street – Burien, WA
(Participants must be there at 45 minutes before the meets begin)**

REMINDER...SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR, CONTINUES THRU TOMORROW, MAY 21st

RESCHEDULED: Thursday, May 21st, 6:30pm-8:00pm (parents only)

Book Fair Hours:

Wednesday & Thursday 3:00pm –6:30pm

Thursday 8:00am-8:30am

Book-fair accepts – Visa, Master Card, American Express, Debit with Visa/Master Card logo, checks
Donate your spare change for additional books to be added to our school library. Donation box is located on Mrs. Branch's desk.

Library Books: No more library books checked out for the rest of the year! All Library books must be returned A.S.A.P.

NEED PARENT VOLUNTEER HOURS? VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

- Friday, May 29, FUN DAY – 9:00-11:30am
- Friday, June 5, 8th GRADE BRUNCH – 8:30am-1:00pm (Set-up, clean-up)
- Friday, June 5, 8th Grade Graduation Reception – 6:00-8:30pm
- Monday, June 8, All School Picnic, 10:30am-1:30pm
- Thursday, June 11, Field Day – 8:30-11:30am

NO MORE I.O.U'S FOR LUNCH & NO MORE CUP O' NOODLES

Please send in your child's I.O.U. for lunch as soon as possible so that report cards can be given out at the end of the year.

Ron McNair Camp-In @ Pacific Science Center – Presented by Blacks In Science

When: Saturday, May 30-Sunday, May 31, 2009

Who: Boys and Girls, ages 8-12 and their adult chaperones. All children are welcome regardless of color or creed. **Time:** 5:30pm Saturday to 9:00am Sunday. \$60 full payment, Scholarships available. Pre-registration is not necessary, but you may RSVP via email to camp-in@pacsci.org by May 26th. In the body of your email include the name of the main contact, group or family name and estimated number of participants. Permission forms can be downloaded at www.pacificsciencecenter.org/camp-in/ronmcnair. (*Permission forms are also located in the school office*).

FIELD TRIPS & DATES SACK LUNCH NEEDED

Thursday, May 21, Grades K, 1 - 9-11:30am (SCT) **BRING SACK LUNCH**

Thursday, June 4, Kindergarten Field Trip (Zoo) - **BRING SACK LUNCH**

Thursday, June 4, Grades 3,4 – Seattle Children's Theater - **BRING SACK LUNCH**

YEARBOOKS ON SALE NOW, \$28 – PLEASE PRE-PAY A.S.A.P. (Fill out the Order form below).

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Mondays & Wednesdays

May 20,21

Thursday, May 21

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Monday, May 25

Tuesday, May 26

Thursday, May 28

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Friday, May 29

Saturday, May 30

Thursday, June 4

Friday, June 5

Track Practice 5:30-7:00pm @ Franklin High School

Scholastic 2-For-1 Bookfair

Grade K-4 Talent Show Try-outs, 7:45-8:30am, 3-4pm

Rescheduled Bookfair Meeting (*parents only*) 6:30pm-8pm

Grades K & 1 Field Trip, 9-11:30am (**Bring Sack Lunch**)

MEMORIAL DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED!

1st Grade Parent Meeting – 6:00-7:00pm

Middle School Science Fair – 1:30pm in Gym

Title 1 Parent Meeting – 6:00-7:00pm

Fun Day & Talent Show

Team Championship Track Meet @ 10:00am

Kindergarten Field Trip (Zoo), 9am (**Bring Sack Lunch**)

8th Grade Graduates & Parents Brunch @ 10:00am

Graduation Ceremony 6:30pm

Enclosures: Volunteer/Fundraising Bulletin, Athletic Bulletin, Soccer Survey, Kindergarten Service-Learning Project, Boys & Girls Clubs Best Summer Ever, Seattle University Redhawk Soccer Camp, June Menu

YEAR BOOK ORDER FORM - \$28.00 (MUST BE PRE-PAID)

Year Of Books _____ Name & Grade of Child _____ \$ Amount enclosed _____

Student Council upcoming fundraising events: The Council is raising money for the following school projects: 1) Honor Roll awards for students who have successfully made honors 1st and 2nd trimesters. 2) Class prizewinners for the Black History Month Contest. We have 15 posters to raffle off. 15 winners will be chosen. The more tickets you buy the higher the odds of your winning!

Save "Box Tops For Education"

SAVE THOSE INKJET CARTRIDGES!

Please send your empty inkjet cartridges to school in a plastic bag and place them in the yellow/green recycle bin next to the Kindergarten classroom

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER TO CALL IN CASE OF EARTHQUAKE

509-575-5557 (St. Joseph School/ Yakima, WA)

Please call St. Joseph School in Yakima, Washington at 509-575-5557 in case of an earthquake. St. Therese School will have forwarded information to that school. Please call them first, because Seattle phone numbers may be busy.

INCLEMENT WEATHER & SCHOOL CLOSURE

If weather and safety conditions require our school to close, parents and students must listen to early broadcast announcements on TV (channels 4,5,7) and on their websites.

When we have inclement weather, St. Therese School is either open or closed. If there is a storm, and the Seattle Public Schools are closed, St. Therese School is closed. We never delay our start time, however if your children are late due to weather, they will not be considered tardy.