



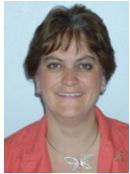
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By Faith and By Learning



Message from the Principal

I pray that everyone had a wonderful first few days of school. I enjoyed seeing all the smiling faces and have started learning the new children's names. Hopefully, I will remember them all on Monday.

This year, I will be teaching 5/6 religion. We will be introducing some service projects throughout the year, so watch for them and help when you can.

Please help me welcome Mrs. Howard, the lunch aide, to our school family. Her first three days have been uneventful. We are glad to have her as part of our team.

Even though this newsletter is a welcome back note, it has a plethora of information. Please read to stay informed.

*In the service of Christ,
Mrs. Carroll*



Our HASA officers have been busy at work already this year. They have games arranged for the Back-to-School Picnic at the Knights of

Columbus Hall, 595 Huntington Street, Wabash this Sunday, Aug. 22 at 12:00. A Flyer was sent home on Wednesday.

We have a HASA meeting scheduled for Monday, Sept. 13 at 6:30 p.m. Join us to hear about the opportunities you have to get involved and stay informed. If you have an agenda item, please turn it in to Deb Wagner or the school office by Sept. 3.

Early Bird Raffle tickets must be turned in by Sept. 3. Need tickets to sell or buy? See Mrs. Dyer. Sell those raffle tickets!



Prayers

Please say prayers of thanksgiving for our teachers. Please pray for Mrs. Dubois and her sister. Mrs. Dubois moved to New York to take care of her sister, who has MS.

Ice Cream Social/Open House

We will have an open house on Thursday, Sept. 2 5:30-6:30. Join us for ice cream and see what the children have done so far this year!



Principal's Challenge

Each month I issue a challenge to the students. They may try for any or all of the months throughout the year. The first challenge this year is on the bulletin board near the principal's office.

Students are to find out "Who Said This?"

The philosophy of the school room in one generation will be the philosophy of the government in the next.' And 'Sir, my concern is not whether God is on our side; my greatest concern is to be on God's side, for God is always right.'" Next week a third quote will be added that gives a clue. The same person is responsible for all three quotes, and we will learn more about this person this year.



Market Day

Forms for ordering Market Day are coming home today. Our next order date is Tuesday, Sept. 14 with pick-up on Saturday, Sept. 18. We have an opportunity to earn extra profit each month. Our goal for September is \$3600 in sales. Remember this can be used for service hours. See Mrs. Kelley for details.

Alumni Reception

August 21 and 22, 2010 will be the first “Homecoming” weekend of what will hopefully become an annual event. On Saturday, Aug. 21 alumni are invited to visit the school between 3:00 and 5:00. They are also invited to the parish/back-to-school picnic on Sunday, Aug. 22 at 12:00 at the Knights of Columbus. If you know any alumni, please invite them and have them email Sandy at teamjohnson5@verizon.net or call 260-569-4834 with the following information:

- Name(ladies include maiden & married)
- Address
- Phone number
- Email address
- Years attended St. Bernard

Thank you for helping invite former St. Bernard students to our first “Homecoming.”

SCRIP

SCRIP is a fundraising program that helps keep tuition costs down. We receive gift cards at a discounted rate, so when you are considering gift cards please order them from our school.

We will place an order on Monday, Aug. 23. If you would like to order, please turn in a form with the money before 10:00a.m.

If you have questions about how this works, please see Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Whetstone, or Mrs. Carroll.

Fall SCRIP order dates are:

Aug. 23	Oct. 25
Sept. 13	Nov. 8
Sept. 27	Nov. 29
Oct. 11	Dec. 13

That gives you eight times to place orders before Christmas.



Marketing Popcorn Sales

For just \$0.50 your child can purchase a bag of popcorn on “Spirit Friday”. Students may also wear Pride Wear or Spirit shirts on those days. Watch for more information on Pride Wear orders for this year to come home soon.

We will have popcorn sales on the following dates: Aug. 27, Sept. 10 & 24, Oct. 8 & 15, Nov. 5 & 19, Dec. 3 & 10.

Reminders

Aug. 21	Alumni reunion
Aug. 22	Back-to-School Picnic
Aug. 27	Popcorn sale
Sept. 2	Ice cream social & Open house 5:30
Sept. 6	No School
Sept. 10	Popcorn sale
Sept. 13	SCRIP order due
Sept. 14	Market Day due
Sept. 15	School Board 6:30
Sept. 18	Market Day pick-up
Sept. 22	Mid terms home
Sept. 24	Popcorn sale
Sept. 27	SCRIP order due