

ST. GENEVIEVE SCHOOL
PARENT NEWSLETTER
April 12, 2010

Dear Parents,

We hope that your Easter was blessed with friends and family and that you and your children were able to rest this past week. The end of the school year is close and it is always filled with lots of activities for parents and students.

One of the first things we need to do in the next two weeks is to make sure that our children know what to do if approached by strangers or even people they know who might harm them. Our school offers three lessons per grade level, called 'Good Touch, Bad Touch'. We are sending home permission forms for you to sign today. Please sign these and return by Wednesday at the latest, so that we can use the next two weeks to fulfill our obligations as a school to safeguard our children.

Our 6th through 8th graders, will have the opportunity to receive more information regarding drug use and sexuality, through workshops given tomorrow by Lisa Rodriguez to smaller groups, girls separate from boys. Mrs. Rodriguez is our school counselor and has worked for many years in various high schools as school counselors. By signing the 'Good Touch, Bad Touch' form, these 6th through 8th grade students are given permission to take part in this workshop as well as the regular 'Good Touch, Bad Touch' program.

Wednesday, the 7th and 8th graders, will be attending field trips. On Thursday, we are asking our students to give a \$1.00 donation to watch our Cherubim Choir perform their award winning competition numbers. The program will take place at 2:00 pm in Madonna Hall. Parents are welcome to come for free. The choir will be competing again on Saturday in Fullerton. We wish them good luck. On Tuesday through Thursday there will be try-outs for the School Talent Show after school.

Casino Night will take place on Friday in Madonna Hall. Remember that for every ticket you sell, you will receive \$10.00 in service hours or fundraising. For the Poker Tournament, you can earn \$25.00 for either per ticket. We do have babysitting in the Kindergarten classrooms for an additional \$10.00 per child. Children should come with snacks, sleeping bag or mats and a pillow. They should wear comfortable clothing. We will have some games for them, a movie, and nap time around 9:30 pm or earlier if they are tired. Please call the front office to sign them up if they will be coming. Thank you.

Remember, that if you pay the school registration for next year by April 16, you will receive 5 service hours (one per family) towards next school year. The registration per child in Grades K-5 is \$350.00, and grades 6-8 is \$450.00 per student.

The pre – school is coming along. We have most of the playground set up, are putting in the trke path in which the bricks you are buying now will be placed. The last day for

the brick order is at the end of this month. You will receive fundraising or service hours for the purchase of these bricks, which will help us pay for this project. Thank you!

April 13, Tuesday	Talent Show Try-Outs K-2
April 14, Wednesday	Field Trips, Grade 7 and Grade 8 Good Touch, Bad Touch Try-Outs for Grade 3-5 for Talent Show Chess Club
April 15, Thursday	\$1.00 Cherubim Choir Show at 2:00 pm Second Counting for School Pageant Talent Show Try-Outs for Grades 6-8
April 16, Friday	School Mass 11:00 am Casino Night 6:30 pm until 11:00 pm
April 18 th , Saturday	Barnes and Noble Book Fair in Burbank begins Cherubim Choir Competition in Fullerton Barnes and Noble Book Fair
April 19 th , Sunday	Barnes and Noble Book Fair
April 20, Monday	Movie Trip for Walk-A-Thon and Decathlon members The Plant 'How to Train Your Dragon'
April 22, Wednesday	Chess Club
April 28, Wednesday	Chess Club
April 30, Friday	First Communion Practice with parents, 7:00 pm
May 1, Saturday	First Communion, Grade 2 Golf Tournament
May 5, Wednesday	Chess Club
May 7, Friday	School Mass, Grade 1, 11:00 am Muffins for Mom, 7:00 – 8:30 am
May 11, Tuesday	Grade 8 Retreat
May 12, Wednesday	Chess Club
May 18, Tuesday	Talent Show, Level 1 – Kindergarten to Grade 5, 9:00 am
May 19, Wednesday	Talent Show, Level 2 – Grade 6 to 8; 9:00 am
May 20, Thursday	Final Counting for Pageant Grade One Field Trip
May 21, Friday	May Crowning Mass at 11:00 am
May 26, Wednesday	Chess Club
May 27, Thursday	Coronation of the Winners of the School Pageant; Dinner at Castaway, Burbank beginning at 5:00 pm Registration Fee Due per child
May 28, Friday	NO SCHOOL, MEMORIAL DAY
May 31, Monday	NO SCHOOL, MEMORIAL DAY

