



St. Thomas More Catholic School

EAGLES' WINGS

"I am the way, the truth and the life"

August 2010

Dear STM Parents and Students,

I hope you and your family are having a restful and refreshing summer vacation. The days are passing quickly and before long it will be time to return to St. Thomas More Catholic School for the 2010-11 school year. Each month, you will receive the Eagle's Wings newsletter, a monthly calendar, and Eagle's Express weekly updates to keep you informed about life at St. Thomas More Catholic School. Please take the time each month to review this valuable information.

Our mission states that "St. Thomas More Catholic School is committed to continuing a legacy of excellence in religious and academic education in a nurturing environment that fosters self discipline." We strive to ensure that our strategic planning goals and all school-based decisions are rooted in our founding mission. We remain dedicated to the great tradition of Catholic education. Our faculty's commitment to the development of the whole child is unmatched. In partnership with our Church, parents and community, we foster an atmosphere that emphasizes high academic achievement and Christian Values. We will continue to provide for a balance in all these areas. To nurture the hearts and minds of our students is to affirm their future. At STM, we believe in the promise of the future because we are optimistic in the successes of all of our students. During the last week of school in May, our 8th grade class selected our theme for this year; "I am the way, the truth and the life." (John 14:6) This theme touches every component of the mission of STM. Our school Masses, retreats, paraliturgies and service activities will include reflections on this theme in which Jesus calls us to follow Him in all that we do.

We thank you for your trust and confidence in educating your children and we thank all those who sacrifice to make these opportunities possible for our children. We are honored that you are willing to walk with us to demonstrate to our students and our faith community that a respectful, educational partnership is our priority. STM is committed to mentoring and facilitating the growth of your children academically, socially and emotionally in a safe, loving, and nurturing Catholic environment. An environment of mutual respect challenges all children to realize their full potential in all aspects of daily life.

This year, I invite you to join enthusiastically in our experiences, learning, and celebrations. Please participate in the activities, lend a hand, visit our classrooms, join with the Home and School Association and Men's Club, attend our Back to School Nights, take pride in our work and accomplishments, and be an active member of our STM family. Your involvement in our community helps us better serve you.

As I mentioned in our May newsletter, we spent the summer developing facility improvement plans so that we may begin major building renovations very soon. During the general session of the Back-to-School Nights (August 17 and August 19), I will share with you the exciting schematics of our progress.

Please join me in welcoming new teachers, and all returning teachers, to STM for next year. They spent several days on campus working within departments and grade levels to continue writing sequential curriculum maps and cohesive instructional units based upon national standards, state frameworks, and best practices in teaching research

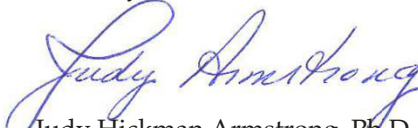
- Aimee Dicharry substituted at STM last year and returns to STM to teach Kindergarten. She is a graduate of St. Joseph's Academy and LSU and is certified in Early Childhood Education.
- Angelle Chenevert will be teaching 2nd grade. She is a graduate of STM, St. Michael the Archangel High School and LSU and is certified in Elementary Education. Angelle has been a STM counselor for the Pre-school, summer camp, and extended care.
- Ruth Linder joins the STM faculty as the music, choir, and band instructor for all grades. She is a graduate of Southeastern Louisiana University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Music and a M. Ed. in Music Performance.
- Michelle Smith will be teaching junior high math and science. She holds a Bachelor of Science degree and a M. Ed. in Mathematics. Mrs. Smith previously taught at St. Joseph's Academy and the Louisiana School for Math and Science.

STM Men's Club and Green Thumb Committee Sponsor Back to School Work Day

On Saturday, August 7, 2010 starting at 8:30 am all are invited to come out for a clean up of the grounds. Please come and bring the whole family for fellowship and fun while we get the grounds looking great. Jr. High and High School students needing service hours are also welcome. In addition to clean up chores, volunteers can help supervise children too young to help as well as help serve lunch and drinks. We will meet in front of the gym. Drinks and lunch will be provided. Bring your gloves, garden clippers and any other tools you think you may need. Edgers and blowers are also welcome. Please call or email Bridget Day at 752-7706, bdcdlay@bellsouth.net or the STM Men's Club at men@stmmensclub.org.

Thank you for the faith you have in us, the faculty and staff. Be assured that each Monday morning, those of us on campus pray for you. We remain in great gratitude for your commitment and support of St. Thomas More Catholic School community. We trust you will collaborate with us as we build on the great foundation of the past and look to a future filled with hope.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,


Judy Hickman Armstrong, Ph.D.
Principal

Continuing a Legacy of Excellence



Academic Education

Students Awarded for Great Job!

We are so proud of the outstanding job our students do here at STM. Here are some of the highlights from the End of the Year Awards for the 2009-2010 school year.

Jake Borne, 6th grader received the courtesy award who exemplified a Christian attitude of good citizenship, respect, kindness and above all, courtesy to all, students, teachers, and administrators alike.

The Student of the year award, based on scholarship, school and community service was presented to Christopher Alumbaugh, 5th grade.

Two students, Whitley Claire Moore and Beau Abadie of 5th grade, were awarded the Donovan Cook Memorial Award who carry the qualities of being kind, considerate and friendly toward others during work and play.

The Outstanding Educational Improvement award was presented to the following students who made outstanding progress, tried diligently and did their best in the classroom. In first grade - Tyler Arceneaux, Noah Brandt, Madelyn FaKouri, Cole Grantham, Brice Landry, Juliette Lemoine, Angel Nguyen and Isabella Spano. In second grade - Cameron Collier, Olivia Gomez, Hanna Hebert, Riley Landry, Timothy Levron, Justin Nguyen, Connor Taylor and Michelle Vu. In third grade - Madison Cefalu, Madeline Corvers, Anna Crifasi, Maddie Ieyoub, Gregory Martin, Ashlon Morris, Brock Perry and Barrett Simpson. In fourth grade - Rachel Barnett, Kendal Leindecker, Andrew Rackley, Douglas Saucier, Emily Titus and Dylan Vo.

Fifty-six students were awarded Honor Student certificates, they are as follows:

5th Grade

Beau Abadie
Christopher Alumbaugh
Gabrielle Bella
Lance Blanchard
Cordenne Brewster
Josh Brooks
Elena Eddington
Abigail Green
Reilly Helm
Sydney Kilpatrick
Dominic Maggio
Kevin Nguyen
Tiffany Pham
Richard Schiro
Wayne Stabler
David Tran
Christopher Tullier
Taylor Wisinger

6th Grade (con't)

Sarah Bellue
Brennan Burke
Roman Corripio
Daniel Crifasi
Sammy Culotta
Jackson Davis
Camille DeBenedetto
Denver Denison
Hannah Dileo
Cole Catherine Dunnam
Matthew Eckert
Savannah Esteve
Elise Farris
Lauren Foshee
Lauryn Goff
Ashlyn Hindrichs
Munira Khaled
Annalise Lasavia
Caroline Magee
Mason Mann
Brian Manthei
Amie Martinez

6th Grade (con't)

Natalie Presedo
Chase Priest
Jessie Quantrille
Colin Shortess
Mark Thibodeaux
Stormi Verret
Rebekah Willoughby

7th Grade

Anna Devall
Lauren Greene
Mike Le
Katie Lecoq
Andrew Littlefield
Brandon Rinaudo
Steven Shumaker

6th Grade

Delia Ardoin
Zoe Beaman

Thirteen students received trophies for Principal's List. These students maintained all A's each 9 weeks in all subjects on their report card. In fourth grade - Stephen Gaudin, Mikeaela Medica and Ann Nguyen. In fifth grade - Josh Brooks, Abigail Green and Dominic Maggio. In sixth grade - Brennan Burke, Cole Catherine Dunnam, Riana Gaudet, Molly Sides and Avery Talbot. In seventh grade - Mike Le.

Congratulations to all these students!!

Online Tutoring and Homework Help

Stuck on a homework problem, struggling with a concept you didn't understand in class or studying for an exam, a highly qualified expert who has completed a thorough background check can help. This program is offered by the State Library of Louisiana. Visit www.homeworkla.org

Summer Reading

This summer STM offered two dates, June 23 and July 21, for summer reading testing to our 3rd-6th grade students. Summer reading is vital to maintain reading skills. The summer testing dates are provided to allow students who have completed a book to test prior to the start of school. For some children, this will decrease their stress of having to retain a large amount of information for the entire summer. If your family schedule prohibited early testing, do not be concerned. We will arrange for summer reading testing the first week of school. Please visit our web-site for more details on summer reading!

DKI Acting Academy

Is Drama Kids just for younger grades? Definitely not! We have curriculum for ages 3-18 with never a repeated lesson. Middle schoolers take our Acting Academy curriculum, complete with lessons that cover role-play, improvisation, focus and concentration, and much more. The year culminates with a play written especially for their age group. We are gauging interest for an Acting Academy class to begin at STM in the Fall of 2010. If interested, contact Beth Jones at dramakidsbr@eatel.net, or call 644-4517, or reach her via the website www.dramakids.com.

Students Attend National Leadership Conference

Congratulations to **Jonathan Fresina** and **Maddy Wilks** who attended the National Leadership Conference this summer in Washington, D.C. We are so proud of you!

Students honored as they leave eighth grade

Twenty-two students received the St. Thomas More Award at the eighth grade promotional exercise at STM School on May 15. Those commended for exemplifying some of the attributes of the school's patron, and for their respect and loyal support of the school through their attitudes and actions, were Hanna Blanchard, Emily Bowers, Michael DeJean, Chandler Denison, Amanda Duke, Connor Fields, Lauren Findish, Elizabeth Foshee, Erica Fruge', Kendall Gaudin, Mallory Gill, Parker Harrell, Courtney King, Hope Mayer, Nicholas Pate, Jake Perry, Matthew Polito, Connor Rabalais, Eric Roussel, Hunter Rube, Tess Sherburne, and Christopher Spedale.

Home and School Association president Tammy Bogan presented honor medals and \$200 savings bonds to Matthew Greene and Hunter Rube who attained the highest scholastic averages in the class. These two students along with Kendall Gaudin, Mallory Gill, Courtney King, Christian Lemoine, Eric Roussel, Tess Sherburne and Christopher Spedale, were recognized for achieving Principal's List for all four nine weeks of the eighth grade year.

Parker Harrell received the St. Thomas More Memorial Scholarship, which is a partial scholarship to a Catholic high school. The award is based on scholarship, service, initiative and need.

The St. Thomas More Knights of Columbus Council #5530 Scholarship award is presented to encourage continued interest in education within the local Catholic high school system. Scholarship recipients were Hope Mayer and Zachary Watts.

Hanna Blanchard was awarded the St. Michael the Archangel High School Foundation Scholarship. This scholarship is offered to a graduating eighth-grader accepted to St. Michael the Archangel.

The 2010 recipient of the Jake T. Ragusa, Jr. Scholarship, an award given annually by the Ragusa family to a student who will attend St. Michael the Archangel High School, was Jake Perry.

Elizabeth Foshee and Michael DeJean received the Pearl Fournet Memorial Scholarship, established in the memory of long-time STM School teacher Pearl Fournet, whose support of Catholic education and Christian family values was exemplary.

The Andy and Rita Stephens Scholarship established by their family and friends, recognizes Mr. and Mrs. Stephens for their dedication and support of STM Church and School. The scholarship is presented to an eighth grade student attending Catholic High School or St. Joseph's Academy. The scholarship was awarded to Hunter Rube.

Jennifer Repp was awarded the The John E. Mouton Scholarship, established in memory of John E. Mouton who served as a model for living the life Christ would have us to live. This scholarship is given every five years to an eighth-grader from a diocesan elementary school who will be attending St. Michael High School and models a Christian attitude, and thoughtfulness, as well as understand and exemplify the knowledge of the importance of a Catholic education.

Academic Honors were presented to students who maintained a 3.5 or higher academic average each nine weeks while receiving no lower than a B in any grade given on the report card. The 2010 recipients were Baylor Barron, Austin Bollich, Emily Bowers, Michael DeJean, Chandler Denison, Amanda Duke, Connor Fields, Lauren Findish, Elizabeth Foshee, Erica Fruge', Kendall Gaudin, Mallory Gill, Matthew Greene, Parker Harrell, Jordan Holland, Courtney King, Christian Lemoine, Rachel Macmurdo, Shane Manthei, Emily Martinez, Nicholas Pate, Abigail Perrault, Matthew Polito, Connor Rabalais, Eric Roussel, Hunter Rube, Tess Sherburne, Sean Simmons, Christopher Spedale, Cole Thornton and Nicholas Trahan.

STM School also presented other awards for academics, conduct, service and Junior Beta Club awards.

Eager Readers

St. Thomas More Catholic School builds a reading culture throughout the school stimulating their students desire to read and their enjoyment of reading. This year, fourteen STM students earned over 500 points. STM's top reader, **Vivian Brown** fourth grader earned over 1000 points. **Daniel Crifasi**, sixth grader, earned over 700 points. In addition to these readers, 105 students earned over 200 points and 150 students earned 100-199 points.

Grades third through sixth participate in the AR program which assists the students in developing reading as a habit. Students earn AR points by reading books on their grade level, then taking AR Tests. These multiple choice tests are taken on the computer. Students receive points based upon their test scores.

Congratulations eager readers!

Summer Professional Development

During the few days of summer vacation for students, all STM teachers spent two additional days on campus working within departments and grade levels to continue writing sequential curriculum maps and cohesive instructional units based upon national standards, state frameworks, and best practices in teaching research.

The following teachers continued summer professional development through their participation in the following workshops and conferences:

Dr. Judy Armstrong - Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development Conference on Differentiated Instruction and School Leadership Center Institute: Leadership, From Commitment to Community.

Ann DeJean and Carol Harlow - Standardized Testing Data Interpretation Workshop.

Brant Ruiz and Sara Wisdom - Environmental Studies Workshop at the Louisiana Marine Consortium.



Nurturing Environment That Fosters Self-Discipline

Nurse's Notes

Welcome back from summer break! If your children have had any change in their medical history, please notify me in writing. Also, updated shot records are REQUIRED for kindergarten, sixth grade, or any new students. Medical forms for medication administration at school need to be updated EVERY school year. Blank forms were sent home in May, additional copies are available in First Aid. Please read the handbook regarding our school's medication policy. Students are NOT allowed to carry medications on campus at any time. Please call Rochelle Bowman, RN, at 272-3072 with any questions regarding immunizations or medications at school.

2010-2011 Uniform Reminders/Additions

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All students should be in compliance with the uniform guidelines the first day of school. For any student not meeting the uniform requirements on the first day of school, a letter will be sent home from the homeroom teacher. The following are updates to the uniform code for the 2010-2011 school year.

- School Mass Uniform:
 - o Girls – jumper, skirt, skort, or navy blue pants
 - o Boys – long pants

Due to the warmer temperature in Louisiana in August and September, boys will be allowed to wear shorts to Mass.

- Uniform Length: The length of all girls' and boys' shorts and girls' skirts, skorts, and jumpers must be touching the knee.

*We realize that students grow over the summer. Parents may want to wait to have uniforms hemmed until the end of July in order to meet the uniform requirements.

- Pants: The cut of the pants for girls and boys cannot be tapered in.
- Tennis Shoes: Must be the traditional low quarter (low cut) style with shoe laces. Skateboard style shoes are not allowed. The laces must be traditionally tied. The majority of the shoe and laces must be predominately solid white, navy, gray or black. Shoes with characters, patterns, velcro, zippers, or wheels are not allowed. Please note light blue has been removed and a shoe with any type of pattern (plaid, checker board, etc.) is not allowed.
- Spirit Shirt: The Home and School Association spirit shirt is changing for the 2010-2011 school year. There will be a two year transition period. An order form will be sent out in August.

Bell Schedule and Announcements

This year our first bell will ring at 8:20 am, students must be in line by the first bell. If they are not in line the student must report to the cafeteria for a tardy slip. Our afternoon announcements will begin at 3:20 pm. We will start dismissing our students immediately after announcements. Please make sure your child knows how he/she will be getting home. It may help to put it in their homework assignment pad the night before as a reminder. We do understand that changes do occur during the day and we will be happy to relay that message to your child. Announcements become very lengthy in the afternoons and we would like to keep it to a minimum this year.

School Bus Information

If you have not heard from your bus driver, please contact the East Baton Rouge Parish Transportation Department at 226-3660.

Special Note: Mr. Joe Wade bus will not be running for the 2010-2011 school year.

Lunch

Parents are invited to eat lunch with their children. Kindergarten and first grade have an assigned day for visitors to attend. In order to assist the cafeteria, please contact them at 275-4347 by 8:00 am to let them know you are coming. Kindergarten on Tuesday and 1st Grade on Wednesday (after the 1st nine weeks). A lunch menu is provided at www.stmbr.org.

Back to School Night

We encourage all parents to come to Back to School Night. This night is for parents to meet your child's teachers and follow a modified schedule. Back to School Night will be held in the Gym on the following days:

- August 17, 6:00 pm - Grades 5-8
- August 19, 6:00 pm - Grades K-4

School Pictures

Homeroom and individual school pictures will be taken on August 13. Girls need to wear their skirts and blouse or jumpers without the blouse and boys wear long pants and shirt.

Tuition Draft Dates

The tuition draft dates for the upcoming school year as determined by the STM School Board and Administration are:

- August 4, 2010
- September 7, 2010
- October 4, 2010
- November 4, 2010
- December 6, 2010
- January 4, 2011
- March 4, 2011
- April 4, 2011
- May 4, 2011

Re-registration fees will be drafted in February 2011 (the exact date to be determined at a later time). No tuition is drafted in February.

NON-DISCRIMINATORY POLICY *St. Thomas More Catholic School admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on any national, ethnic or religious basis in administration of the school's education policies, financial assistance programs, athletics or any other school administered activities.*

Flyers Attached: General School Year Calendar and August Calendar, Circles of Care Form, Fundraiser Flyer, Homeroom Class List, Home and School Brochure, TGIF Flyer.



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Music Memos

Liturgy Choir

St. Thomas More Catholic School invites Fourth through Eighth Grade students to participate in the Liturgy Choir. The Liturgy Choir performs at All-School Masses and members have the opportunity to serve as cantors. Students involved in the group meet every Thursday morning from 7:30 am - 8:10 am.

Liturgy Choir is an excellent learning opportunity for students interested in singing and performing. Most importantly, the choir helps lead worship. All students wishing to cantor need to participate in the group. Members should enjoy singing, working with others, and having fun.

Rehearsals are held at school and students walk together to morning assembly after rehearsal. Once the size of the group is known, the specific rehearsal room will be announced. Students will receive more information on the first day of school and a form will need to be filled out and returned prior to participating. The first rehearsal will be on or near Thursday, September 2nd.

If you have any questions in the interim, please email Ruth Linder, Music Teacher at linderr@stmbr.org. She looks forward to working with your children!

Bands

St. Thomas More Catholic School invites Fourth through Eighth Grade students to participate in one of its Bands. The Advanced Band will comprise of students who have at least one year of experience on their instrument and it will meet on Wednesday and Friday mornings from 7:30 am - 8:10 am on the stage in the Gymnasium. After Band, the students will walk to morning assembly.

The Beginner Band will comprise of students who have not yet received any training on their instrument and it will meet after school on the stage in the Gym. The Woodwinds (flute, clarinet, saxophone) will meet Mondays, Percussion will meet Wednesdays, and the Brass (trumpet, trombone, French horn) will meet Thursdays. All rehearsals will end at 4:30 pm, so please be prompt when making arrangements to pick up your child.

The Bands will perform for concerts and school events as requested. Students need to love music, be able to work well with others, and be eager to learn! Students will receive more information on the first day of school and a form will need to be filled out and returned prior to participating. The first rehearsals will take place the week of Monday, August 30th.

Students will need to have a working instrument and a method book on the first day of rehearsal. Information on brands and the methods book will be given on the first day of school.

If you have any questions in the interim, feel free to email Ruth Linder, Music Teacher at linderr@stmbr.org. She very excited about working with your children!

Nutrition Program - Breakfast and Lunch

The Child Nutrition Program welcomes you back to school. We encourage all families to participate in our School Breakfast and Lunch program. We have many exciting menu changes for the new year that focus on nutrition and variety. An increased selection of extra items such as 100% juice drinks will be available for sale to students participating in the lunch program. Please remember that payments are due in advance. Meal charges will be debited from the account as meals are purchased. A complete payment calendar will be sent home at the beginning of the school year.

August meal prices are: Lunch: Full Price - \$41.65, Reduced - \$.6.80 and Breakfast: TBA

Volunteering-Child Protection Requirements

We have been directed by our Diocesan office to ensure that all volunteers have the necessary paperwork to prove they have been through all the steps for child protection. The Safe Environment Program is mandated by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. The program requires that we complete the following:

1. Completion of the "Catholic Diocese of Baton Rouge Application for Employees and Volunteers"
2. Background checks for all employees and for adult volunteers working in an ongoing, unsupervised role with children
3. Child Protection training for all employees and for adult volunteers working in an ongoing, unsupervised role with children
4. Signed acknowledgement for the Code of Ethics and the Diocese of Baton Rouge Internet and E-mail Policy

The Office of Child and Youth Protection is responsible for monitoring Diocesan-wide Safe Environment compliance. The Diocese and we at STM know that this paperwork, class, and background check is time consuming for us all. We are grateful that our volunteers are willing to go through this process to be with our children and teachers. If you volunteer through a Home and School committee or just hope to make a field trip during the year, please come by our office to get the necessary packet.

Thank you for your patience as we comply with these guidelines. We do want our children safe, and that is what we want to secure through this process.

New Mass Schedule

Tuesdays, 8:45 am - Grades 5th - 8th Thursdays, 8:45 am - Grades K - 4th

The Good Samaritan Pantry Needs You!

Please help brighten the days of STM families in crisis by donating a frozen meal to the Good Samaritan Pantry at STM. Bring it frozen, labeled in a disposable dish to the school during summer office hours. The Pantry is empty at this time. Mail Jane Brown at brownfamily7079@att.net if you have questions!

School Directory Volunteers Needed!

The Membership Committee is ready to organize volunteers and publish the directory. Please fill out our Volunteer Opportunities and Directory Forms and send them to the school office in an envelope marked, "H&S Forms". There are several committees that need to get organized and be ready soon after school begins (e.g., Cafeteria, Fundraising, Library, Morning Duty, Membership and Room Mothers) so we ask that you to send in your forms as soon as possible.

We will also be working on the Student/Parent Directory. Please print legibly on the form. Remember, the information for this directory comes directly from the forms you submit; NOT the school. Be on the look-out for an order form to purchase extra copies. We expect to have the directory published and delivered by late September or early October.

Room Mother Opportunity

Make this a special year for your child and be his/her room mother for the 2010-2011 school year. Please email Kathleen Lovretich at jklov94@cox.net or call 275-1377, if you wish to sign up. A meeting to discuss what is expected of you will be in early August.

We look forward to working with you,
Gina McKnight, Alice Bowers and Kathleen Lovretich

Spirit Items

New spirit shirts are available. The classic logo t-shirts will be good for two more years. We will be updating our Spirit Shop online with new items. Order forms are available on the www.stmbr.org website under Home & School. If you have any questions, please email Beth Broussard at stmspiritshop@gmail.com

Greet New Families

The Family Mentor Committee will host a Meet and Greet Reception following 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, August 8th. All new students and families will be invited to attend. If you or your child is interested in being paired up with a new family to provide a welcoming phone call and greet them at the reception, please call Amy Rabalais 938-2345.

Label Redemption

Parents remember to keep collecting Box Tops, Campbell's Soup, Community Coffee, Tyson A+ Project labels for your child's homeroom teacher. We receive cash and points and your child benefits from these rewards.

Fundraiser Kickoff

Fundraiser packets will be distributed to all students on Tuesday, August 17, and orders will be due Wednesday, September 1st. See enclosed flyer.

Special Thanks

A Special thanks to our Junior Achievement Volunteers for the 2009-2010 school year:

Rudy Blanchard
Bob Breaux
Beth Broussard
Lisa Catalanatto
Shalane Crick
Lorraine Crifasi
Bill Dow
Sharron Eddington
Robin Ethridge
Ryan Giraud
Katie Graves
Jonathon Ieyoub
Jennifer Jantz
Todd Lawson
Mr. and Mrs. Chip Magee
Layne McDaniel
Melanie McKnight
Jennifer Milano
Kevin Ridge
Mr. and Mrs. Jason Taylor
The late Preston Torrence
Dan Stagg

A special thanks to Kevin and Beth Ford who donated toys to the nursery in May. We appreciate their generosity!

We extend a special thank you to Bill and Gwen Cagnolatti, Rawls and Andrea Sides, and Todd and Patricia Talbot for their many hours of service in partnership with Exxon Mobil. We also would like to thank Chip Magee for his hours of service in partnership with State Farm. The faculty and school has benefited from their hard hours of work.

Substituting Opportunity

If anyone is interested in substituting for school, please contact the school office, 275-2820.

Frequently Used Phone Numbers

Please add these numbers to your cell phone or address book:

Cafeteria: 275-4347
Extended Care: 275-2633
Library: 272-3353
Parish Office: 275-3940
Pre-School Office: 272-3477
School Nurse: 275-9726

August

09	-----	1 st Day of School for 1 st -8 th Grades Kdg. Scheduled Teacher Visits Student Orientations
10	-----	Kdg. Scheduled Teacher Visits
11	-----	1 st Day of School for Kdg.
13	-----	School Picture Day Opening All School Mass (9:45)
17	-----	5-8 Back To School Night 6:00pm
19	-----	K-4 Back to School Night 6:00pm
23	-----	7 th -8 th Student Council Elections
27	-----	7 th -8 th BETA Club Elections
30	-----	Vision/Hearing Screening
31	-----	Vision/Hearing Screening

2010-2011 General School Calendar

August 9 th	-----	1 st Day of School
September 6	-----	Labor Day
November 22-26	-----	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 20 –		
January 3	-----	Christmas Holiday
January 17	-----	Martin L. King Holiday
March 7-11	-----	Mardi Gras Holiday
April 22-29	-----	Easter Holiday
May 25	-----	Last Day of School