



# HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## August 27, 2008



***HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL – A BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL***



### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<b>August 27</b>	<b>Innisbrook kick-off Gr. K – 5 from 1:30 – 1:50 Gr. 6 – 8 from 2:05 – 2:20</b>
<b>August 29</b>	<b>Spirit Wear Day – check the handbook for what is acceptable! Your child will call home for a change of clothes if necessary!</b>
<b>Sept. 1</b>	<b>Labor Day – No School</b>

*If you have not received your information for Edline call the school office!  
THANKS to everyone for their patience during the carpool yesterday. It was a surprise to us that Richard Avenue was not going to be accessible. You were great!*

**REMINDER** This will be the last email newsletter. You will get the newsletter via Edline next week.



**CAFETERIA WORKERS** 8/27 Melanie Burklow & Kim Case, 8/28 Allison Lobdell & Legna Diaz, 8/29 Susan Gilligan & Shannon Grayson, 9/1 No school, 9/2 Jo Krimple & Tim Sheridan. Need **HELP** on September 2, 8, 16,17, 19, 23 & 30. If you can help please email Ingrid Geiser @ [ingridgeiser@hotmail.com](mailto:ingridgeiser@hotmail.com).

\*\* On **September 2, 9 & 18** the cafeteria will have **BAKED POTATOES** for lunch. It is not listed on the menu but we will offer them on the above dates.

Just a little information about the cafeteria: Holy Spirit participates in the Federal Lunch program and follow the guidelines set forth by them. This means that all a la carte items follow the mandate of being under 7 grams of fat. Students are also required to take 3 – 5 items each day when buying school lunch. Students can always go back for extra fruit and vegetables at no extra cost!

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**FYI – PARENTS** Please remember that in the morning carpool line there is supervision from 7:30-7:45 am. with teachers & safety patrol. Be advised to leave home early enough to have your child **in the building** no later than 7:45 am. Therefore, your child will have supervision during carpool and they will also avoid being tardy.

**SCRIP UPDATE** Where do you shop? Do you have favorite places you buy gas, have dinner out, go to the movies, buy clothes, office supplies, and pet supplies? Check out the merchants for which gift cards are available at [www.hspirit.org](http://www.hspirit.org) and stock up. It's the easiest fundraiser you'll ever participate in! It's a completely painless way to raise funds for Holy Spirit School!



**WELCOME** to our community Trinity High School students: Hayden Shaver, Dustin Bollinger, Kurtis Fultz, & Rob Goodin. We love having you!

**HOLY SPIRIT'S 75<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY** is coming up in 2012. We are collecting pictures for the the Holy Spirit Church's anniversary book. If you have any pictures please send them in to the Ministry Center c/o Bobbie. Any questions please give Bobbie Raibert a call @ 893-3982.



**4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> GRADE CHOIR** Choir has begun! We will meet on Tuesday & Thursday mornings @ 7:15 am in the Music Room. Please be on time and remember your \$25 if you need a choir shirt. Thank you, Mrs. Johnston.



**GALA MEETING** The first Gala Meeting of 2008 will be held Thursday, August 28 @ 7 pm in the Spirit Den. Any one wanting to volunteer their time in the preparation for the big event is welcome to come even if they didn't sign up during the Teachers Meet and Greet. Children can come if it is a necessity and can play in the designated area. If they can't make the meeting and still want to help, they can contact Jenny Dehn @ 500-2628 or [jenndehn@yahoo.com](mailto:jenndehn@yahoo.com) or Margaret Ray @ 759-6272 or [mhunterray@msn.com](mailto:mhunterray@msn.com).



**INKJET CARTRIDGE & CELL PHONE RECYCLING** Please continue to send in inkjet cartridges and cell phones to the office to earn money for the school. Unfortunately due to a decrease in market demand, laser jet/toner cartridges (those larger cartridges that are about the size of your forearm) are no longer being accepted at the school but can still be returned to the manufacturer. The smaller inkjet cartridges (those that fit in the palm of your hand) are still wanted and will earn money for the school. If you have any recycling questions, please contact Karen Blake @ 894-9820.

**SAVE THE DATE** The Athletic Committee's Falcon Fest (formerly known as the *chili supper*) will be held on Saturday, October 11. More details to follow!

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**CALLING ALL CUB SCOUTS!** Hey, all you Webelos, Bears, Wolves, & Tigers! It's time for scouting at Holy Spirit. Pack 319 will have it's fall sign-up informational meeting on Tuesday, Spetember 2, 2008 @ 6:30 pm in the McGhee Meeting Room at HSS. If you have any questions, please call Dan or Teresa Stoeckel @ 244-4865.

**OUR CATHOLIC FAITH** – Archbishop celebrates 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary, outlines vision for future.

**Unity with Christ in truth & charity**

The truth that we profess, and proclaim to others with our very lives, has been clearly articulated by the Church through the centuries. It is not abstract or academic. It is the living truth about a person, Jesus Christ, who is the source of our hope and our salvation. We must do the work of charity. As individuals, as families, and as communities of faith, our primary responsibility is to share God's abundant, inexhaustible love with others. The mission we have inherited from all those who have gone before us is to live our baptismal call to holiness, always renewing ourselves and sharing the good news of Jusus Christ with others (evangelization).

**A thirst for God**

My vision for our archdiocese includes fostering a deep and abiding spirituality. As disciples of Jesus gifted by the Holy Spirit, we must respond to this inner longing, or thirst, for God in creative ways that speak to today's youth and to people of every age and circumstance in ways that embrace the fullness of Church Tradition. We must be a people of prayer, immersed in the richness of our Church's liturgy and sacramental life. We must offer the healing touch of Jesus to all who suffer in any way, and we must point the way to peace, justice and true joy to all who are tempted to despair.

**Build a Future of Hope**

The challenge before us is not to "reinvent the wheel," but to refine our priorities and clarify our objectives in light of new challenges and opportunities. Our bicentennial campaign, "Building a Future of Hope," will provide parishes with an incentive to assess their needs. Archdiocesan priorities are : vibrant parishes, seminarian education, care for retired priests, providing assistance to parishes in need, tuition assistance, multicultural ministry, and legacy fund.

Archbishop Kurtz's full letter can be found at [www.archlou.org/article147343c1364809.htm](http://www.archlou.org/article147343c1364809.htm)

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