



BULLETIN

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL

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YEAR-END BILLING AND REBATES

In today's family envelope you will receive year-end billing if you still owe the school money for tuition, band, registration, commitment hours, auction or profit dollars. Year-end billing is **on bright pink paper**. **Please keep in mind, some tuition amounts are scheduled to be paid on June 10th according to your contractual agreement.** Any other amounts owing are due at this time. Thank you.

BAND NEWS

Band Festival is set for May 19th at 7:00 p.m. at Kennedy Catholic H.S. – Goodwin Gym. Come out and support your school in this musical celebration!

SUMMER DRAMA CLASS

Mr. Harris will be hosting Summer Drama Classes for all ages in August. Please see the attached flyer for details. These classes fill up quickly, so please return your completed form to the office as soon as possible.

EDGE GARAGE SALE

Do you remember Ms. Gessner's 3rd grade garage sales? Well, EDGE is having its own garage sale for youth of the school and parish to support recent earthquake victims. The sale is scheduled for Saturday, May 22, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. in Parish Hall. Your donations of *usable* toys, games, books, etc., will help make the sale a success. Please, no clothes. Bring donations on Thursday or Friday morning, May 20-21, 8:00 a.m. – 8:20 a.m., before school, at Parish Hall. Thank you!

IS ANYONE INTERESTED IN VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL?

If you are interested in sending your children to Vacation Bible School right here at St. Francis of Assisi this summer, we need to know. The dates would be July 26 through July 30 from 9 a.m. to noon. Any child from ages 4 through 5th grade is welcome to attend. The approximate cost will be \$30 per child. Please email cbrooten@hotmail.com to let me know of your interest. Don't delay! We need a sufficient number of interested families to run the program.

YOUR NEW BURIEN COMMUNITY CENTER

Join us for an Open House of the NEW Burien Community Center on Saturday May 15th from 1:00-3:00 PM. There will be raffle prizes, tours of the new center, free snacks & entertainment, and a chance to get up to 50% off summer class registrations! The new community center is located at 14700 6th Ave. S.W. (the former Burien library).

SUMMER ARTS CAMPS

In the school office are copies of Summer Arts Camp registration for: Highline School District Summer Arts Academy July 12-23, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm cost is \$125 for those entering 3rd through 7th grades.

Kennedy Summer Arts Camp for those entering 7th grade-12th grade.

More Info on www.kennedyhs.org

June 21- July 9 Cost is \$300

Contact Felicia Hines at hinesf@kennedyhs.org with questions.

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5K FUN RUN TO SUPPORT USHER SYNDROME

Included in this week's mailing is a sign-up sheet for a 5K Fun Run & 1K Family Walk to support Usher Syndrome. For every St. Francis Family that signs up, Todd McKittrick will donate \$5 to the HearSeeHope Organization. Please make sure you choose our school when signing up. Thank you!

EXCHANGE STUDENTS NEEDING HOMES

There will be 15(ish) students flying to Washington from Spain this summer. The dates are set for four weeks in July, but five of the students and one advisor have yet to secure sponsor homes. The other kids have already been matched with host-families.

We are looking for six more homes where they can learn more about life in America and practice their English. They have their own insurance and spending money. They just need to have their own bed to sleep in and a place at the dinner table.

Host families will need to complete an application packet. It's pretty easy, and it's a FUN way to get to know another culture and potentially make life-long international friends!!! If you are interested in participating, please email Mr. Andrew Ward, a teacher at Aviation High School at senorward@yahoo.com as soon as possible. Time is of the essence in getting everything set up in time for them to be able to come to the US. It would be such a shame to have these few kids miss out.

To have more of your questions answered, the following websites will help in addition to Andrew's help: www.nacelopendoor.org or www.nacel.net. The bios of the children are attached to this weekly e-mail. Thanks! Mary and John Ryding

CYO NEWS

Track + Field Meets at Highline Stadium

Sunday, May 16th – Noon All Comers Meet

Sunday, May 16th – 2:00 Individual Championship Meet

GO ST. FRANCIS!

Soccer Registration is now open for boys and girls grades 1 – 8. *Children who are parish members and/or attend our school are eligible to participate.* If interested in coaching a CYO team next fall, please contact Kati at skeltisk@wwdb.org. Forms are available at www.stfoa.org. Registration closes June 7th.

CYO **Coaches Performance Evaluation** forms are included in this week's Family Envelope and are available online at www.stfoa.org in the "CYO" then "Coaches Forms" section. Parents and athletes are encouraged to complete an evaluation of head and assistant coaches for CYO cross country, soccer, basketball, volleyball, baseball, and track/field. Thank you for providing this valuable feedback.

ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEK OF MAY 15th :

Saturday –		Simon van Tulder, Cabrini Taylor, Brogan Meyers, Patrick Christiansen
Sunday –	8:00am	Nathaniel Tolton, Dylan Smith, Caelin McDonald, Danica Balsiger
	10:00am	Tanner Beard, Olivia Sands, Nils Gollersrud, Jenny Donohue
Monday –		Layne McNair, Peter Herold
Tuesday –		Caelin McDonald, Nikki Macias
Wednesday –		Communion Service
Thursday –		Karlee McCaroll, Nathan Gordon
Friday –		Emma McClean, Nick Galando