



# BULLETIN

## ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL

### May 21, 2010

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206-243-5690

#### YEAR-END BILLING

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 10<sup>th</sup> according to your contractual agreement. Any other amounts owing are due at this time. Thank you.

#### 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.

#### MORNING CARPOOL

Please remember:

1. When exiting turn right on 20<sup>th</sup> to avoid backing up the traffic trying to enter the carpool lanes. To have carpool run smoothly you need to exit in a timely manner. Do not hold up the lane, other parents want to be able to drop their children off in carpool too. If a carpool attendant asks you to turn right please do so. We are only trying to get the cars in and out of carpool in a safe and timely manner.
2. Pull all the way forward before you let your students out of the car. This avoids backups in traffic on 20<sup>th</sup> and 152<sup>nd</sup>.
3. For the safety of all students do not use your cell phone. Full attention to driving is needed when children are present.
4. Students exiting the cars are not to open the car door until the car comes to a full stop. It is dangerous trying to get out of the car when it is still rolling.
5. If you have someone dropping off your children in the morning please make sure that they are aware of the rules.

#### EDGE GARAGE SALE

Do you remember Ms. Gessner's 3<sup>rd</sup> 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!

#### POSITIONS OPEN FOR NEXT YEAR

STFOA Parents' Association has two (2) open positions for next school year 2010-2011! Please call Melody Fitzgerald (206) 242-1725 or Cyndi Ohrt (206) 919-1109 for details. One position is for Funding Coordinator and the other is a general member position.

We still need a 2010-2011 Sweatshirt Sales Co-Coordinator for next school year. Please call Val Johnson at the main office for further details.

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### SUMMER SCRIP SELLERS NEEDED

We will be selling Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9-11. If interested please email [cmgnelson@yahoo.com](mailto:cmgnelson@yahoo.com).

### WASHINGTON, D.C. ADVENTURERS! – MONDAY, MAY 24<sup>TH</sup> – 7:00 P.M. – MRS. POGINY'S ROOM

Are you a 7<sup>th</sup> grade student or parent that is interested in joining us on the annual 8<sup>th</sup> grade whirlwind tour of Washington, D.C., Jamestown and Williamsburg, but don't know for sure what it all entails and don't want to put your hard-earned bucks on the barrelhead until you have more information? Then next Monday evening's meeting is for you! Interested parties will be meeting in Mrs. Poginy's room for an information session on our upcoming tour of our nation's capital. Information will be given and all your questions will be answered. (I hope) We already have 5 students and two adults signed up, so the bus is starting to fill! Those who sign up before June get the 2010 price – WooHoo – such a deal! Most importantly: **THE TRIP HAS BEEN MOVED UP ONE DAY!!!! THE NEW DATES ARE: LEAVING WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 16 AND RETURNING MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 21.** We received our dates from the PAC for the musical after the information had been printed and sent out and realized we had to do some shifting to get our last two rehearsals in before the performances on the 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>; it's going to be a busy week! Hope to see you Monday, May 24, at 7:00 p.m. in Mrs. Poginy's classroom.

### SCRUB OUR SCHOOLS

Get a jump start on your volunteer hours and help us get the classrooms ready for fall. The Annual St. Francis of Assisi School Clean-up is Saturday, August 14<sup>th</sup>. Bring the family or 3 other people and have your community volunteer hours completed for the year! 35 volunteers are needed. Don't delay, sign up today! Contact Emily Fiorito at 206-244-2645 or [efiorito@comcast.net](mailto:efiorito@comcast.net) to volunteer or for more information.

### MOM'S CONNECTION

Our final meeting of the year will be Tuesday, June 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. in Unity Place. Alumnae, current moms and new moms interested in joining are welcome to a potluck brunch. Mom's Connection meets on the first and third Tuesday of school months, and is a social and support group for mothers of any faith with young children. Great food, childcare and fabulous moms!

### SPRING CLEANING – GOT FABRIC?

St. Francis Quilters makes beautiful quilts every month for local charities. We welcome any donations of fabric, sewing notions and yarn. We will pick up locally. Call Anne at 206-444-0953

### HAMSTERS ABVAILABLE

Due to a gender mix-up with our 2 'female' Djungarian Hamsters, we have baby hamsters ready for good homes. Mrs. Jayne (5A) has adopted one if you'd like to see how adorable they are. There are 2 ready to leave home (I suggest adopting one at a time unless you want an instant family) and there will be 5 more ready in 3 weeks. Parent permission a must. Any other teachers? Contact the Grotz/Hargrave Hamster Haven at [seahurst7@comcast.net](mailto:seahurst7@comcast.net) if you have questions or are interested!

### NANNIES AVAILABLE FOR SUMMER

Sisters Sydney Codd(Senior, 18) and Caroline Codd(Junior, 16), are available for babysitting! Both graduated from St. Francis and are now attending Mt. Rainier High School. They have a brother at the school, Paul Codd, who is in fourth grade. Both have licenses to drive. Caroline can be reached at: Caroline: (206)-914-3457 or [caroline.m.codd@gmail.com](mailto:caroline.m.codd@gmail.com) and Sydney can be reached at: (206)-914-8311 or [sydneycodd@gmail.com](mailto:sydneycodd@gmail.com).

Madison Nelson is also available for summer babysitting. She attends Seattle Prep and has a license to drive. Her number is (206) 276-5594.

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### THANK YOU

Renata Kurpisz would like to thank all of the St. Francis Moms who helped her while she was fighting her illness and would also like to thank everyone for praying for her.

### CYO NEWS

**CYO Track Meet Time Change** – The AAA Team Championship begins at **8:30 am** this Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at Highline Stadium. Athletes please arrive by **8:00 am**. Come on out and cheer on the team at the most exciting meet of the year!

**Soccer Registration** continues for boys and girls grades 1 – 8. *Children who are parish members and/or attend our school are eligible to participate.* Registration closes June 7<sup>th</sup>.

THANK YOU to **Michael Arbow, Casey Castillo, and James Arbow** for coaching our 5/6<sup>th</sup> grade baseball team. The parents and boys appreciate you for giving your time and talent to the team!

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### ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEK OF MAY 22<sup>nd</sup>:

Saturday –		Brittney Johns, Nick Galando, Sam Hill, Cat Carroll
Sunday –	8:00am	Jessie Dirks, Abby DeTuerk, Ana Olson, Nick DeRitis
	10:00am	Emma McClean, Kyle Hinton, Karlee McCarroll, Shana Levenson
Monday –		Nils Gollersrud, Jessie Dirks
Tuesday –		Isaac Feil, Chaz Bergseth
Wednesday –		Communion Service
Thursday –		Monique Wenner, Ana Olson
Friday –		Paul Schumacher, Kyle Pierce