

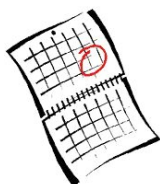
January 18, 2012



The Pacelli Post

Cardinal Pacelli School
Educating the Heart and Mind

Principal's Note



Report Cards

Second quarter report cards will be sent home **this Friday, January 20, 2012**. Please sign the report card and have your child return it to his or her homeroom teacher next week.

Schoolhouse Fare Update

Instead of ordering a month out, **menus are now available for ordering up to 7 days prior to the lunch date!** This means that families can order on a weekly basis.

You're Invited to Catholic Schools Week Open House

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week on **Sunday, January 29** by attending Open House, 11:00 am - 1:30 pm. New this year: a special display of photography from the Fine Arts Committee's Student Photography Contest. Don't miss this opportunity to see our students' amazing creativity!

Show your Pacelli Pride and Stop By!



For information about **Catholic Schools Week activities for students**, please see the announcement below in PTO News.

Archbishop Schnurr Reflects on Catholic Education

In honor of **Catholic Schools Week**, Archbishop Schnurr has recorded a [video message](#) about the value of a Catholic education. This message broadcasts his gratitude for the hard work of students, teachers, parents, staff members, and other stakeholders. Likewise, the Archbishop describes the importance of Catholic schools, and calls upon all people to remain engaged in the Archdiocese's vision for schools as it develops.

Important Dates

Thursday, January 19

Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
cash n carry lunch

Friday, January 20

Report Cards go home
Spiritwear Day
Spiritwear Sale, 2-3 pm
Market Day pick up, 2:30-3:30 pm

Monday, January 23

CPAC

Tuesday, January 24

Ask a Priest Night, 7 pm

Useful Links

[Cardinal Pacelli Website](#)
[Christ the King Website](#)
[PTO Website](#)
[Athletics Website](#)
[Schoolhouse Fare](#)

Spotlight

The Honor of Being an Altar Server

Register Now for the 2012-2013 School Year



It's time for current families to re-enroll their children for the 2012-2013 school year. This includes siblings of current students who will be enrolling for the first time. Registration is not complete unless the *form and fee* have been returned. The deadline is January 27, 2012. For more information, including the Registration Form click [here](#).

Call for Parent Volunteers

The Catholic Schools Week Open House is fast approaching, and I am in need of volunteers to help showcase Cardinal Pacelli. I am requesting volunteers who are able to work on **Sunday, January 29**, from **11:00-12:15** or **12:15-1:30**. Volunteers will be asked to give tours to prospective families and help share all the great things that take place in this building each day! If you are available to help, please contact [Jamie Schwendeman](#) Thank you!

Spring Concert

The Spring Concert is scheduled for **Thursday, April 26 at 7:00 pm** in the gym. Students in grades five through eight will be performing a mixture of standard songs from past artists and movie themes. They will sing songs attributed to Danny Kaye, Dean Martin, Doris Day and Debbie Reynolds. The program will be one hour in length.



Beginning in sixth grade, students are eligible to become altar servers. Students prepare for this role by training at church and participating in Leadership Training at Camp Kern. The camp teaches the students about teamwork and persistence through a series of fun and challenging activities.

Students who have served at least one year and demonstrate confidence and competence while serving Mass are promoted to Lead Server.

Altar servers also receive special T-shirts and are invited to wear them on designated days throughout the year. For questions about the altar server program, please contact Mrs. Daley at 321- 4121.

PTO News



Catholic Schools Week

The celebration kicks off at 10 am Mass on Sunday, January 29th followed by our Open House. Wednesday, February 1 is Student Appreciation Day with the [Dome Theater](#) and Skyline lunch. The students can be out of uniform following fun themes every day of the week. Review [Catholic Schools Week](#) for all of the details.

Place an order for SKYLINE lunch on Wednesday, February 1

Click [SKYLINE](#) to place an order for your children. The PTO is covering the cost of the orders that are placed. If you do not place an order, please pack your child's lunch for Feb 1. **Orders are due by January 27.**

Moonlight Garden Father Daughter Dance

Friday, February 10, 7:30 pm -10:30 pm in the Cardinal Pacelli Gym

Join us for games, raffles, an old fashioned candy bar, and of course, dancing!!! Cost \$20 per family. Checks payable to CPS PTO. Candy donations for penny candy always appreciated. Donations can be dropped at the school office in a marked bag. Thank you! Check out all of the details and RSVP at [Father Daughter Dance](#). Any questions, please contact Amy Miller, amyandrob@cinci.rr.com or 218-0698.



Health & Wellness Lunch on Thursday, January 19 Sandwich Day is Here!

Bites Catering has graciously agreed to provide Cardinal Pacelli with fresh sandwiches for our upcoming Health & Wellness day lunch. Just \$3.00 for the following meal:

- Turkey and cheese sandwich on fresh baked, soft, whole grain bun
- Carrots and celery sticks with ranch dressing
- FREE FRUIT DAY

Just have your children bring money that day as a simple "cash n carry" option. No planning or sign up required.

ISSE Sponsored Lunch on Thursday, January 26

Cheese quesadilla and chicken noodle soup. \$3.00 cash n carry.

Submitting Info

The Pacelli Post is the school's weekly email newsletter. It is the primary means of communication between the school and families.

To have items included in the newsletter submit news to fisher_a@cardinalpacelli.org by noon on Tuesday. Items may be edited for space.



Cafeteria and Playground Schedules

Check the [PTO website](#) for the current [Cafeteria](#) and [Playground](#) volunteer schedules. We know your time is valuable--thank you for spending part of your day at school! Please remember to find a substitute if you have a conflict on your scheduled day.

Market Day

Thank you to the following families for placing orders this month: Roberto, O'Shaughnessy, Pecquet, Zerhusen, Crane, Keitel, Waterkotte, Love, Habel, Lamping, Fisher, Evans, Solomon, Doyle, Hardewig, Daley, Niesen, Roy, Rigling, Daniher, Locy, Fitch, Keyser, Yagodich, Jefferys, Custer, Vaughn, Bossart. Pickup is Friday, January 20 from 2:30-3:30 in the cafeteria. If you have any questions or to arrange a late pickup please contact Ann Rigling (Beckett) at riglingbeckett@gmail.com or 673-7697. Thanks!

Spiritwear Sale This Friday

2-3 pm in the Parish Center by the Gym

Fleece Sale!!! **Get a Pacelli quarter Zip Fleece for \$20.00!** Sizes in Stock: YXS, YS, YM, YL, AXS, AS, AM and AXL. If you can't make the sale, but would still like one please email Kate Stutz at Stutzfam@cinci.rr.com.

Selective Electives - Time to Register

Questions? Contact Katie Kleeman, schillkj@hotmail.com

Mad Science, Mondays, January 23 - March 5 (no class February 20)

Your young Mad Scientists in Grades 1-5 will have fun in the lab as Junior Chemists. \$74 and deadline for registration is January 16. Click [MAD SCIENCE](#) for details regarding registration and payment.

Young Rembrandts, Tuesdays, January 24 - March 13

Afterschool Drawing Class teaching children in Grades K - 5 how to draw using an engaging method in which all children can succeed. \$88 for 8 sessions. Register online only. Click [REMBRANDTS](#) for details regarding registration and payment.

Lego Mania, Wednesdays, January 25 - February 29

Engineering I (K-2) for students to build tall towers and construct models of a variety of carnival rides and create art projects using the machines they have created in class. Architecture (3-6) for students to build skyscrapers, bridges, crusader fortresses and much more. \$75 for 6 sessions. Click [Lego Mania](#) for details regarding registration and payment.

Pacelli Prep Choir, Monday, January 23

Choir for the 1st and 2nd Grade students begins the next session on Monday, January 23 from 2:30-3:30. Please contact Maura Robson maurarobson@zoomtown.com if interested.

Children Singing in Service, Monday, January 23

A community choir for students in Grades 4-8, begins meeting after school on Monday, January 23. Get involved in a rewarding outreach project that develops an awareness of service to the community, fosters new friendships, and cultivates team spirit! All Welcome - meeting Mondays 3:45 - 5:30 in the Parish Center here at Christ the King. For more information, contact choir director, Maura Robson at 513-607-8225, or email, maurarobson@zoomtown.com

Parish News

Kings Cash Raffle Extended

Please help us raise \$10,000 for our church and school with the Kings Cash Raffle. At your request, sale of Kings Cash Raffle tickets has been extended. This is your chance to win \$100 or \$500 **FIFTY EIGHT times** this year. Please either download an order form and details by clicking [here](#), or visit

www.ourlordchristtheking.org and click on DONATE with Pledge Connect. Please be sure to enter "Kings Cash" in the comment section. \$100 drawings take place each



Sunday, along with 8 remaining \$500 bonus drawings. Once your name is drawn it goes right back in the hopper, giving you the chance to win multiple times. Please call Tracie Hoffman with questions, 321-8528.

"Ask a Priest" Night January 24, 7:00 pm in the Parish Center



Everything you ever wanted to know but were afraid to ask!

Join Fathers Smith, Voellmecke, and Ruwe as they answer your most burning questions. Enjoy a freewheeling night of questions and answers on faith. Confirmation candidates can earn spirituality hours by attending.

You're Invited to the Junefest Cocktail Gala

This year's Junefest kickoff is a Mardi Gras themed cocktail gala at the Queen City Club. Mark your calendar for **February 18**. You'll enjoy live music, New Orleans cuisine, and a great night out with friends. View the invitation [here](#).



New Website for Local Catholics

Have you seen The Catholic Beat yet? It's a new website for local Catholic news and features. You'll find it at the Sacred Heart radio [website](#)--just click on the big red box that says, "The Catholic Beat" for stories about area Catholic people, places, and events. It's updated daily, so there's always something new about area Catholic life.



Proclaim the Good News

We are in need of Lectors to read at the weekend Masses. Please consider serving your parish just once a month in this role. We also welcome high school and college students to volunteer. For more information contact Kelly Vaughn at mookiev@fuse.net or [Pam Gruesser](#) at the Rectory or 321-4121.

Athletics

Ron Speed Basketball Tournament



The 2012 Ron Speed Memorial Boys Basketball Tournament wrapped up January 16th with a day long series of championship/final games. The gym was 'rocking' with excitement as the 12 day event culminated in match-ups between the teams who were able to survive the preliminary rounds. Our Parish hosted teams representing over 20 schools, grades 3 through 8, from across the Tri-State area. Teams, coaches, fans, referees, and our own parishioners all had plenty of

praise for a great event.

Special congratulations to the 4th grade team coached by Greg Elsner who won their bracket!

Congratulations also go out to the 6th and 8th Grade A teams who made it to the Championship games Monday night.

It takes a tremendous amount of effort from the parish to make this event possible,

and successful. We wish to thank all of the volunteers who showed up to work admissions, concessions, and the scoreboards, the sponsors who provided so much financial support, and the fans who showed up to cheer our teams on. A special thank you to **Mike Morrissey** (pictured with Ann Speed, right) and **Bob Hill** for the many years they have made this tournament possible and to **Kim McBride, Tim Sence, Matt Chamberlin** and **Andy Roy** for their extraordinary efforts in making this year's event the best yet.



Spring Sports Sign Up

Spring sports are knocking on the door and your Athletic Commission is starting to prepare. The Parish offers Boys and Girls Soccer, Boys Baseball, and Boys Tennis (6-8th Grade) in the spring. The deadline for registering is February 1. Please help the Athletic Commission improve the team formation, coach selection, and roster submission processes by submitting your child's information on time. A new registration form is now available on our website at www.ckathletics.org. Thanks for your help!

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