



Summer Program

Attached to this week's Light is a registration form for the Summer After-school Program. We have received enough interest again to pursue registration. **However, we need to receive confirmation and returned forms in order to firmly declare the program for the Summer of 2007.**

The form and a down payment of \$25 on the registration fee of \$100 must be submitted by Tuesday, 6 March. That way, we can announce in next week's Light whether we will offer the program again. We need to have 35 students in order to run the program.

The program will run a full-day, 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., with rotations each day in Mathematics and English tutoring, a Spanish lesson, outdoor and gym activities. The cost will be the same as last year: \$25 per day, without lunches, \$100 registration fee. The tuition cost includes all activities above; the only outside charge will come from an optional weekly karate lesson. The program is for students who have completed one year at St. Luke, grades PK-8th grade.

Again, all forms and the \$25 down payment must be in the office by Tuesday, 6 March. Should we not run the program, the \$25 will be refunded.

2007-2008 Notification: We have gotten approval to let families know our start date for 2007-2008. It will be Monday, 20 August 2007. Public schools will be starting the following week; our superintendent, Sister Carla Lusch, SSND, has mandated 20 August for all Archdiocesan schools.

A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear St. Luke Catholic School Families-

We regret to inform the school community that Jeanne Carey has resigned her position as School Nurse in order to take a position within a public school district. We have been very fortunate to have Jeanne serving us for the last eight and a half years, and have benefited greatly from her efforts, professionalism, and good humor. She has given our school exactly what all of us want for our children: excellent care and honesty. We are sad to see her move on, but know that she will continue to serve the children of San Antonio. Her new position will give her greatly increased challenges and benefits, and we know that she will do very well. We wish her the best, and will see her around our parish. She will continue at St. Luke until Friday, 23 March.

At this time, we are seeking a new School Nurse. Candidates should be a Registered Nurse, and ideally have some experience in pediatrics or schools (but these are not a necessity). The candidate should have interest in serving children and families. The work day runs 7:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. and includes delivering first aid, handling acute situations, and servicing chronic medical conditions within the school community.

Candidates should bring a resume to the school as soon as possible. If you know of any ideal candidates, please call the Principal at your earliest convenience.

Quick view of school events Week of 28 February and 4 March 2007

		28 Baseball & Softball @ Mt. Sac. Heart, 4:30p.m.	1 Stations of the Cross led by 8A & 8B, 2:15 p.m. Middle School Ser- vice Hours due Tennis vs. St. Greg- ory, Oak Hills, 4p.m.	2 AS Mass led by 3A & 3B 2:05: dismissal 2:45: fac. mtg. ACTS Fish Fry 5:30-9 p.m., cafe	3 Golf practice, 8-10 a.m., Alamo St. Luke Men's Club Wild Game Dinner, 7 p.m. Tennis vs. St. Pius, McArthur H.S. 10am	
4 2nd Sunday of Lent CYO Zone Track Meet	5	6 SB, 4:30; BB, 6:15 @ home vs. OLPH	7 PTC Board Meet- ing, TL, 6:30 p.m. Tennis vs. St. Matt @ Oak Hills, 4:00p.m.	8 Stations of the Cross led by 6A & 6B, 2:15 p.m. END OF 3rd QUARTER	9 AS Mass led by 1A & 1B 3:05-3:20 Dismissal ACTS Fish Fry 5:30-9 p.m., cafe	10 Golf practice, 8-10 a.m., Alamo



REBEL YELL

St. Luke Athletics

All track team members:
Practice: March 1 @ 3:30-5:00 & March 2 @ 2:30-4:00.

Baseball & Softball Teams:
Games have been cancelled for March 1st.
Take me out to the ball game!
Next home games are March 6, 2007 vs. OLPH
Softball @ 4:30 and Baseball @ 6:15

Lenten Service Drive

For our Lenten Service Drive, we are supporting a parish-led mission trip to El Salvador. Father Mike, Theresa Bruce, a doctor, a nurse, and a group of college-age St. Luke Youth are going to El Salvador to build a chapel in a small village area and help in a medical and dental clinic in a parish in San Salvador. They hope to bring all kinds of medical supplies to help the clinic as a part of their mission trip. Below is the list of items they suggested. Homerooms will be selecting an item (or two) to collect as a group. The proceeds from the Hunger Meal will be donated as well, to purchase a larger supplies for the chapel.

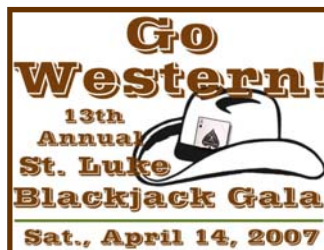
Students will learn more about El Salvador and the conditions there as a part of the drive. Any parent with connections in a hospital environment are asked to donate what they can. We appreciate any help given to assist our youth — most are St. Luke grads — in this mission.

The items to be collected are:

Tooth brushes (important!)	
Tooth paste (important!)	
Dental floss	
Neosporin or any type of first aid anti-biotic ointment	
Latex gloves w/ and w/out powder	
Non-Latex gloves	2x2 gauze pads
Band aids – all shapes and sizes	4x4 gauze pads
q-tips/cotton-tipped applicators	cotton balls
tongue depressors	
ace wraps/elastic bandages – all sizes	
tape – all widths and types: cloth, paper, clear	
penlights	
Ziploc bags – all sizes	calamine lotion
3 oz disposable cups	hand sanitizer/Purell
disposable medicine cups	Vaseline
tissues/Kleenex	disposable masks

Class Group Pictures are Coming!

Order forms for class group pictures are being sent home today. These photos will be taken on Tuesday, March 20 when we return from Spring Break. Please remember that photos will only be made for pre-paid orders that have been submitted by picture day. We ask that students wear their school uniform even if they have a Scout meeting on picture day. You may return your order to your child's homeroom teacher or to the school office. If you pay by check, please make your check payable to LIFETOUCH.



School Council Candidates

The School Council Nominating Committee is proud to announce the following candidates for the St. Luke School Council. For 2007-2010, there are two elected positions that are opening up. Please consider these three for the positions. Voting will take place after Masses on 24 and 25 March (the 5:30 p.m., 9 a.m., 11, and 12:30 p.m. Masses). All school families and registered parishioners can vote.

Mark Resendez
Parent of Bella (C/O '09), Mark '11, Daniel '14

"The areas of expertise that I could provide to the School Council are (1) an open mind to think outside the box to generate new ideas, and (2) organizational skills to help stayed focused to reach our goals. One of my goals is to be able to raise more monies to provide better and substantially larger High School Scholarships while also raising the bar on providing the school with funding for various activities that does not tax the parents each year. I would appreciate your vote for School Council."

Christina Maldonado
Parent of Victoria (C/O '16)

"I believe I can bring a fresh perspective and new ideas to the School Council, as well as the drive that will be necessary to implement many of the things that were discussed in the Five-Year Strategic Plan Meetings. With a daughter in PK, these five-year goals are something I am very passionate about, and I truly wish to be in a leadership role to see that they come to fruition — through hard (and "fun") work, and God's Holy Will."

Magda Nava
Parent of Joseph (C/O '12)

"I feel my experience in fundraising will benefit the Council and the school in different ideas for fundraising. My desire to work with others on projects and my skills in planning in a structured setting will also benefit the work of the School Council."

Windshirts for sale

The School Council will be selling more windshirts from Boathouse Sports. These high quality outerwear items will be available for sale through the school office and the school web site. Please download an order form or pick one up in the school office. They will cost \$40 and will be delivered home through the oldest or only student in the family.



The Parent Teacher Club (PTC) Mid-Year Update

Mission: To encourage family involvement in order to strengthen child, parent, teacher, and administration relationships. To coordinate fundraising events that will support school activities, school improvements and tuition assistance

Major Fundraisers for 2006-2007

*Halloween Carnival
Uniform Sales
School Pictures
Otis Spunkmeyer Cookies
Chick Fil-A and Papa John's Lunch Days
Box Top Collection*

Service and School Improvement Goals for 2006-2007

Accomplished to Date

- Donated PTC dues collected at registration to the school for tuition assistance
- Provided funds for 6th grade retreat
- Provided funds to teachers for classroom subsidy
- Hosted Back-to-School Coffee and Donuts reception
- Hosted the Ice Cream Social
- Provided funds for New School Podium/crest
- Provided funds for TCCED Accreditation Reception
- Compiled and printed school directory
- Provided funds for Major Technology Upgrade in Library and Science Lab
- Provided funds for new marquee pole
- Provided funds to Room Mothers for Halloween Carnival decorations, Christmas Parties, 8th Grd
- Scholarship Dance Silent Auction Projects, led by Room Moms
- 8th Grade Scholarship Dance
- Provided funds for 8th grade Lock In
- Provided funds for Teachers are Great (TAG) program
- Provided funds for Christmas gifts for faculty and staff

Future Endeavors:

- Purchase Teacher Wish List Items
- Renewal of three classrooms (new desks, boards, paint, carpet, equipment, etc.)

*We have attained all of these goals with your help!
Thank you for your support and dedication to our school.
Please continue to support our PTC projects.*



St. Luke Catholic School

Summer Extended Day Program

We are exploring the possibility of running the summer program again this year. We had very positive feedback from last year, and would like to be able to offer the program to our families. The program will be offered here on campus, using the rooms and facilities in the middle school building (classrooms, cafeteria, art room) and the gym.

The class day will begin at 6:30 a.m. and will run until 6:00 p.m. Check-in will occur in room 311, first floor of the Middle School Building (currently a Fourth Grade Classroom, 4A).

Calendar: 10 weeks of class -- 4th of July is only day of no classes. First day: Monday, 4 June 2007; Last day: Friday, 10 August 2007. (Note: During the final week of the summer, the program will not be offered. School starts Monday, 20 August 2007.)

Ages: Students entering Kinder through 8th grade, St. Luke students only. We are limiting our enrollment to 50 students.

Teachers will be employed first from our current group of teachers and extended day supervisors. Mrs. Linda Flores will be the director of the program. We will work to maintain a low (10:1) student -to-teacher ratio.

Registration fee: \$100. (Fee to cover art supplies, Summer review/refresher books in English and Math, Summer reading books, paperwork, two snacks per day)

Tuition: \$25 per day, payable weekly at \$125; \$30 per day for less than full week. [Less than full week arrangements must be made during the previous week, so that staffing can be scheduled accordingly.]

Lunch is not provided. Spanish classes will be provided for each student, and is part of the tuition paid. Karate will be offered for a fee, as will the summer athletic camps run by the athletic department.

Parents are expected to pay for eight weeks. They can schedule two weeks of vacation, or send their children all 10 weeks. We ask for advance notice on scheduling vacations, so that staff scheduling is made efficiently. **ANY FAMILY NOT CHOOSING TO PAY FOR THE FULL WEEK MUST MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE DIRECTOR. OTHERWISE, THE FAMILY WILL BE BILLED FOR THE WHOLE WEEK.**

Registration: We will register students starting today, with the return of this form, with a \$25 down payment. These forms and monies need to arrive by Tuesday, 6 March. At that time, the administration will decide on whether enough students have registered.



St. Luke Catholic School

Date: _____

\$25 Part Registration Paid? _____

For school office use _____

2007 SUMMER EXTENDED DAY REGISTRATION FORM

GRADE IN 2006-2007 _____

Child's Name _____ SS# _____ Sex: M F
DOB _____

GRADE IN 2006-2007 _____

Child's Name _____ SS# _____ Sex: M F
DOB _____

GRADE IN 2006-2007 _____

Child's Name _____ SS# _____ Sex: M F
DOB _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

<i>Mother</i>			<i>Home Phone:</i>
	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Last Name</i>	<i>Work Phone:</i>
<i>Address: same as above?</i>			<i>Cell Phone:</i>

<i>Father</i>			<i>Home Phone:</i>
	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Last Name</i>	<i>Work Phone:</i>
<i>Address: same as above?</i>			<i>Cell Phone:</i>

This form is only intended to register your student. Closer to the start date, forms will be sent home that will ask for more information about drop-off, pick-up, and authorizations for pick-up.

March 2007

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

February						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28			

April						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

1
 BEAN/CHEESE TACOS
 CHILLED APPLESAUCE MILK
 SALAD/RANCH SPANISH RICE

2
 A MACARONI/CHEESE DICED PEACHES GREEN BEANS HOT ROLL MILK

3

4

5
 CHAR BROILED BEEF PATTI CORN COBBET HOT ROLL MASHED POTATOES MILK

6
 CHICK FILET FRESH FRUIT LETTUCE/TOMATO MILK OVEN FRIES

7
 CHEESE & PEPPERONI PIZZA CHILLED PINEAPPLE CUCUMBERS MILK RANCH DRESSING

8
 CHEESE ENCHILDAES FRUIT JELLO MILK PINTO BEANS SPANISH RICE

9
 A FISH BURGER CHILLED PEARS LETTUCE/TOMATO MILK TARTER SAUCE TATER TOTS

10

11

12

 SPRING BREAK

13

 SPRING BREAK

14

 SPRING BREAK

15

 SPRING BREAK

16

 SPRING BREAK

17

18

19
 CHICKEN OVER RICE ENGLISH PEAS MILK SLICED TOMATO WHEAT BREAD

20
 A HAMBURGER BURGER SALAD FRESH FRUIT MILK OVEN FRIES

21
 BEEF RAVOLLI COLE SLAW GARLIC ROLL GREEN BEANS ICE CREAM MILK

22
 CORN CHIP CHILI PIE MILK PEACHES PINTO BEANS SPANISH RICE

23
 A GRILLED CHEESE CUCUMBERS DICED PEARS MILK POTATO CHIPS

24


25

26
 CHICKEN NUGGETS CORN CREAM GRAVY MASHED POTATOES MILK SLICED BREAD

27
 A HOT DOG MILK RANCH BEANS VEGGIE STICKS/RANCH DRESS WHITE CAKE

28
 BEEF LASAGNA BUTTERED VEGGIES GARDEN SALAD MILK SLICED BREAD

29
 CHEESE & BEEF NACHOS MILK PINTO BEANS SALAD/RANCH SPANISH RICE

30

 PTC LUNCH

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