

# St. Linus Scoop

Week of May 5, 2008

## IT'S TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK!! THANK YOU TEACHERS!!

- **HERE'S THE SCOOP ON...RECESS & COATS!** – At the last School Parent Forum (SPF) we discussed the on-going struggle our lunch staff sometimes has with students who wish to take their jackets/coats off during questionable weather. Parents have come in to express their concern with our decisions as to whether or not to 'encourage' the children to keep the coats on or off. **WE NEED YOUR HELP WITH THIS ONE.** Please work with your child and talk to them. Express **YOUR** wishes at home. I encourage students to self-monitor their body temperatures. If they are cold, they should put their coat on. If warm, take it off. Talk with your child/ren...tell them what you would like him or her to do. This is a decision you can make at home, and we will do our best to help out here. But please know that while some students come bundled up, others are coming dressed for summertime!
- **CONGRATULATIONS NEWLY CONFIRMED...**Taylor B., Rebecca C., Brittany D., Leslie D., Sean G., Jennifer H., Lauren I., Patrick O., Nicholas S., Kayla S., Nathan S., David S., and Kenneth T.
- **FUN DAY** – Monday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>...Coming home today is the sign-up sheet to work on Fun Day. In order for Fun Day to be successful, we need **many, many** volunteers. We have come up with many new games and competitions for the day. Fun Day is from 8:00 AM – 2:45 PM. In order to be able to schedule everything we have planned, we need at least 40 – 50 volunteers (**Dads and Moms**) to keep the children organized and safe. If you have never volunteered on Fun Day, you are missing out on a great day to spend with the children. Please fill out the form as soon as possible and send it back to the school. Thank You...Renee Seymour & Lisa Gush.
- **IT'S TIME!**– The 8<sup>th</sup> grade class leaves for Washington DC tomorrow! Thanks for your support this year...keep the class in your prayers this week!
- **SERVICE HOUR SHEETS** – Were due April 15<sup>th</sup>...did you turn yours in??
- **REGISTRATION CONTINUES** – Did you register? Hurry and do so...the \$200 registration fee can be 25% applied to your tuition during the month of May. **IT PAYS TO REGISTER EARLY!!** Get your paperwork in! Have questions? Please call the school office!
- **REGISTRATION VIA SCHOOL MAIL** can be done for current K-7 families. You can send in registration paperwork and a check through the school. **WE WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOST CHECKS OR REGISTRATION MATERIALS.** Families should watch for a receipt to come home to confirm that we received your information. Registering in person is still the **BEST WAY** to register, but I understand that this may be difficult for some families.
- **REGISTRATION IN-PERSON, DURING THE DAY** – We do ask that if coming in, please do so during the school day between the hours of 9am-3:30pm. Thanks!

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- **BISHOP REISS IS COMING...AND LEAVING A GIFT BEHIND!** – Please plan on an extended Memorial Day weekend. Our “Bishop Reiss Day Off” will be Friday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2008! There will be no school for all! He will be here visiting and celebrating Mass with us on Tuesday of that week.
- **LET’S GET FIT!!** – We continue to walk today and every Monday hereafter! It’s not too late to join Ms. Jayson at lunchtime! Prepare for our special Walk-a-thon to be held on the last full school day in June. Details on that to come later!
- **THE NEW HOMEWORK POLICY CONTINUES AS FOLLOWS!! -**

DAY OF WEEK ABSENT	HOMEWORK CAN BE PICKED UP ON...	HOMEWORK WILL BE DUE ON...
MONDAY	TUESDAY MORNING	THURSDAY
TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY MORNING	FRIDAY
WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY MORNING	MONDAY
THURSDAY	FRIDAY MORNING	TUESDAY
FRIDAY	MONDAY MORNING	WEDNESDAY

- **SCRIP ORDERS** – Just a reminder that SCRIP ordering continues every Monday. Take this opportunity to earn money toward next year’s tuition by using SCRIP for your gas, restaurant, gift and other purchases. Order forms are available in the school office. If you have a Kroger SCRIP card, remember to keep reloading it every time you shop. If you don’t have one yet, they are available. Just send \$5.00 with a note to the office to order yours (you will receive the card with \$5.00 pre-loaded onto it). SCRIP order earnings through Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup> will be applied toward the 2008-09 tuition.
- **DATES FOR CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD** – During the 10am Mass...
  - May 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>.....June 8<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>
- **DATES TO REMEMBER**
  - Registration begins for 2008-09 School year...register this month to have 25% of registration fee applied toward next year’s tuition!
  - May 6<sup>TH</sup> – All School Mass @ 8:30am, 8<sup>th</sup> grade to Washington DC
  - May 7<sup>th</sup> – Dress Down for Missions \$1.00
  - May 8<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> grade field trip
  - May 9<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade returns
  - May 11<sup>th</sup> – Happy Mother’s Day

**HAVE A PEACE-FILLED WEEK!**



**MS. JAYSON**