



ST. GENEVIEVE SCHOOL NEWS

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DID YOU KNOW...

...that we all had such a great time at the Halloween Bazaar. We are **so** blessed! The weather could not have been better, and the tremendous work of our parents *guaranteed* that our children would have a super celebration. We are so grateful to Shelby Pate for her dedication to this event. Comments from Shelby are included in this newsletter after COMING NEXT WEEK.

This event was totally funded by dues paid by joining the Home and School Association. Our students did not have to “pay” to enjoy the activities. If you enjoyed the Bazaar and did not join this association, you may send your contribution in an envelope marked “Home and School.” The yearly membership is \$15.00 per family.

...that our kindergarten children attended their first school mass with their big buddies today. They were singing and praying, following the great example of their seventh grade buddies!

...that our new custodian, Mr. Norm is working so hard to get our school clean. He is so dedicated to that purpose and takes pride in his work. We have just hired Mr. Larry J. Ledet to assist Mr. Norm in this effort.

...that tomorrow night’s Taste of Thibodaux, sponsored by the St. Genevieve Knights of Columbus, will offer great auction items including a football signed by the entire New Orleans Saints football team and coaching staff, a helmet with Drew Brees’ autograph, an LSU watch, LSU and Saints cooking paddles, gift baskets, and so much more. The first three parking spots in car line will be auctioned, as well as the naming rights of our parking lot lane. In last week’s newsletter, we stated that tickets would not be sold at the door. The Knights have since let us know that tickets are available at the door at no additional cost. Tickets are \$20.00. We hope that you will join us to support the Knights and our school.

... that our fourth and sixth grade students were screened for scoliosis yesterday, thanks to physical therapists, Mr. Craig Hebert, Mr. D.J. Adams, and Mrs. Susan Schwaner. Several children were identified for future evaluation. We are so thankful that these therapists volunteered their time to screen our children.

...that we learned this week that the publication of last year's yearbook has been delayed. We submitted all of our pages in May, well in advance of our August deadline. Our representative did not submit these pages on time, and regrettably the publication of our 2010-2011 yearbook is not on schedule.

... that Alaina Labat (7B) and Erin Viguerie (7A) have been selected to attend 4-H Challenge Camp next week. This is a leadership and team building experience that is held in Tickfaw, La. Congratulations, girls!

... that Jay Barrilleaux (7B) and Ann- Marie Schwanner (5B) won first place at the Sectional Competition for the NFL Punt, Pass, and Kick contest. Their scores will be compared to other sectional scores in the area in order to determine who will represent our area during the Saints and Giants game.

MAKE SPECIAL NOTE:

1. Our weekly school mass will be celebrated Tuesday on All Saints Day. Students may dress as Saints. There will be no mass on Friday.
2. Registration forms for Children of Mary are available in the school office. This organization is open to girls in grades kindergarten through seventh.
3. The November calendar will go home next Tuesday.
4. Tickets are available for Saturday, November 5th and Sunday, November 6th for the Patriot Players performances of "We the People." Tickets are \$3.00. Checks should be made payable to St. Genevieve School.
5. Here are reminders for 4-H members:
 - The Sugar and Seafood and Sew with Cotton contests are Saturday. Check your newsletter (Lafourche Happenings) for contest time and information. If you are making a seafood/sugar dish, and are not able to go to the contest on Saturday, please call Ms. Angel at 637-3553.
 - The next 4-H meeting is Thursday. Anyone wishing to join should attend the meeting.
 - Order forms and money for 4-H t-shirts should be turned in at the next meeting.
 - Character Counts posters are due at the next meeting. Check Lafourche Happenings for contest rules.

COMING NEXT WEEK:

Tuesday, November 1, 2011	Dress as a Saint Mass at 9 AM – Ministries by 4 th Grade Play Practice
Wednesday, November 2, 2011	Student Commission – 8 AM Third to Lumcon Fifth Grade Parent Meeting 6:30 PM
Thursday, November 3, 2011	Treat Sale/ Fun Dress Bibliography Due – Sixth Grade 4-H Meeting Dress Rehearsal – Patriot Players
Friday, November 4, 2011	No Mass Patriot Players Performance – 7 PM
Saturday, November 5, 2011	Patriot Players Performance – 2 PM

A big **THANK YOU** to all the volunteers that made the bazaar a success! Room moms did a great job with coordinating game workers and adding the festive flair. The dunk booth was a huge hit-the teachers that got in it made the day! They even signed up weeks in advance not knowing it was going to be sunshine and 80 degrees! Committee chairmen were awesome:

Drinks: James Currie

Food: Donna Schwartz, Annisa Triche, Stacey Landry, and Leslie Labat

Games: Elizabeth Block

Photos: Gaynel Guillot

Treat Bags: Angie Nezzio and Gina Coggins

Contest: Susan Schwaner

Hayride: Knights of Columbus

The set up crew, dad squad, treat sorters, bakers, donators, runners, game workers and many volunteers were amazing! Big thanks to Drew Clements who was there from the crack of dawn until the last item was picked up! **St. Genevieve is a wonderful family of students, staff, and parents; It's a great place to be!**

Sincerely,

Shelby Pate, Bazaar Chairmen