



# St. Bruno Catholic School

Weekly Bulletin

January 23, 2012

*There is an order and a rhythm to the universe that God created. In our own lives there are times of work and times of rest. We might think that working is more important than resting, but for God rest is holy. When we are still, we can truly open ourselves to God.*

Faith. Academics. Service.

**Catholic Schools Week 2012 - January 29 - February 5, 2012**  
**Catholic Schools - Faith. Academics. Service**

**OPEN HOUSE**

## Catholic Schools

Our annual Open House is scheduled for next Sunday, {January 29<sup>th</sup>}. All of our classrooms will be open, and all of our teachers will be welcoming visitors. We will have student representatives making a short speech about St. Bruno at all the weekend masses. All students are encouraged to wear their school uniforms to whatever mass they attend, so that all parishioners will know they are proud Tigers. Please invite your friends and neighbors to share in this special event, especially if they have a "kindergarten age" child. At St. Bruno School we have been very lucky to maintain, and even increase our enrollment, but the best way we can advertise our school is through your good testimony. Please plan to attend, and bring your friends! The Home 'N School Committee will be providing hospitality after each mass, and applications will be available during the Open House hours, 10:00 – 12:00.



**Open Enrollment begins February 1<sup>st</sup> for New K through 8<sup>th</sup> grade students and continues through the entire month of February.**

**Information/Application packets will be available in the school office beginning February 1<sup>st</sup>**  
 Applicants for Kindergarten must be 5 by September 1<sup>st</sup> (no exceptions).

### CALENDAR REMINDERS & UPDATES

Visit "[saintbrunoschool.com](http://saintbrunoschool.com)"

E-mail - [schooloffice@saintbrunoschool.com](mailto:schooloffice@saintbrunoschool.com)

Scrip E-mail - [sbscrip@msn.com](mailto:sbscrip@msn.com)

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[pppMthruZ@saintbrunoschool.com](mailto:pppMthruZ@saintbrunoschool.com)

Uniform Info-[www.michaelschooluniforms.com](http://www.michaelschooluniforms.com)

Google Calendar web address: <http://tiny.cc/StBrunoCalendar>

Art Masters Assembly – Monday, Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> - Wassily Kadinsky

Talent Show tryouts today in Computer Lab & K-Green

Fish Fry Soda Donation begin – Please leave your donation on the front steps under Ms. Ippolito's window **BEFORE SCHOOL.**

**Quarter Ends January 27<sup>th</sup>**

Catholic Schools Week begins with our Open House – Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup> 10-Noon

Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> is Spirit Day – Gold/Green Add-ons- Religious Cheers at 2pm in Courtyard.

Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> is Student Appreciation Day and all students get "Free Dress"

Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup> is Parent Appreciation Day- Invite Mom & Dad or Grandma & Grandpa to bring and eat a picnic lunch with you

Thursday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> is Teacher Appreciation Day with a Spelling Bee at 2pm



Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> is Faith Appreciation Day with First Friday Mass at 8:15 & and SpeedZone in the afternoon.

### Jog-a-Thon News

We are very happy to announce that everyone's generous Jog-a-thon donation helped raise \$14,763.33 for our school. We came VERY close to meeting our \$15,000 goal! Our sixth graders raised a whopping \$2,115...way to go! Congratulations to the 39 students who raised \$125 or more. They will attend SpeedZone on Friday, February 3. These students will be picked up from St. Bruno by limousine and driven to SpeedZone in City of Industry. There, they will enjoy a pizza lunch in the private banquet room, have unlimited use of the arcade games, a round of miniature golf, and use of the race track. They will surely have a blast! The entire event will be chaperoned by Ms. Ippolito, Mrs. Moscoso and Mr. Parents of children attending this event are also welcomed to attend Speed Zone on their own.



**Copy Paper Drive #2**  
**Earn free dress again!!**  
**This time you'll get free dress on May 17<sup>th</sup>**  
 {The Thursday before Carnival Weekend}



**Talent Show 2012!!**  
**Try-outs are scheduled for today** January 23<sup>rd</sup> after school in the computer lab/K-Green classrooms.



We will see people in grade order-youngest first. Owing to the large number of applicants this year **each person can only appear in one act.** The show would end up being 3 hours long if we let individuals perform multiple talents. All dances and songs must be no longer than 3 minutes, this means that you may possible have to cuts some verses or edit the music. **Songs with inappropriate lyrics will NOT be allowed.**

February 17<sup>th</sup> is the date of our show. A Dress Rehearsal has been scheduled for Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup>. Questions? Please see Mrs. Lakey or Mrs. Walker.



**Don't forget to turn in your "Box Tops" and please help your children with the clipping of the box top labels. If we do not have the entire label with expiration date visible, the label is no good.**



**Campbell's Labels for Education**

Nourishing people's lives everywhere, every day.<sup>SM</sup>  
 We need the UPC code to be intact. Thanks

Remember that "Office Depot" offers a "year around" rebate to St. Bruno. If you supply our ID 70016599 or ask them to remember to credit St. Bruno with the "5% back to schools program" when making your purchase we will be able to buy much needed office/school supplies.

**Report Cards – Just Around the Corner!** The second quarter ends on Friday, January 27<sup>th</sup>. Now is the time to put in some extra time studying! Report Cards for the second quarter will be issued on Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. Honor Roll will be presented on Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome to attend

**Happy Birthday to those**  
 who will be celebrating this week



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| <b>Nicholas Montes</b>     | <b>Jan 25<sup>th</sup></b> |
| <b>Gia Oseguera</b>        | <b>Jan 25<sup>th</sup></b> |
| <b>Marissa Lopez</b>       | <b>Jan 27<sup>th</sup></b> |
| <b>Valerie Diaz</b>        | <b>Jan 28<sup>th</sup></b> |
| <b>Jacqueline Calderon</b> | <b>Jan 30<sup>th</sup></b> |
| <b>Clarissa Calderon</b>   | <b>Jan 30<sup>th</sup></b> |

Bring your Soda Donations for Fish Fry between January 25<sup>th</sup> and March 23<sup>rd</sup> – Earn a Free Dress Day on April 4<sup>th</sup> (Wednesday before Holy Thursday!)



Write your name in black felt pen on the cardboard box containing the sodas and put box on the steps outside Ms. Ippolito's office window BEFORE school. We have a parent volunteer who will come each morning to collect them.

**DO NOT deliver to the classroom or the school office.** We're sorry but we cannot accept them after school at this time because we do not have someone to lock them up. **PLEASE DO NOT**

**put sodas on the front steps after 8am**

K-Green	→	Diet Dr. Pepper
K-Gold	→	Diet Coke
1 <sup>st</sup> Green	→	Regular Dr. Pepper
1 <sup>st</sup> Gold & 2 <sup>nd</sup>	→	
3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup>	→	Diet Coke
5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup>	→	Classic Coke
7 <sup>th</sup>	→	Sprite
8 <sup>th</sup>	→	Water or A&W/Bart's Root Beer

**Further note regarding PPP hours:**

Families occasionally request to earn PPP hours by working extra hours at Fish Fry or Carnival. After you have completed your Fish Fry or Carnival mandatory hours, **you may use a maximum of 5 of your 20 PPP hours at either Fish Fry OR Carnival – not both, no exceptions.**

**Fresh & Easy**

We have already received receipts that will give us over \$200.

The offer Ended December 31<sup>st</sup> so **if you still have receipts dated between September 15<sup>th</sup> & December 31<sup>st</sup>** please turn them in so we get credit.

They will only accept receipts dated for that time period. Thank You!!!



**"Yearbook News"** Don't forget to turn in school related photos for the yearbook. We need everyone to turn in as many photos as possible. The yearbook is put together in February and we need to have all events covered. Has everyone turned in their team's sport pictures? When you donate photos, we prefer you send them on a disc but we can use a few photographs for the

colleague pages. Please send them to the school office in an envelope marked "YEARBOOK." On the back of photos, please note what activity is shown, the grade and date. Also include your name so that we can contact you if we have a question. Please be sure to keep a copy, as **we cannot return any photos or disks, no exceptions!** Questions? Please contact Monique Mauk – riverbunnies7@aol.com



**More SCRIP NEWS**

Are you looking for a way to meet your PPP hour requirement as well as other school commitments? Scrip is looking for the right person to fill a committee position. **You must be available every Tuesday morning from 9am to 12 noon, or Wednesday mornings if Monday is a holiday.** Please contact the scrip office by phone {562-947-5637 ex 116} or email {sbscrip@msn.com} if you are interested or would like more information.

**Parents! Pass to word**

***Please, Please, Please!!!***



It is Basketball season at St. Bruno and our teams cannot practice if cars are parked on the basketball courts after school. Please avoid parking on ***any of the courts*** after school. The teams practice from 3:15 to around 5:00 a few nights each week and 50 children trying to practice on the few courts in between parked cars is not working. Thank You for your cooperation in this matter.



**We "NEED" a couple of HEROES  
Fish Fry needs committee chairs for both  
"Set-up" and "Clean-up"**

We currently have no "Set-up" Chairperson and our current chairs Mrs. Corbett and Mr. Duran cannot work every week this year. Committee chairs supervise and assist those assigned to work. Set-up & Clean-up are two very important aspects of Fish Fry. We need an individual or couple of individuals out there making sure everyone performs their assigned duties. Every Friday the Hall needs to be ready for our "Customers" to enjoy their meals {and to want to return each week, hopefully with friends}



At the end of the evening the Hall must be clean and ready for other ministries use Saturday mornings. Clean-up starts Friday nights at 7pm and continues until completed (usually around 11pm). Please contact the school office if you are interested. There are special considerations that could be

considered and discussed with individuals ready to take on these responsibilities.

**Absences and Homework:**

When students are absent due to illness, they are not expected to do their homework, but, as stated in your Parent Student Handbook, schoolwork must be made up on the student's return to classes.



**Parents may request the homework when they call in to report the absence** (Remember you can call an absence in at any hour but not later than 9am – If school is not in session press 802 for the Absence Attendant when the recording begins.)

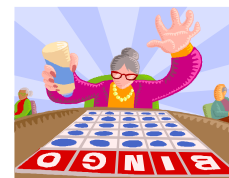
**We must be aware of your request for homework NO LATER THAN 10a.m. Homework may be picked up in the office or at DayCare after 3:00 p.m.** The school office closes at 3:30, if you need to pick-up after 3:30 please ask that the homework be taken to DayCare so that it is not locked up in the school office overnight.

***PLEASE DO NOT REQUEST HOMEWORK IF YOU ARE NOT GOING TO PICK IT UP!!***

**BINGO NEWS!!**

**DID YOUR FAMILY REMEMBER 2 DESSERTS???**

We have left the "2 desserts" section of the mandatory Bingo commitment pretty much on the "honor system." It has been reported that this system does not seem to be working. Many of our families have not brought a dessert on 2 of their nights. This means that Bingo has lost revenue and possibly a few customers who were disappointed in our food offerings. A voucher system was begun because individuals were forgetting to show up for their bingo commitment, we hope that we do not need to start up an accounting for desserts.



**Bingo needs additional committee members.  
"Set up" - "Window" person and a "Caller"**

If you are thinking about becoming a committee member next year, now is the time to let us know – a few current committee members will not be returning next year as their children will be graduating in June. The jobs these individuals have been doing for many years will need fresh faces to be trained as replacements. Get started now. *If you are interested please contact Ms. Porter in the school office –*



*Scrip News*  
**Guess what's  
 back in scrip?  
 Yes... American  
 Express is**



**back! Sold at the WINDOW  
 ONLY, no limit, profit 3%, \$50's, \$100's  
 and \$500 dollar cards while supplies last.**

*Do you have a **spare or unused computer monitor {that is still in good working condition}**? We have refurbished a few more of our older computers to make them available to students in the classrooms, but do not have monitors to place with them. If you could donate a monitor it would be greatly appreciated.*



**We could also use an “older” laptop {or two}**. If you have updated your technology and purchased a new lap top computer our students could use your old one in conjunction with our new Accelerated Reader program.  
 Thank You in advance



Whittier Union High School  
 Open Enrollment option for the 2012-13 school year for the Whittier Union High School District will take place from January 23<sup>rd</sup> to February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2012. An Information FAQ sheet and online applications are available on the high school district website at [www.wuhsd.org/openenroll](http://www.wuhsd.org/openenroll). If you have additional questions you may call the high school district department of Student Services at 562-698-8121 x 1180.

the perils of love, the changes in family,  
 and the importance of TRADITION!