



# SCHOOL NEWS

Holy Rosary School Family Communication Newsletter

February 9, 2006

**“Our work-a-day lives are filled with opportunities to bless others. The power of a single glance or an encouraging smile must never be underestimated.” G. Richard Rieger**

**LETTER OF INTENT** enclosed in this FCE is the Letter of Intent Form. If you wish to register your children at Holy Rosary School for next year, please complete and return the form by Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>. Please complete the form and return it to the school office.

**PARENTS OF 5<sup>TH</sup>-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS** remember that tonight, 7-9PM in the School Hall – nationally known speaker, Brad Henning, will speak about “Building Relationships in Our Culture” and related topics pertinent to parents of adolescents. Please feel welcome to attend. This speaker is well-known in Catholic High Schools advising students on how to make good choices in light of peer pressure and cultural demands.

**MIDTRIMESTER REPORTS** for all students will be included in next week’s FCE. Please review them carefully and should you have questions, please contact the appropriate teacher. The end of the second trimester is March 17<sup>th</sup>, and the report cards will be sent home on March 31<sup>st</sup>.

**FAMILY BINGO NIGHT** – Saturday, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:00PM (after 5:00 Mass). Proceeds will benefit the 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Sailing Trip, and the Mission Trip for Teachers to Uganda. Dinner will be available and provided by the 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Class. See enclosed flyer for advance registration. Sponsorship opportunities are available.

**VALENTINE’S SPIRIT DAY** The Leadership elective is sponsoring a Red, White and Pink Spirit Day next Tuesday, Valentine’s Day. Students are invited to show their spirit by dressing in Valentine colors on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. Students may wear hair ornaments in keeping with our Valentine theme.

**IT’S TIME FOR A BREAK!** Winter break days are- Friday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, and Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>. Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> is our Magazine Sales Reward Day. School resumes on Wednesday, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**HEART AUCTION** Advertising is still available. When talking to your favorite business about making an auction donation, don't forget to also mention that they can advertise in our auction catalog and on our auction web site as an additional way to show their support of Holy Rosary School and get new customers as well. Our catalog cover ads have already been spoken for, but space is available for full page and smaller ads. Thank you again to Cary Calkins- Windermere Real Estate and to Prudential NW Realty for their continued support as our cover ad sponsors!

**THE PARENT COMMITMENT HOUR** year for 2005- 2006 will end on February 28, 2006. All hours must be reported on or before March 9, 2006. All hours not completed by February 28th 2006 will be invoiced to you at the rate of \$30.00 per hour. If your hours are in arrears please plan accordingly. Final statements are included in this weeks' FCE. Invoices will be included in the FCE on March 23. After invoiced, families must pay for the uncompleted hours by March 31, 2006 to receive registration papers for 2006-2007 school year. Please see the Family Handbook for more information.

**YEARBOOK PHOTOS NEEDED** If you have your child's soccer, basketball or volleyball team picture from this year please send it into the school office and label it CYO Pictures for Yearbook. The pictures will be returned. We only need CYO teams. Please try and have them in no later than Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>. Our deadline is growing near. Thank you.

**FATHER DAUGHTER GLOW BOWL** is coming up March 11<sup>th</sup>, 5:30-8:30PM. The registration form is enclosed and due back Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions, please call Melody Sarkies at 206-935-0793.

**TRAFFIC NEWS** Please respect the handicap parking spaces right outside the school. Do not park in these spaces unless you have the appropriate permit. Thank you.

**CYO VOLLEYBALL** Sharpen your basketball skills for next year by signing up on a Holy Rosary Volleyball team. Learn to block the other teams' shots, time your jumps, work with your team mates, and have some fun! Deadline for CYO Volleyball applications is this Friday, February 10. Holy Rosary coach's meeting Thursday, February 16 at Lanigan gym. Team registration Friday, February 17. Questions? Contact Volleyball Coordinator Frances Mauldin 937-0356.

**OLG YOUTH GROUP INFO** from Kerry Tadique: Focus Group: Come share your hopes and ideas for our growing Youth Program! Wednesday, February 15 and Tuesday, February 21 at 7PM in the OLG Parish Hall on Saturday, February 25th after 5:30 mass, February 26<sup>th</sup> after 8:30 & 11AM masses and at 4PM before 5:30 mass, in the church. Youth Corner Time is running out! Sign up to go to a Thunderbirds hockey game with Kerry or at [youth@olgseattle.com](mailto:youth@olgseattle.com) <<mailto:youth@olgseattle.com>> . We're going Fri. 2/17 in lieu of youth group. Tickets are \$14. Parents or other chaperones are welcome! Next Summer's Mission Trip meeting: February 19th after 5:30PM mass in the DeMazenod Room. Please contact Kerry for more information. Visit our blog! [www.olg-youth.blogspot.com](http://www.olg-youth.blogspot.com) <<http://www.olg-youth.blogspot.com>> If you would like to make posts, please send an email with your name to [youth@olgseattle.com](mailto:youth@olgseattle.com) <<mailto:youth@olgseattle.com>> and you will receive an invitation! [kerryr@olgseattle.com](mailto:kerryr@olgseattle.com)

**MARINER TICKETS:** We are looking for families to join our M's ticket co-op. We have 4 seats for every game in the 2nd row, on the aisle, in the Family Section in centerfield. The Co-op is made up of all HR or former HR families. Tickets are \$20 each. Please contact Chris Clark @ 932-8675 for more details. Go M's!

**INCLUDED IN THIS FCE:**

- Letter of Intent Form for 2006-07 School Year (green)
- Family BINGO Night Registration Form
- January Parent's Club Meeting Minutes
- Father Daughter Glow Bowl Registration Form
- Positive Parenting Plan Flyer (blue)
- CYO Camp Brochure

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- Speaker Brad Henning-Parents of 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Graders-Thursday, Feb. 9, 7-9PM
- Prayer Service by 1A – Friday, Feb. 10, 8:30AM – School hall
- 8B Field Trip to St. James Cathedral-Monday, Feb. 13
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Meeting – Monday, Feb. 13, 7PM – School Hall
- Mid-trimester Reports in FCE – Thursday, Feb. 16
- Letter of Intent Forms Due back to the school office – Thursday, Feb. 16
- Parent's Club Meeting – Thursday, Feb. 16, 6:30PM
- Winter Break – Friday, Feb. 17-Feb. 21 (that includes our magazine sale reward day-off)
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Sailing Trip Meeting – Wednesday, Feb. 22, 6PM – Library
- Family BINGO Night – Saturday, Feb. 25, 6PM