

# PETER'S PAGE

September 14, 2017

<b>Thurs. Sept. 14</b>	8:30am Mass Picture Day for K-8—Full Dress Required
<b>Friday, Sept. 15</b>	K-8 Minimum Day Preschool Regular Schedule
<b>Thurs. Sept. 21</b>	8:30am Mass
<b>Friday, Sept. 22</b>	<b>Golf Tournament and BALL DROP! Come Join us for Assembly at 7:50am!</b>
<b>Thurs. Sept. 28</b>	8:30am Mass
<b>Tues. Sept 26</b>	October Hot Lunch Due
<b>Friday, Sept. 29</b>	K-8 Minimum Day/Preschool Regular Schedule Super Hero Dress Up Theme Day
<b>Thurs. Oct 5</b>	Progress Reports
<b>Fri Oct 6</b>	K-8 Minimum Day Preschool Regular Schedule
<b>Friday, Oct 13</b>	Rosary 2:30
<b>Friday, Oct 20</b>	NO SCHOOL-Professional Development for teachers
<b>Saturday Oct 28</b>	AUCTION/GALA-Masquerade Gala

**GOLF TOURNAMENT** --September 22 at the Golf Club of California right here in Fallbrook. **You don't golf? NO PROBLEM!** You can still help with the **BALL DROP RAFFLE**. **The goal is to sell 5000!** On the morning of the tournament, all of the numbered balls will be dropped from a tractor front loader bucket onto a putting green during morning assembly. The "hole in one" **WINS!!!!** **What's in it for you???**

- The "hole in one" ball wins \$5,000 cash or 20% of Ball Drop proceeds (whichever is greater )
- The school family who is credited to the winning ball wins \$500 Scrip or \$500 tuition credit
- The school family who is credited with the most donations wins \$500 Scrip or \$500 tuition credit

**And Now You can Register for the Tournament And Buy Ball Drop Balls --from Your Computer Or Phone! Use This Link and Send It To Your Family, Friends And Relatives-- [SPACSSCHOOL.ACCELRAISING.COM](http://SPACSSCHOOL.ACCELRAISING.COM)**

We are sent home 15 raffle tickets. Please do your best to buy or sell these! Each ticket is \$10 for a chance to win \$5000! We really need this Golf Tournament and Raffle Fundraiser to be a huge success!

## **Golf Update---**

Sadly, the response to this event has not been what we had hoped for. We were hoping that the BALL DROP would encourage more participation, especially from those who do not golf. With the tournament being NEXT FRIDAY, we only have until THIS FRIDAY to send in our numbers to the golf course, or make the decision to reschedule, postpone, or cancel the event. As of this morning, we have 4 golfers signed up; 1 sponsorship, and have sold less than 300 ping pong balls.

This year, more than ever, we need your help! Every penny of every fundraiser that we do, goes to help keep our doors open. Go online to support this event---stop by the office---go on the school website---call us. We Need Your Help!

## **From a parent.....Did you know.....**

.....that some employers offer matching charitable contributions to education institutions, dollar-for-dollar. Just today, we received a check for \$1890.00 as a matching donation! THANK YOU!!! There might be parents/family/friends who have forgotten or perhaps don't know if their employer matches donations. I have heard that Northrop Grumman, Pfizer, QUALCOMM and Genentech are just a few.. I am sure there are many more. Check with your employer!

## **Something to think about.....Upcoming**

- The 4 Reserved Parking Spaces will be available at the end of October. If you are interested, please call Linda McCotter.
- "FRONT OF LINE" privileges --Ever wonder why those 2 cars in carline just jump to the front of the line and go out the automatic gate???? That's because they bought "FRONT OF LINE" privileges at the Auction! Are you interested? Call Linda.

## **LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP FOR THESE! -- If we do not get enough sign ups,--by TOMORROW!!these will have to be cancelled.**

- **SING N SPEAK SPANISH** for students in Grades 1-8 ! We need 12 students to sign up for this to happen. **First Session begins Sept 18—SIGN UP NOW.** If we do not get enough sign ups, we won't be able to have the class.
- **STEM/STEAM/STREAM—Wednesday or Thursdays —6 weeks—Sept 20-Oct 26--3:15-4:30--\$100-for students in grades 4-8**
- **MAD SCIENCE for K-3 Students—Wednesdays--3:15-4:15--\$75**

## FUNDRAISING

Why do we do fundraising? Two very important reasons: **#1** bringing people together builds community. In our little community, this is what we do best! Parish, school, community, relatives, friends—all coming together and having fun! That's the **FUN** in **FUN**draising. The **#2** reason is that the tuition/fees do not cover our expenses. We do not get money from the Diocese or the Vatican, as some people may think. However, we DO receive a subsidy from our parish and donations from generous groups and individuals in the Parish, for which we are most grateful. But even with all of that, we still have a deficit---that's where the **FUN**draising comes in. This year, in particular, we are in great need of successful fundraising. If you have been in the classrooms, you know that some of our numbers are down. Why? For the most part, there are 2 reasons--Families have moved out of the area and financial struggles. So, please.....help us meet the fundraising goal. If everyone does a little, we can make this work! TOGETHER we are strong! This year, our total fundraising goal is \$89,100. Here is the breakdown

2017-2018		Goal	Actual
<b>*Bold= expected participation</b>			
B2S BBQ Movie	Sept 1	\$800	\$725
Golf Tournament	Sept 22	\$10,000	
<b>*Gala/Auction</b>	<b>Oct 28</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>	
<b>*Funny Nun</b>	<b>Feb 10</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>	
<b>*Jog a thon</b>	<b>March 16</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>	
Daddy Daughter Dance	April 21	\$1800	
<b>*Taste of</b>	<b>May 19</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>	
EOY BBQ/Movie	June 1	\$600	
School Supply Packs		\$500	\$250
Rebates/other		\$1400	
Non-Participation		\$1000	
TOTAL		\$77,100	
Scrip		\$12,000	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$89,100</b>	

The goal of EVERY fundraiser is that EVERY family participate. In the past, we did not have expected participation--we had an Attitude of Gratitude—in the hopes that ALL families would participate in the fundraising. However, what happened was only 20% of families participated. So that is why we had to unfortunately institute the expected participation and non-participation fee. Here are the 4 EXPECTED PARTICIPATION EVENTS+ Scrip for 2017-2018 for each family.

- **Oct 28- Auction/Gala + Family Basket**
- **Feb. 10-Will My Bunny Go To Heaven? (Funny Nun) + appetizer/dessert**
- **March 16-Jogathon-\$100 in pledges**
- **May 19-Taste of \_\_\_\_\_ + raffle tickets**

For each of these events, we ask that you purchase a ticket to the event or make a donation equal to the price of admission.

**If you cannot attend or choose to not participate, a Non-Participation Fee equal to the price of a ticket plus the requested basket, appetizer, or dessert will be billed for each event.**

**SCRIP--**Please purchase ANY amount of Scrip/eScrip/ScripNow EACH month--- Preschool and K-8 Families---. **Try Scrip Reload Cards!** Each year Scrip raises \$15,000-\$18,000. Unfortunately, there is a \$35 penalty per month for not participating

### Family Baskets for the October 28 Gala

For those who like to plan ahead... Each family will be asked to donate ONE Family Basket for the October 28 Gala/Auction. The basket auction is the main source of income for this event--- and we need your help! We hope that YOUR basket will generate at least \$50-\$75-\$100. Some ideas include: Dad Basket/Mom Basket/Just for Kids/Sports/Kitchen/Garden/Food Basket-Mexican, Italian, Greek/Coffee & Chocolate/Holidays/Shopping/Be creative!! Make it something YOU would want to bid on and win!

We ask that you:

- Wrap the basket in clear cellophane or bag
- Tie with a bow or ribbon
- Attach a list of the contents of the basket
- Bring your basket to the School Office starting NOW!

If you are unable to assemble and wrap your basket, please drop off your basket and basket items **no later than October 20** with content list and we will wrap it for you. **Baskets can NOT be accepted after October 20. If you do not have the time or desire to make a basket, the Basket opt out fee is \$50.**

**FREE MONEY!!** Send in your MAJOR MARKET RECEIPTS! We receive a percentage of the total from your receipts!

*Give Glory To God In All That We Do!*