



Weekly Newsletter

Nativity Catholic School

The Nativity Star ~ Leading The Way To Christ



December 7, 2011

EARLY DISMISSAL

Friday, December 9th 12:00 Dismissal

Just A Reminder...

Monday, December 19th 3:00 Dismissal

Extended Care open until 6:00PM
Christmas Pageant begins at 7:00 PM

**(This is also the last day of school before
Christmas break begins)**

Due to necessary repairs, as a result of the earthquake, Christmas Break is beginning December 20th. There will be no school on December 20th. This is a change in date from the original school calendar. Christmas Break is now Tuesday, December 20th through January 2nd.

SCHOOL RESUMES ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 3rd



Christmas Pageant

Nativity's annual Christmas pageant will be on Monday, December 19th at 7:00pm. All students must be in church by 6:45pm. Please make plans to attend. If your child cannot attend, please send a note to Ms. Kelly. Refer to the recent email letter regarding costumes.

JANUARY LUNCH CARDS

January lunch cards will go home today Wednesday, December 7th. Please look in your child's backpack and if they did not get one they need to ask their teacher. The due date for the card is next Wednesday, December 14th. The January menu is available on the school web site.

PTO EVENTS

PTO Advent Family Night - Thursday, December 15
Families are invited to make pillows for pediatric cancer patients. See flyer for details!
PTO Auction Planning Meeting - Thursday, December 8, 7:30pm.
All are invited to attend! See the flyer for details.

PARISH MASS

Thursday, December 8th is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception and a Holy Day of Obligation. All students will attend the Parish Mass. **No PE Uniforms. All are welcome!**



BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

December birthdays will be celebrated on Friday, December 9th.



Ice Cream Sale

The 8th grade students will be selling frozen treats for \$1.00 each on Friday, December 16th.

FACTS TUITION 2012-2013

The application for the Diocesan Tuition Grant Program for the 2012-2013 school year is going green. Please apply directly through the FACTS website, which is **www.factstuitionaid.com**. Please refer to the attached flyer from the Diocese and instructions from FACTS.

NOTE: All families with children enrolled in both high school and elementary school will need to submit an application by the high school deadline. FACTS Assessment due date for everyone else (**Kindergarten thru 7th grade**) is **Monday, March 19th**.

DEADLINES:

High Schools-January 23, 2012
Elementary Schools-March 19, 2012

NEED HELP WITH FACTS APPLICATION?

Please contact Mrs. Gil at 703-455-2300 or **jgil@nativityschool.org** to arrange an appointment. The deadline for submitting an application with supporting documentation is **Monday, March 19th**.

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

Student Council is happy to announce the sale of all the previous years Christmas Cards. Each one pack sold contains 5 cards. Original artwork is by Nativity Catholic School students. All proceeds benefit the Rainbow House in Haiti (an orphanage for children affected by AIDS). Thank you for your support. Please visit the Nativity E-Store to order your Christmas Cards today!