

NEWS AND NOTES for the Weeks of February 13 & 20, 2017

Monday, February 13	7:00 PM First Reconciliation at Resurrection of Our Lord
Tuesday, February 14	3:00 - 4:00 PM Title I Tutoring (Grades 1-8) 3:00 – 4:30 PM Song and Dance
Wednesday, February 15	3:00 - 4:00 PM Title I Tutoring (Grades 1-8) 3:00 – 4:00 PM Children’s Choir Practice
Thursday, February 16	PICTURE DAY (Students will wear school uniforms.) 3:00 – 4:30 PM Song and Dance
Friday, February 17	Faculty Retreat NO SCHOOL for Students
Monday, February 20	Presidents’ Day NO SCHOOL
Saturday, February 25	School Dance for Grades 5-8 (Permission Form required)
Monday, February 27	4:00 PM Confirmation at Resurrection of Our Lord 1:00 PM DISMISSAL after lunch NO PM CARES

Snow Days and Delayed Openings

As the winter continues and the threat of snow and ice is ever-present, please listen to KYW or one of the TV stations regarding whether or not we are open. As an Archdiocesan school, we do not make the decision as to close due to inclement weather. That is made by the Office of Catholic Education. Please listen for “ALL ARCHDIOCESAN (or Parochial) SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED TODAY” or “THERE WILL BE A 2 HOUR DELAY THIS MORNING FOR ALL ARCHDIOCESAN SCHOOLS.” Please do not call the school. If we get the word soon enough, we will post it on the school website or send out an email but it is best to just listen to the radio or television for the announcement.

Be aware that a 2 hour delay means that school will start at 10:00 and the breezeway doors will not open until 9:45. Also, there is NO morning CARES if there is a delayed opening.

New Student Registration for 2017-2018

New Student Registration went very well. Our PK3 program is almost full. If you know of anyone interested in the three-year-old program, please encourage them to call school to make an appointment as soon as possible. Once it is full, we will place names on a waiting list. If we have enough names on the waiting list, we will open another class for three-year-olds.

Re- Registration for 2017-2018

By now your child should have brought home the form indicating your **Intent to Return** to Resurrection for the 2017-2018 school year. It is very important that you complete this form and return it to your child’s teacher as soon as possible. This will help us determine how many openings we have in the grades as well as how many classes we will have for each grade. If you are still unsure at this point, please return the Intent to Return Form anyway without the Re-Registration form and indicate that you are not certain about next year. This information is critical for our planning purposes.

Along with your Intent to Return Form, you will also receive a Re-Registration Form from the rectory indicating your payment plan for tuition. FACTS will continue to be our Tuition Management Company. You may send in your registration fee or pay it through FACTS as before. **Any family already registered has been re-enrolled for the 2017-2018 school year. If you intend to keep the same tuition plan arrangement as last year, you do not need to do anything. If you want to change your plan or your banking information has changed, you must log onto your FACTS account at <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3PMQG> and make the necessary changes.** The tuition manager, Nadine Holzshu will be entering your tuition rate based on your status and tuition plan that you select. FACTS will then email you a payment schedule listing the dates and the amounts to pay. If you have any questions about tuition, please call Nadine at the rectory, 215-745-3211.

Sacrament News

On Monday, February 13, 2017, 53 children celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time at Resurrection of Our Lord Church. The children were reverent and joyful. The service ended



with the children beautifully singing “*This Little Light Of Mine.*” Thank you to Miss McCann, Miss Coleman, Miss Galanti, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Ewald and Miss Fitzgerald for their hard work in preparing the children to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Congratulations to all the recipients.

Home and School News

- **Monday, February 13, 2017 - Gertrude Hawk Candy fundraiser begins.**
This is a great way to get all your Easter candy while supporting Resurrection Regional Catholic School. (Flyer)
All orders due by Wednesday, March 8, 2017 **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!**
- **Saturday, February 18, 2017, 6:30-11:00 PM – Comedy Night**
This 21 year old and over event will be a night filled with great food, lots of laughs, spirited beverages and friends. There will be baskets for auction as well as a 50/50! Tickets are \$35pp (full tables of 10 are discounted to \$300). (FLYER)
- **Sunday, March 19, 2017 - Father/Daughter Dance** at the Radisson. 1-5pm (FLYER)
Last day to purchase tickets is Wednesday, March 8, 2017 **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!**
- **Saturday, April 8, 2017 - Mother/Son Bingo** (FLYER)
Last day to purchase tickets will be Friday, March 31, 2017 **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!**
- **Saturday, April 22 & Sunday, April 23, 2017 - Annual Dinner Show, *Beauty and the Beast*** (FLYER)
Ms. Galanti and our Song and Dance kids have already started to prepare for this. Tickets are \$15pp and will include a hoagie, drink and chips. **No tickets will be sold at the door.** Ticket deadline is Friday, April 14, 2017. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!**

Lenten Reflections

Take time this lent to join a presentation and discussion of “*A Love that Never Dies.*” This pivotal players video of Bishop Barron’s Catholicism will be led by Valerie Daskilewicz. It will be held from 4:00-5:00 PM or 7:00-8:00 PM on the following Wednesdays during lent. (March 15, 22, 29, April 5) For more information, email Valerie at tootsdaski@aol.com. All are welcome.

Basketball News

On Monday, February 13, at St. Martha’s, the JV Girls Basketball team won the championship! Congratulations, girls! We are so proud of you.

Eighth Grade News

Because of her outstanding performance on the schools’ Entrance Exams, eighth grader, Timoney Lamplugh, has been offered the following scholarships:

- \$3500 per year Trustees’ Scholarship at Nazareth Academy
- \$2500 per year Scholars Award and \$1500 Mother Josaphat Award at St. Basil Academy



High School News

St. Basil Academy

St. Basil Academy will offer the Seventh Grade Practice Exam on Saturday, March 4, at 8:00 AM. Register online at <https://www.stbasilacademy.org/product/7th-grade-practice-exam-registration/> To schedule a shadow day visit, or for more information, please contact Mrs. Kimberly Clearkin, Director of Admissions, at 215-649-9083 or kclearkin@stbasilacademy.org

St. Huberts

Shadow dates are available! Shadowing is the best way to experience a day in the life of a Bambie. Learn the difference technology can make in the classroom, see Bambi school spirit, and participate in their community of faith. Reserve your Bambie Shadow Day now by visiting huberts.org. All reservations must be made at least seven days in advance.

Dr. Pace Test Prep [For more information, call 215-725-6568 or visit www.drpaceseminars.com]

- **Slaying the Dragons of Standardized Tests** – (Prepares students for all high school entrance and scholarship tests)
FOR: Students in Grades 6 & 7 and their parents
LOCATION: Basilian Spirituality Center at Fox Chase Manor (across from St. Basil Academy)
DATES: Sunday, Feb. 12 & 19, 2017 **TIME:** 12:30 – 2:30 PM **COST:** \$80 (covers student and parent)
- **HSPT Academic Seminar** – (Covers all areas of the High School Placement Tests)
FOR: Students in Grades 6 & 7 **LOCATION:** Basilian Spirituality Center at Fox Chase Manor
DATES: February 12 & 19, 2017 **TIME:** 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM **COST:** \$110
- **TerraNova Program** – (Prepares students to take the TerraNova Test)
FOR: Students in 7 and Advanced 6th Graders
LOCATION: Basilian Spirituality Center at Fox Chase Manor (across from St. Basil Academy)
DATES: Saturday, March 11 & Sunday, March 12 **TIME:** 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM **COST:** \$110

Track News

- Sign up for track will be every Tuesday and Thursday in February from 6:00 – 7:30 PM in the school gym.
- Dates are: February 2, 7, 8, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28.
- The fee for this year is \$55.00 due at the time of sign-up.
- Track is for all students in third grade (born in 2006 & 2007 only) up through 8th grade (Cannot be 15 before September 1, 2016)
- The first practice will be Thursday, March 2, in the school gym from 6:00 – 7:30 PM.
- Please call John Forsythe (267-333-8491) with any questions,

Box Tops and Labels for Education

Please continue to send in your box tops and labels for education.



We are grateful to Mrs. Powers for all her hard work as the Box Tops/Labels Coordinator for Resurrection Regional School. Box Tops are each worth 10¢ and they quickly add up to real cash for our school. You can find the pink Box Tops on many products. Download a list of those products [here](#) or from the FORMS link on the school website Just clip them and send them in to school with your child.

Double your Box Tops when you use the new Box Tops Bonus App! You can earn Bonus Box Tops when you shop in addition to the Box Tops you clip from the packages. Find on the App Store: <https://appsto.re/us/KidJeb.i> or on Google Play: <http://bit.ly/2cnS4H2>

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SCRIP Program

Our school has been given a new code for buying SCRIP online. If you order online, please call our SCRIP coordinator, Rose at Rosewie@comcast.net or call the SCRIP office at 215-745-5021 for the code. The hours of the Scrip office in the Rectory are as follows: Saturday, Sun. and Mon. 9:00 -11:00 AM; Tues. and Thurs. 1:15 – 2:45 PM; Wed. 6:00-8:00 PM; Friday 9:00-11:00 AM and 6:00-8:00 PM

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, March 1	8:30 AM Mass for Ash Wednesday – Grades PK4 – 8; ashes distributed after Mass
Friday, March 3	8:30 AM First Friday Mass for Grades PK4 – 8; Peacemaker certificates after Mass 1:00 PM Stations of the Cross
Saturday, March 4	2:00 PM First Reconciliation at Our Lady of Ransom
Sunday, March 5	11:00 AM Confirmation at Our Lady of Ransom
Monday, March 6	Teacher Inservice NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Tuesday, March 7	NO SONG AND DANCE NO TITLE I EXTENDED DAY
Friday, March 10	Second Trimester Ends