



March 2011

## Sacred Heart School Home School Association

### President's Message

Signs of Spring are all around, and I'm sure you feel as I do, that Spring can't come soon enough! The H S A is experiencing a time of renewal, as we are looking for new H S A Board Members and Committee Chairs to continue the H S A's good works next term. For interest in or questions about Board positions, please contact Nominations Chair, Michele Hunter, at 410-526-9260 or [michelle2517@hotmail.com](mailto:michelle2517@hotmail.com). Nominations are due by March 15th, and ballots will be sent home with children, unless

there is only one candidate for any positions. An announcement of the new Board Members will be sent out in early April.

The H S A encourages you to attend our next monthly meeting on Wed., March 16th at 7pm in the Media Center. Babysitting will be provided in Mrs. Madden's Room 138. All children of parents/guardians in attendance will receive an Out of Uniform day on Friday, March 18th.

Please consider volunteering your time, and feel free to contact me

anytime to be included on our volunteer list. STAND-training is required for most activities; and that training is good for 5 years, and can be done or renewed online at <http://www.shgschool.org/stand.aspx>

Thanks for your support and consideration!

Jenn Daniszewski

H S A President

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or 410-517-3553

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#### Important Dates

##### March 8

Out of Uniform  
Mardi Gras

##### March 9, 11, 18, 25

Meatless Sandwich  
Collection

##### March 14

School Closed

##### March 15

H S A Board  
Nominations Due

##### March 16

H S A Meeting

##### March 23

Used Uniform Ex-  
change

##### March 25

School OPEN

**Spring Bull Roast at Oregon Ridge**

**April 9, 2011**

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## Outreach

### *Outreach Plans for March*

#### *Mardi Gras Out of Uniform Day and Lenten Sandwich Collection*

*A big THANK YOU , goes out to the Sacred Heart School community for donation of school supplies for the children in St. Ann's community. We were able to deliver 5 boxes of supplies to Sr. Jean at St. Ann's for distribution. The students are always so grateful to receive any school supplies as they are running out of supplies at this time of year.*

*OUT OF UNIFORM DAY,  
March 8th! Wear green, purple  
and gold to celebrate Mardi  
Gras and help the children and  
families at St. Ann's in Balti-  
more.*

*"If you can't feed  
a hundred people,  
then feed just one.*

*Mother Teresa*

### *LENTEN MEATLESS SANWICH COLLECTION:*

***Ash Wednesday:** March 9*

***Fridays:** March 11, 18, 25 and  
April 1, 8 and 15.*

*Please send in meatless sand-  
wiches (peanut butter and jelly  
or cheese) on Ash Wednesday  
and Fridays during Lent to help  
those who are hungry every  
day. Collection tubs will be in  
the main lobbies for the sand-  
wiches.*

*Thank you in advance for your  
generosity. Please contact  
Adele Kootz,  
[gatorlion@comcast.net](mailto:gatorlion@comcast.net),  
Laura Keating,  
[laura.keating@verizon.net](mailto:laura.keating@verizon.net), or  
Alicia Mezu,  
[almezu@verizon.net](mailto:almezu@verizon.net)*

## *Helping Hands*

*Do you know of a Sacred Heart School family going through a loss, hospitaliza-  
tion, or illness? Helping Hands can lighten the load by providing one or more  
dinner deliveries to them. Contact Darlene Jones for more information:*

*[djones5@metlife.com](mailto:djones5@metlife.com) or 410-922-0822.*

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## Support the HSA and Stay Informed!

*The 2010-2011 HSA needs you! The HSA funds many of the annual events and we need membership to help defray these costs.*

*Please join the HSA and show your support for our children and their school. Annual dues are only \$5.00 per family.*

*Any and all parents and guardi-*

*ans are welcome to attend the HSA meetings, If you would like to be listed on the agenda for a meeting, please contact the HSA President, Jenn Daniszewski at 410-514-3553 or [jennngreg4@verizon.net](mailto:jennngreg4@verizon.net) at least one week in advance of the meeting date. We encourage all of those interested in the HSA to attend*

*monthly meetings and stay informed.*

*Input from our school community is always needed and appreciated.*

*For membership information, please contact Kristine Snider at 410-517-1667 or [kristine708@comcast.net](mailto:kristine708@comcast.net)*

## Volunteers

*If you have not yet signed up for anything, now's the time. If you have, thank you very much! We have many volunteer opportunities still available.*

*Do you want to get to meet your kids friends? Try cafeteria duty. Interested in whether or not your child is really a good*

*listener? Sign up for library duty.*

*There is truly something for everyone and every schedule. For more information on volunteer opportunities, please contact Gina Darby at 410-861-8411 or [ginadarby@comcast.net](mailto:ginadarby@comcast.net)*

*SHG School Volunteer Form:*

*<http://www.shgschool.org/HSA/documents/volunteer.pdf>*

*STAND Information can be found at the link below:*

*<http://www.shgschool.org/stand.aspx>*

## HSA Board Openings

*The HSA is seeking new Board Members for the next two-year term, school years 2011-2012 and 2012-2013. All positions are open for nominations of STAND-certified parents/guardians: President, Vice President, Co-Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer. If you are interested, want to nominate yourself or someone else, or have ques-*

*tions, please contact Nominations Chair, Michele Hunter at [michele2517@hotmail.com](mailto:michele2517@hotmail.com) or 410-526-9260. Ballots will be sent home in March for a March 15th election deadline. In the event there is only one candidate for any position, voting will not take place for that position. An announcement of the newly-elected Board Members will be sent home in late March. The new Board will be sworn in at a*

*special HSA Year-End Meeting/Volunteer Appreciation Party on May 18th, at 7pm in the Gym. Appetizers and drinks will be served courtesy of the Administration, and ABC Care will provide free childcare. Invitations will be sent home closer to that date.*

*The HSA thanks you in advance for your continued support!*

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## Save \$\$\$ Off Your Tuition with SCRIP

*Scrip Spring Break Schedule:*

*Last day to order Scrip through school is April 11th. No Scrip April 16th through April 29th. Scrip is available after Masses the weekend of April 30th. Orders through school resume on May 2nd.*

*Please contact our volunteer coordination Chad Eskildsen at [cdeskildsen@gmail.com](mailto:cdeskildsen@gmail.com) to volunteer.*

*Still have questions about the program?*

*Contact SHTDA President Shellie DeLuca at [paulandshellie@comcast.net](mailto:paulandshellie@comcast.net)*

## Used Uniform Exchange

*Wednesday, March 23rd, 2-5pm in the Media Center*

*Trade in uniforms in good condition that your child has outgrown for “uniform credit”. Buy used uniforms with “uniform credit”, cash, or check.*

*We are also going to be offering 1st Communion dresses, suits and sport coats, and 8th grade graduation dresses*

*and suits on consignment at this event only. If you are interested in selling one of these items, contact Jackie Seal at [jackie.seal@comcast.net](mailto:jackie.seal@comcast.net) or 410-526-6597 before the 23rd.*

### **Price list**

*\$7.00 sweaters, jumpers, skirts*

*\$3.00 pants, white shirts or blouses, blue polo shirts*

*\$3.00 gym uniform sweat-pants, sweatshirt, t-shirt or shorts*

*\* Availability is based on what is brought in.*

*Please bring in your old SHG sweatshirts (the ones without the crest that say Sacred Heart in block letters).*

*We are using them for a special project. Thanks!*

## Hot Lunch!

*Please take advantage of our hot lunch program! We need to beef up our numbers in order to break even and maintain the program.*

*Hot lunch is \$3.00 per child and includes a healthy and well balanced meal. You can print*



*out the menu from the news page of the website*

*[www.shgschool.org](http://www.shgschool.org) and prepay for the month or just send in a check or cash for one or more lunches.*

*Checks made payable to Child Nutrition, please.*

## Field Day

*Field Day volunteers are needed! STAND-training is a must, and we need many parents to help run games, so that our kids can enjoy a day of fresh air, play and activity! Field Day runs from 8:30 a.m. to lunchtime on the following days:*

**Tuesday, May 31** – Kindergarten,  
Grade 1, Grade 2

**Wednesday, June 1** – Grades 3, 4 & 5

**Thursday, June 2** – Grades 6 and 7

*Please contact Jenn Daniszewski  
[jenngreg4@verizon.net](mailto:jenngreg4@verizon.net) if you can help, or if  
you have questions. Thanks for your support!*



## Cub Scout Pack 706

*The Cub Scouts of Sacred Heart's Pack 706 have been busy in February! Congratulations to the following eleven Webelos-II Cub Scouts who bridged to Troop 706 Boy Scouts in a very special ceremony at our February 24th Pack Meeting: Robert Carney, Evan Coffren, CJ Derzak, Brendan Helwig, Kenyan*

*Mather, Anthony Matiga, Luke Rinehart, Crescenzo Scott, Kolbe Setzer, Noah Shannon, and Matthew Tan. All eleven of these boys earned the Arrow of Light which is the highest award in Cub Scouting! We also participated in a Valentine's Day Sing-along at FutureCare on February*

*15th, prepared for our spring camping trip, and demonstrated a magical enlarging machine. More fun and adventure will be reported soon! Please continue to keep Sacred Heart Cub Scouts in your prayers, especially these 11 boys as they start Boy Scouts.*

## Home School Association Meeting Dates

March 16, 2011

Media Center - Babysitting offered in Room 138

Out of uniform for March 18<sup>th</sup> offered to children of parents/guardians in attendance!

No April Meeting

Spring Break

May 18, 2011

Gym

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## Spring Bull Roast

*Save the date for the Spring Bull Roast! April 9, 2011 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. at Oregon Ridge.*

*There will be raffles, silent auction items, and a money wheel.*

*Please join our current sponsors: Accord Restoration, Goldberg, Finnegan & Messter, LLC, and Prosperity Mortgage.*

*If you are interested in donations or sponsorship, please*

*contact Beth Yates at 410-292-3056 or 410-833-6706, or [byates@hamiltonassoc.com](mailto:byates@hamiltonassoc.com)*

*This H S A event supports SHG's technology fund.*

## SHG Car Magnets

*Wondering how to get blue SHG magnets for your cars? Or lost one in the car wash? The H S A still has a good supply of magnets nicely priced at one for \$3 or two for \$5! Simply enclose cash or a check made payable to Sacred Heart H S A,*

*and send it in with your child to their homeroom. Mark the envelope with the following info:*

**SHG Magnets**  
**Your child's name**  
**Your child's homeroom**

*We will send you the magnet(s) through your child's homeroom.*

*Thanks!*

*Any questions, contact Jenn Daniszewski at 410-517-3553 or [jenngreg4@verizon.net](mailto:jenngreg4@verizon.net)*

## Cafeteria Help is Needed

*Did you realize that your child will eat lunch in the cafeteria 169 times during the school year?*

*This requires between 676 and 845 helpers to open juice boxes, open yogurts, peel oranges, clean up spills, wipe tables and keep the peace.*

*Six volunteers for each day would be ideal (or 1,014 helpers over the course of the year) to keep the lunch hours running smoothly.*

*Many thanks to those who have already signed up, but there are days still needing volunteer(s).*

*Please consider volunteering just 2 hours of your time to Lunch Duty on a monthly, every other week or weekly basis.*

*Contact Jessica Nemshick at [nemshick1@verizon.net](mailto:nemshick1@verizon.net) to sign up.*

***Help is especially needed on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS!***