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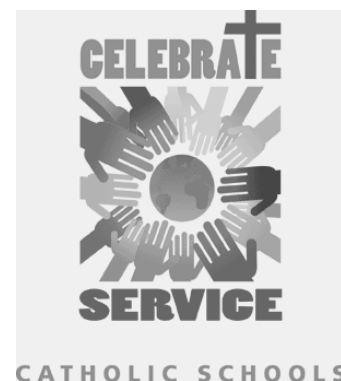
St. Augustine School ♡ *January 23, 2009* ♡ *www.staug-md.org*

Dr. Michael Murphy, president of Archbishop Spalding High School, was a guest speaker at a recent School Board meeting. Dr. Murphy shared many of the strategies his school uses to secure hundreds of thousands of dollars in foundation funding. One of his most emphatic tips is the importance of full support of the Annual Fund by our school families, faculty, and School Board. I am delighted to report that 100% of our faculty has supported the fund. Considering the economic situation, it is understandable if we do not reach our monetary goal. At this point we are about \$2800 shy of our targeted amount. However, the weak and uncertain economy should not prevent us from reaching our participation goal. **At only 62%, we have a long way to go.** I know that we have made this plea many times and in many ways. I hope and pray that you will consider supporting our school and its families. Remember, the size of your donation is not as important as our receiving something in your name. If you have not yet given, I hope you will do so today.

~Mrs. Schratz, Principal

Last chance to buy a raffle ticket! Don't miss the opportunity to win **tuition for one child or \$4,000 cash!** Raffle tickets are only \$25 each and the drawing will be held on **Friday, January 30, 2009.** O'Hara Uniforms. **We must sell 250 tickets! Please buy your ticket today!**

Saturday, January 24	Second collection at all masses dedicated to SAS Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest, 3-4 PM
Sunday, January 25	Second collection at all masses dedicated to SAS Catholic Schools Week begins
Monday, January 26	Grandparent's Day, 9-9:45 AM Open House for grandparents/parents, 9:45-10:30 AM NO HOWARD CO. BUS SERVICE
Tuesday, January 27	Open House for prospective families, 9-11 AM
Wednesday, January 28	Community Day/Sarah's House project Student Council Meeting, 3:30-4:15 PM Middle School Study Hall, 3:30-4:30 PM Piano Lab, 3:30-4:00 PM Guitar Lab, 3:30-4:30 PM
Thursday, January 29	Student Appreciation Day/Free Dress Day Buddy Activities, 10:30 AM-12:00 NOON Dance & Ice Cream Social, 1-3 PM Fit Club, 3:30-4:30 PM HSA General Meeting & Science Fair, 7 PM
Friday, January 30	Prayer Service, Presentation to SSND, 9 AM Bingo, 9:40-10:15 AM Tuition Raffle Drawing Student Basketball Games, 10:15 AM 12:25 PM EARLY DISMISSAL NO PM HOWARD CO. BUS SERVICE Annual Fund deadline





Family Valentine Dance

Saturday, February 7, 2009 ♥ 7:00-9:30 PM

Sponsored by: SAS Athletic Association and the HSA

Tickets: \$6 each ♥ Get your tickets today!

Volunteers are needed for the dance. If interested, please contact Mrs. Weglein at Weglein@verizon.net

Hot lunch orders will be distributed to students on Monday, January 26. All orders and payment are due on **Monday, February 2.**

Thank you to the **4th grade parents** for providing the wonderful lunch for teachers and staff today. Your kindness and generosity is greatly appreciated!



REMINDER... We follow Howard County Public Schools regarding delays and early closings due to inclement weather. If we have a one hour delay, lunch/recess will be from 12:20-1:00 PM. If we have a two hour delay, lunch/recess will be from 12:30-12:55 PM. In addition, if we have a one hour delay, the PREK3 class will begin one hour late. If we have a two hour delay, the PREK3 class is cancelled. The PREK4 class follows K-8.

Box Tops News...Ice Cream Party Contest - The class that turns in the most box tops by **February 20th** will win an ice cream party. **As of now, seventh grade is in first place, followed by third, second, first and kindergarten. Get in the clipping spirit and help our school!** **Box Tops Contest** - Our school could win **1,000 box tops** in this contest. To enter, simply go to www.boxtops4education.com/love between February 2nd and March 1st to sign up. You can enter once daily.



Congratulations to 5th grade student Madeline Donnelly, winner of the Geography Bee! Congratulations also to the following students who participated in the Geography Bee: *Mary Connolly, Megan Davis, Samantha Brunner, Jonathan Sage, Michael Bosley, Timothy Larkin, James Peyla, Timothy Larkin, James Peyla, Ashley Jones and Siddarth Rajan.*

Ladies, what have you done for yourselves lately?

Join a bunch of other fun ladies as we discover what the Bible teaches us about women and our pursuit of holiness. All the secrets to being a great wife, mom, coworker are right in there!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Sundays 10:30 -11:45 am and 7-8:15 pm, St. Augustine Parish

February 8 & 22; March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; April 5

For more info or to register so books can be ordered, please contact

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