

News From.....
Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic School
February 28, 2008

From the Principal

Congratulations to our basketball teams on an exciting season. Our middle school teams will head to Aiken tomorrow for State tournament play.

During Lent, the church asks us to pray, fast, and give alms. Children can share the spirit of fasting by giving up something they enjoy and do good works such as reading extra books or helping others.

All are encouraged to join us at OLR Church March 16th through the 19th for our Parish Mission. A light dinner will be served at 6 p.m.; mission begins at 7. Fr. Seraphim Michalenko will guide us into a deeper understanding of Christ's Divine Mercy in preparation of the Triduum, Easter, and the Feast of the Divine Mercy. Volunteers are needed to babysit from 7-8:30; please call the church office at 422-1648 if you can help.

I hope you are making plans to join us at this year's Gala, "An Evening in Paris" which will be held on campus on April 19th. A wonderful evening is being planned; just complete all or part of the reservation card included today and return it to the office. The committee will combine incomplete cards into tables of 8.

Middle School News

-7th grade will be re-enacting the Constitutional Convention for our 4th & 5th graders next week.
-Our middle school students will enter projects at the Invention Convention at the Bi-Lo Center. Students' projects will be judged from 6-8 p.m. on March 5th. The award ceremony will be held at 6:00 on March 6th.

Be on the Lookout

Included today is information about the Mission at OLR Church, the March calendar, An Evening in Paris table reservation postcard, and 2008 Art Opening/Talent Show information.

Early Dismissal

-As previously announced, school will dismiss at noon tomorrow. ESP will be open from noon until 5:45; be sure to send a bag lunch if your child will be staying.
-School will be in session a full day on March 7th.

Adoration & Mass

Adoration continues from 5 until 6:45 followed by Benediction at 6:45 and Mass at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays. Families are encouraged to participate, particularly during the Lenten season.

First Friday

Join our parishioners at 8:30 Mass next Friday. A reception will follow in the Parish Center. If you would like to volunteer to prepare something for the breakfast, please email Anitasleeman@charter.net.

From the Athletic Director

Kudos to our middle school girls' school team who finished 3rd in the Easley Home School Tournament. More importantly, they received the Sportsmanship Award voted by the coaches. Way to go, Lady Lions!

Talent Show

-OLR's combined Art/Talent Show will be held April 11th.
-Try-outs for the Talent Show will be held on Friday, March 14th from 3 until 5.

SCRIP Program

-Buy SCRIP at school and earn tuition vouchers and money for OLR. EVERY purchase helps.. ask your friends to buy SCRIP.
-Volunteers needed to sell; Email sbannio@bellsouth.net.

From the Accountant

March tuition is due at this time. Please include a \$35 late fee if paid after 3 pm on March 3rd.

Heard Around Campus

**Good Luck at State
Tournament; bring home
a trophy!**