



ST. ISIDORE CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENTS' CLUB NEWSLETTER



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St. Isidore School
Parents' Club
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Dear St. Isidore Parents,

The month of December begins with the season of Advent. The word Advent means coming – Christ's coming to earth as a baby for us, his coming in the believer's heart today, and his coming again in power and great glory.

During this season of Advent, as we attend parties, shop for presents and decorate our homes for Christmas, let us also take time to prepare for his coming by focusing on the inner peace that only Jesus brings and to focus on what it means to experience the peace of Christ amidst the "busy-ness" of everyday life.

Let us also take time to thank God for our family and the many blessings that we have received. We will continue to pray for our troops and for their families, for those who are lacking in the basic necessities of life, for the elderly, for the sick, and for peace throughout the world.

Best wishes for a wonderful holiday season to each and every one of you and may you have a happy, healthy and family filled time. We look forward to seeing you next year! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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Executive Board.



Special Thanks

A very special THANK YOU to Aileen Day, Laura Pauls and Del York for chairing the Annual Jog-a-thon. This event was a great success with over \$20,000 pledged for this event. To date, over \$19,000 has been collected by our students and money that was pledged is continuing to come in.

Our fundraising goal for this event was \$10,000 and there is no question that we exceeded our fundraising goal for this event!

Aileen, Laura and Del, thank you for all of the countless hours that you devoted and continue to devote to this event.

If you see Aileen, Laura and/or Del, please thank them for the tremendous job that they did.

Thank you also to Fr. Ambrose, Brother Michael, and our special Parish Community who supported our school by pledging for Fr. Ambrose and Brother Michael.

And last, but not least, thank you to Mr. Reyna, the teachers, students and staff who gave of their time, talent and/or treasure to raise funds for our school!



Ready, Set, Go!

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Faculty

Diana Kuhn
(Kindergarten)

Sarah Hammill
(1st Grade)

Helen Muños
(2nd Grade)

Pam Woodcox
(3rd Grade)

Edna Renzullo
(4th Grade)

Trish Vichi
(5th Grade)

Susan Burky
(6th Grade)

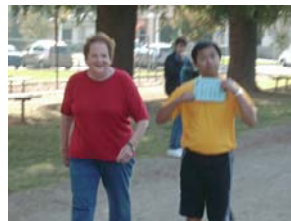
Ericka Schallmo
(7th & 8th Grade)

Dr. Gretchen Marsh
(Science)

Toni Watson
(Physical Education)



Go Mr. Reyna, Go!



Mary and Brother Michael



Fr. Ambrose: "When do we start?"



Just one more lap to go!

Upcoming Fundraisers

Please mark your calendars for the upcoming Parents' Club fundraisers and fundraising goals for each event:

Tree Sales (March, 2008) Fundraising goal is \$5,000 for this event.

Dinner/Auction (4/5/08) Fundraising goal is \$40,000 for this event.

Carnival (5/4/08) Fundraising goal is \$8,000 for this event.

An Irish Christmas Blessing

The light of the Christmas star to you
The warmth of home and hearth to you
The cheer and good will of friends to you
The hope of a childlike heart to you
The joy of a thousand angels to you
The love of the Son and God's peace to you.

'Nollaig Shona Duit' ...A Very Merry Christmas and Blessed New Year



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