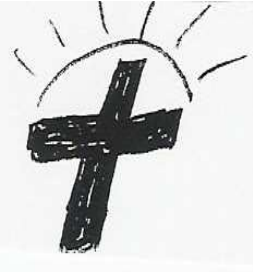


**Thursday May 6, 2010
Immaculate Conception
Cathedral School**



This is the day
which the Lord has made;
Let us rejoice and be glad!

Psalm 118:24

Calendar:

DARE Graduation 8:15am Gym	Fri, 7
Step-Up (to 2010-11) Day	
NOON DISMISSAL Fun Day	
Banners Presentation for PK-3rd Grades 9:30-10:30am Gym	Mon, 10
May Birthday & Closing Mass (Student Council) 8:30am Cathedral BOYS PANTS/ GIRLS SKIRTS/ JUMPERS	Fri, 14
St. Louis Graduation	Tue, 18
Final Exams (8th Grade)	Wed, 19
Final Exams (8th Grade)	Thu, 20
Final Exams (6th-8th Gr)	Fri, 21
1/2 day for Kindergarten	
Kindergarten Closing Ceremony 6:00pm Gym	

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Principal's Corner

BRINGING 2009-2010 TO A CLOSE

The next few weeks have several special year-ending activities scheduled. Tomorrow, our 5th graders have their DARE Graduation at 8:15am. Mon, May 10th, PK - 3rd graders are entertained by the Banners Presentation of Johnette Downing. Thu, May 13th, ICCS students participating in the Diocesan Band program will perform at OLQH's Band Concert. Fri, May 14th is our final Mass where our 8th graders receive several recognitions related to Liturgies, Fitness, Technology, BETA, and Library. Fri, May 21st, Kindergarteners celebrate the end of the year with their closing ceremony. Read more about the final week elsewhere in this week's Panther Press.

Banners Series Comes to ICCS

Johnette Downing is coming to ICCS this Monday, May 10th as part of the McNeese Banners Series. Thanks to CITGO and our Partner in Education, Stockwell, Sievert Law Firm, this eight-time national award winning singer and songwriter, will perform original music with her own blend of Louisiana spice! PreK through 3rd graders are sure to enjoy this delightfully talented entertainer.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2010-11 STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS:

President—Brennan Perry Vice President—Lizzie Joseph
Act. VP—Graceanne LaCombe Secretary—Austin Crawford
Treasurer— Zach Schwartzenburg
Members at Large: Haile Gilroy, Michael Buisson, & Arthur Odenheimer

TOWN HALL MEETING TO DISCUSS UNDERAGE DRINKING

Project KNOW Underage Drinking will hold a town hall meeting at 5:30pm on Tuesday, May 11 in the Police Jury meeting room (1015 Pithon St) to address underage drinking in Calcasieu Parish. The meeting will include a panel of law enforcement officials, a medical professional and community members who have been touched by the effects of underage drinking. For information on Project KNOW visit www.projectknowitall.com or contact Mary Kaye Allemond at mallemond@cppy.net.

Flowers for Mary

For centuries, the month of May has been the special time for honoring Mary, the mother of Jesus. The students are invited to bring flowers on:

- Mon, May 10 – 5A & 5B
- Tue, May 11 – 4A & 4B
- Wed, May 12 – 3A & 3B
- Thu, May 13 – 2A & 2B
- Tue, May 18– 1A & 1B
- Wed, May 19 – KA & KB
- Thu, May 20 – PKA & PKB



The ICCS Faculty would like to thank the Room Mothers and all the parents who donated their time and food. It was truly wonderful and generous!

ICCS SUMMER CARE REGISTRATION

All forms must be submitted by TOMORROW!
Contact Christy Papania-Jones at 433-3497 with any questions.



**Vacation Bible School
JUNE 21-25
9:00 – 12 Noon
First United
Methodist Church
(Corner of Broad & Kirkman)
with Immaculate
Conception Cathedral,
First Presbyterian Church,
& Episcopal Church of the
Good Shepherd**

Open to 4 yrs old - 5th Grade
Vacation Bible School
is FREE!

T-shirts (\$10) &
Music CD's (\$5) will be
available for purchase.

Register Online:
[https://www.groupvbsspro.com/
vbs/ez/fumc2010](https://www.groupvbsspro.com/vbs/ez/fumc2010)
or call church office
at 436-6656

**Register by JUNE 11th &
come set sail for VBS fun!**

**END OF THE YEAR
ACTIVITIES**

Mon, May 24

Faculty vs 8th Gr Volleyball Game
11:30am Gym

Tue, May 25

8th Closing Ceremony
6:00pm Cathedral

Wed, May 26

School-Wide Music Program &
Library Awards
9:00am Gym

Thu, May 27

Field Day (K-7th only)
8:00am-12Noon

Fri, May 28

Awards Program
8:00am-9:30am

PANTHER PRESS

Deadline for submission
to the Panther Press is
Tuesday at noon. Please
send articles to the front
office or e-mail
mbmathew@iccschool.org.
Don't forget to check out
the school website at
www.iccschool.org.

**Results from the
CCAL 5th & 6th Grade Track Meet on April 24th**

1st Place: Anna Hanks-200m Dash, Haile Gilroy-400m Dash, McKenzie McManus-1600m Run, McKenzie McManus-3200m Run, Abigail Martin, Kara Kramer, Madeline Wilson, Haile Gilroy-1600m Relay, Kyle Duhon-100m Dash, Kyle Duhon-200m Dash, Collin Kramer-1600m Run, Collin Kramer-3200m Run, Chase Doumite, Adam Kimball, Chase LeBeau, Kyle Duhon-400m Relay, Jacob Percle, Adam Kimball, Chase LeBeau, Kyle Duhon-800m Relay, Trey Ferguson-Discus, Austin Crawford-High Jump, Trey Ferguson-Turbo Javelin

2nd Place: Kaitlyn Burgieres-200m Dash, Graceanne LaCombe-400m Dash, Sara Beth Stewart-3200m Run, Madeline McClain, Kaitlyn Burgieres, Anna Hanks, Haile Gilroy-800m Relay, Madeline McClain-Long Jump, Kaitlyn Burgieres-50yd Dash, Jacob Percle-400m Dash, Austin Crawford-800m Run, Austin Crawford, William Ertell, Adam Kimball, Jacob Percle-1600m Relay, Jacob Percle-Long Jump, Chase LeBeau-High Jump, Collin Kramer-Turbo Javelin, Kyle Duhon-50yd Dash

3rd Place: Kara Kramer-800m Run, Anna Hanks-Long Jump, Abigail Martin-Discus, McKenzie McManus & Abigail Martin-High Jump, Madeline McClain-Turbo Javelin, William Ertell-800m Run, Matthew Evans-1600m Run, Chase Doumite-Long Jump, Chase Doumite-50yd Dash

4th Place: Kaitlyn Burgieres-100m Dash, Madeline McClain-Shot Put, Abigail Martin-Turbo Javelin, Jacob Percle-100m Dash, Adam Kimball-200m Dash, Matthew Evans-3200m Run, Trey Ferguson-Shot Put

5th Place: Madeline Wilson-800m Run, Andre Ange-400m Dash, Arthur Odenheimer-Discus

6th Place: Haile Gilroy-100m Dash, Olivia Kjellsten-1600m Run, Abigail Martin-Shot Put

Team Standings

5th & 6th Grade Girls-1st Place

5th & 6th Grade Boys-1st Place

Kyle Duhon was named the Outstanding Performer in the 5th & 6th Grade Boys Division with 33 points.

New School Records

Madeline McClain set a new school record in the Turbo Javelin with a throw of 64ft-8in.

The previous record of 64ft-3/4in was also set by Madeline McClain earlier this season.

Allie's

Maintenance Boot Camp

Seven Weeks!

June 14th-July 30th

Adults \$150

Children ages 10 and up with a parent
\$50 (unaccompanied children \$75)

E-mail allie@projectfit.net

(337) 274-7988

Character Education Corner

PATIENCE: Waiting until later for what you want right now.

Our world does not lend itself to the cultivation of patience, but there is a real value in learning to wait for what we want.

Waiting can increase worth.

There is a visible connection between waiting to use money and an increase in the total balance of a savings account. But no matter what the example, there is first the realization that the worth of something increases as you wait. Today's rookie baseball card may become next decade's investment. What makes the difference? Waiting.

HAWAIIAN LUAU

Diocesan Dance

May 14th

7:00-10:00pm

St. Margaret Family Center

6th-8th Graders Only

\$5 per Ticket

Chaperons and parking lot security provided. Students can participate in the Hawaiian dressed contest, Limbo contest and door prizes. Concession provided. Pictures are \$5 and souvenir cups are \$2.

3RD ANNUAL USED UNIFORM SALE

ICCS WILL BE HOLDING A USED UNIFORM SALE ON FRI, MAY 28TH FOLLOWING THE AWARDS PROGRAM. ITEMS BEING COLLECTED ARE JUMPERS, SKIRTS, BOYS SHIRTS AND PANTS, AND RED AND BLACK SWEATSHIRTS. ALL ITEMS DONATED SHOULD BE CLEAN AND IN GOOD REPAIR. ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT ENRICHMENT DEPARTMENTS. ITEMS MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT SCHOOL NO LATER THAN WED, MAY 26TH. UNIFORMS WILL BE SOLD ON AN "AS-IS" BASIS. CONTACT ERIN COBB AT ecobb@iccschool.org