

Parent Newsletter

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Registration 2009 – 2010, Important Update

Registration is taking place now. The Application to Re-Enroll 2009-2010 is was due Friday, February 27 in the school office. In an effort to make our enrollment projections, Ms. McDonald has been calling families who did not turn in the Application to Re-enroll 2009-2010. It is not our desire to exclude any student from the Saint Anne Catholic Community. At the same time it must be understood that we are approaching capacity in a number of grades. Since the February 27 deadline 30 new-to-Saint Anne students have been admitted. At the end of business today Grades 3 and 7 have one seat each. Grades 4 and 5 have 5 seats available. Grades 1, 6 and 8 have 7 seats available. Grade 2 has 10 seats at this time. We are within 16% of capacity in Grades 1 through 8 ... and it's only the second week of March. Since the February 27 deadline, seats are and have been available on a first-come, first-served basis. Interest in Saint Anne Catholic School is strong.

Deadlines are fast approaching for the ALL COLOR yearbook!

**Don't leave school without it!!!
The last day to purchase the 2008-2009 yearbook at the price of \$35 is Thursday, March 19, 2009.**

All information regarding Registration Fees, Incidental Costs and Tuition is available on-line by following this link: http://saintannelasvegas.org/admission_policies_tuition_and_fees.

In the coming weeks the forms (emergency, medical, computer usage, pictures, etc.) for all new and returning students will be available for downloading and completion. You will be able to complete all forms at home and not have to wait in any line at the beginning of the school year.

Friday Mass at 1:30 P.M.

This is a reminder that the regular Friday Mass schedule has changed from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. This change will remain in effect for the rest of the 2008-2009 school year. First Friday Mass will remain at 11 a.m.

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For the remainder of the 2008-2009 school year it is our goal to publish the Parent Newsletter on a more frequent basis. Start looking for the Parent Newsletter each Monday beginning with this edition.

Tuition Payment #9

Tuition payment #9 is due April 1. Remember that all tuition payments are due the 1st of the month. Late fee of \$25 is assessed after the 10th of the month. Returned checks are assessed a \$35 fee.

Copying Paper

Families whose last names are from S – Z are reminded to bring in two reams of copy paper by Thursday, March 12. This will complete their obligation of School Supplies for the 2008-2009 School Year

Important Dates

The month and year calendars are located at: http://saintannelasvegas.org/school_calendar (school_calendar). Check regularly for updates and changes.

Yearbook – Help Wanted

If you take pictures in the classroom or at any Saint Anne Catholic School function such as sporting events, practices, etc., please burn them to a CD for Mrs. Chase, 2008-2009 Yearbook Advisor. If you would like to have the CD returned to you after she has copied the pictures for use in the yearbook, include the return information with the CD. You may drop off any CD at the School Office at any time.

Touching Safety Program

In an ongoing effort to protect our children, Saint Anne Catholic School will be continuing to use materials provided to us by the Diocese of Las Vegas and The National Catholic Risk Retention Group, Inc. which provides us with Virtus training. We will be presenting the second year's program to the students. Prior to the program we will give more information regarding its presentation. In the meantime, please follow the link provided to acquaint yourselves with this extraordinary educational tool we are privileged to have to help us all in preserving our most precious gifts, our children and students. <http://www.virtus.org/virtus/touchingsafetyprogram.cfm>

**There will be no tutoring
Tuesday, March 10
Wednesday, March 11
Thursday, March 12.
New tutoring schedules will be
out next week.**

Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) Nominations

Saint Anne Catholic School Parent Teacher Organization will be accepting nominations for our upcoming election of officers and board members to be held in March. A nomination form was sent home today; however, you may follow the link and print out a nomination form. Please submit the nomination forms to the school office by Tuesday, March 10, 2009. http://saintannelasvegas.org/parent_teacher_organization

Parent Survey: Starting and Ending the School Day

Beginning with the 2009-2010 school year, the school day at Saint Anne Catholic School will be lengthened by 30 minutes. By an overwhelming majority (51 to 4), the vote was for the beginning of the day to remain at 8 a.m. with dismissal at 3 p.m. Thank you to all who voted!

**PTO MEETING
TUESDAY
MARCH 10, 2009
5:30 P.M.
ROOM 7**

