



St. Anne School Family Newsletter

December 7, 2011

Dear St. Anne Parents,

Five teachers and I took sixteen students Christmas Shopping last night after school. We went to shop for fourteen children whose families are homeless at this time. We involve the students with picking out gifts for these children so as to actively engage our students in this mission outreach project. This activity is also aligned with our Schoolwide Learning Expectations. It was very meaningful to see how carefully the students considered each item BEFORE they made a decision whether to buy it or not. The students showed real care and concern for these other children's gifts. They truly exemplified a love and caring for others. We are very proud of these students and all our students who have donated money so that other children can have a happy Christmas this year. I am sure you share the pride we have in our students.

Important Alert

We have recently received information from Jefferson School about a "strange" individual hanging around the outside of their school and the Sunset library. Our staff has a picture of this individual. Since some students walk to the library on 18th and Irving, we want parents to be aware of this issue. It may not be a safe place to send children unsupervised.

Christmas Show = Limited Parking

Unfortunately parking will be limited due to double events scheduled on December 15th. Please arrive early to secure parking. All students must be dropped off in the school yard between 6:15 and 6:30. Gates will be open at 6:15. Parents will serve as parking monitors to direct the parking. Please be sure to drive slowly and carefully as it will be dark. Once the yard is full, the gates will be closed and parents not in the yard will need to park elsewhere.

Christmas Program

Our annual Christmas program will be held on Thursday, December 15th in the Moriarty Hall. All classes will be performing in the program. Curtains will go up at 7:00 p.m.

All students must be in their classrooms by 6:30 p.m. All students are to remain in their classroom until the time of their performance. **Please remember that students will NOT be allowed to go home until the entire Christmas Program is concluded.** Come, sit back and relax while enjoying refreshments and wonderful Christmas music! We look forward to seeing everyone at the event.

Christmas Program Front Row Seat Winners

Congratulations to our two winning families, Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Gerard and Dr. & Mrs. Gregory Nip, who won the bidding for 6 front row seats (each) and 1 free DVD at our 1st Annual Dinner Dance Auction back in February, 2011. Please keep in mind that this auction item is definitely one of the hot items you will want an opportunity to bid on at our upcoming Dinner Dance Auction on April 28.

2011 Christmas DVD Pre-Sale

Pre-order your "2011 Christmas Performance" DVD for \$20.00. Prices will go up the day of the event. Order forms are being sent home today with the



students! You can also download a Christmas Program DVD order form found in this week's virtual envelope.

Attention All Parent Drivers

All parents are asked to **PLEASE EXERCISE CAUTION AND DRIVE AT A SLOW SPEED AT ALL TIMES** when around the school and **ESPECIALLY** when dropping off and picking up your child(ren).

Drop-Off/Pick-Up Reminder

Please use Funston Avenue and/or Irving Street to drop-off and pick-up your child. Please do not drop-off children and have them walk across the street. Both parent and student are asked to use the crosswalk at Funston Avenue or 14th Avenue to cross the street. Once again, **at no time are parents to leave their cars double-parked and unattended!!**

Cold, Cough and Flu Season

Winter weather causes colds, coughs and flu, if your child is running a fever or is experiencing flu like symptoms, please keep your children home to get the proper rest until they are fully recovered.

Dinner Dance Auction Gala 2012

Volunteers Needed!!!

There are a few Committee Chair positions left that are in need of a volunteer. They are as follows:

- Class Art Project
- Raffle Ticket
- Advertisement
- Decorations
- Silent Auction Logistics

If you are interested please contact Lisa Marie Gerard at LMGerard@comcast.net for details. Help make this event successful. After all it is our students, your children, who benefit from a successful event!!!

St. Anne Parish Festival

February 24-26, 2012

Save The Date! We welcome all families to participate in this fundraising event.

We are in need of:

- Chair and/or Co-Chair
- Volunteers
- Donations

Service hours may be applied to:

- School
- Parish
- Athletic Dept.

To chair a booth, please contact Bobbie Galang via email at bobbieg_31@yahoo.com.

With your continued support to our Parish and School Community, great things are possible.

Paper Donations

We have now reached our capacity for white paper and are well stocked. Thanks to all our parents for your generous donations.

Health Room Sign-Ups

Log onto www.signupgenius.com

1. Click: "Find a Signup" on the top bar.
2. In the box, enter:
stannehealthroom@gmail.com.
3. Click: "Health Room Volunteers".
4. Click: "Sign-up" for the desired slot.
5. Choose your signup option.

****Note:** Having an account will generate an automatic reminder two days prior to your time slot, but it is not necessary to have an account to sign-up on the sheet. If you do not have a computer but would like to sign-up or cancel please contact Mrs. Perez at (415) 664-7977 for assistance.

St. Anne Federal Tax ID Number

As tax season approaches many of you will need our tax ID number for tax purposes. Our number is 94-1156680.



Dear St. Anne Parish Families,

Each year, St. Anne Church celebrates the Christmas Vigil Mass at 5 O'clock on Christmas Eve. At this Mass we have a Christmas pageant with a real family acting as the Holy Family. We invite Parish children to be the angels, shepherds and wise men.

We will practice on December 22, from 10:30 until noon. This will take place in the church. At that time we will fit the children into their costumes and teach them what they will do throughout the Mass.

On Christmas Eve, the children should be in the church at 4:15 to get dressed for the 5 O'clock Mass.

If you would like to have your child participate, please call

Jane Anne Sullivan at **(415)-753-9163**

Should you get a voice mail, simply leave your name and phone number and the name and age of your child/ren.



St. Anne Crab Bash



JOIN US FOR A CRAB NIGHT WITH FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND DANCING

Your choice of hot or cold crab with pasta
Children will enjoy a movie with their friends

DATE: January 21, 2012
PLACE: Moriarty Hall, Funston Street Entrance
TIME: 5:00pm (No Host Bar)
Adult: \$35.00 Purchase Before January 1, 2012
\$40.00 Purchase After January 1, 2012
Child: \$15.00 Per Family
(Kid's Meal w/movie, no crab)

For more information, please contact:
Jenny Barnes: jbarnes.pfs@gmail.com
Rosenda Chan at rosendaluk@hotmail.com
St. Anne Rectory: (415) 665-1600





2012 St. Anne Parish Girls Basketball
San Francisco Catholic Youth Organization

If your daughter is in **3rd – 8th grade** and is interested in participating in the 2012 CYO Basketball season, kindly submit this form to the school front office with checks payable to **St. Anne Athletic Dept.** The regular season will take place from March through May. A skills evaluation will take place in St. Anne's Gym in early January. If you have any questions, please contact Sergio Chin, Girls Basketball Chair, at nofear847@yahoo.com.

Please Print Clearly:

Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____ DOB: _____
E-Mail Address: _____
Please check one: St. Anne School _____ AFY _____ Parishioner _____
Cell Phone Number: _____
Sport fee (\$85.00) Check # _____ (Not-refundable)
Uniform fee (\$65.00) Check # _____
Fundraiser fee (\$100.00) Check # _____



COOKIE DOUGH delivery is scheduled for December 13th in Moriarty Hall. **Please pick up your items by 5:00pm that day.** St. Anne Athletic Department is not able to refrigerate items that are not picked up.

--VOLLEY UNIFORMS must returned by Friday, Dec. 9th, **otherwise, your uniform deposit will not be refunded.**



St. Anne School
Dinner Dance Auction 2012

Volunteers Needed!!!

Thank you everyone for stepping forward. We have had such a wonderful response to our previous posting. We do have a few Committee Chair positions left that are in need of a volunteer(s). They are as follows:

Class Art Project Chair
Raffle Ticket Chair
Advertisement Chair

Silent Auction Logistics Chair
Decorations Chair

If you are interested please contact Lisa Marie Gerard at LMGerard@comcast.net for details.

We are planning our initial meeting in the upcoming weeks. Help make this event successful, for those whom benefit from our efforts are our children!!!

Thank you,
Lisa Marie & Daniel Gerard
DDA Committee Chairs



St. Anne School
Second Annual Dinner Dance Auction
Saturday, April 28th, 2012

Calling all parents, families and friends! Only you can help in making this event a huge success! We need donations such as vacation rentals/time-shares, spa services, wine, gift cards, sports tickets, any special event tickets. Or, if you have a business that can donate services for the event, that would be most welcome and appreciated.

Our theme this year will be Aloha Hawaii so donations related to our theme would be greatly appreciated. No donation is too big (or too small)!

Please contact our Solicitations Chair:

Lia Pardilla-Johnson at Mommyinsf@aol.com

Event Chair: Lisa Marie Gerard @ 415-317-0617

LMGerard@comcast.net



DECEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

- K-1 Molly Donohue, Ian Dunn, Michelle Yu
K-2 Mitchell Jew, Hannah Ku, Thomas Lam
1-1 Paris Lin, Steven Nip, Olivia Sung
1-2 Ryan Kwan, Nicole Moore, Kayla Wong
2-1 Samantha Aclan, Brennan Chan, Jia Timbol
2-2 Lily Burrow, Christopher Ku, Tiffany Lenh
3-1 Lia Lau, Kikani Libadia, Nicole Lin, Malia Loo
3-2 Katie Caceres, Elle Lau, Derrick Lee
4-1 Maria Pomelov, Grace Noel, Joey Tse
4-2 Jaden DeLa Cruz, Kyle Iwata, Mark Hosea
5-1 Andrew Chang, Benjamin Lam, Natalie Ng, Colby Wu
6-Keo Chui, Sean Iwata, David Rodriguez-Mendez, Valerie Young
6-2 Christine Chow, Melanie Law, Anthony Sung
7-1 Eric Damstetter, Wayland Leung, Raymond Lin, Evan Ugarte
7-2 Kiara Yupangco, Ying Zhang
8-1 Mina Choe, Priscilla Chung, Renee Lai, Jamie Liu
8-2 Stephanie Camacho, Kelly Press, Hanna Lee

CONGRATULATIONS!!



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After School Treat
Friday, December 9th



S'mores and Milk

\$1.00



St. Anne School



2011 Christmas Performance

PRE-ORDER your very own DVD of the 2011 Christmas Performance

Professionally recorded and edited DVD
done by Eugene Libadia (Kikani 3-1)

Pre-order \$20.00 per DVD

Or

\$25.00 per DVD if ordered after the performance

Proceeds will go to SAPTO

DVDs will be sent home by early February 2012

Deadline for pre-orders : Thursday, December 15, 2011

Questions: email Janice Loo (Malia 3-1/ Kaylin 4-2) at
jloo0711@hotmail.com

2011 Christmas Performance DVD **PRE-ORDER** form

Make checks payable to SAPTO
Send in an envelope to Janice Loo, c/o Kaylin Loo (4-2)

Child's Name _____ Room _____

_____ I have enclosed \$20.00 for a DVD of the Christmas Performance

Parent's Signature _____