



All Saints School

1954-2008

Celebrating 54 Years of Quality Education

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All Saints School Mission Statement

All Saints School is a faith-based community that inspires children to live the gospel, promotes academic excellence and encourages families and parishes to nurture children to be apostles of Christ.

School Hours

Puyallup— 8:15am-3pm

Fife— 8:30am-2:40pm

AM Pre-K—8:30am-11:05am

PM Pre-K—12:05pm-2:40pm

Calendar Updates

(Items in this column may be changes to the calendar/menu you receive monthly).

- **Thursday, June 5**—Graduation Mass, 8:30am; Graduation, 7pm, All Saints Church
- **Friday, June 6**—Library books are due in Fife; “Book Talk” at Fife (through Sumner library); last Fife art class, 2:45pm; All Saints Night at the Tacoma Rainiers, 7pm
- **Monday, June 9**—“Jump Up Day”, 9:15am, both campuses
- **Tuesday, June 10**—Awards ceremony, Fife at 8:30am, Puyallup at 1:30pm, PM Extended Care at Puyallup campus only due to Extended Care party at Puyallup
- **Wednesday, June 11**—Last day of school—Puyallup at 11am, Fife at 11:30am—**THERE IS NO AFTERNOON BUS AND NO AFTERNOON EXTENDED CARE ON THIS DAY**

Faculty/Staff Birthdays

June 11—Elva Engelhart
June 14—Louise Hooker
July 13—Thecla Siqueira
July 14—Marsha Ketter
July 16—Susan Armbruster
July 23—Amy Shipman
July 30—Lisa Benson
(No August faculty/staff birthdays)

Dear Families,

It’s hard to believe that we only have one week of school left. This past week has been filled with many wonderful activities between Spirit Days and Graduation events. Thank you to all the parents, 7th and 8th grade students, faculty, and staff for helping out with the Fife Field Day. Everyone was a trooper even as the rain drops fell!! It was the first time in Mr. Barkers’s 33 years of teaching that there was rain on Field Day.

Our last day of school is Wednesday, June 11. The Puyallup campus will be dismissed at 11am and the Fife campus will be dismissed at 11:30am. **The bus will be running in the morning ONLY!! Extended Care will only operate in the morning ONLY. There is no afternoon Extended Care and no afternoon bus on the last day of school.** All students need to be picked up at dismissal time. Please coordinate with other parents if you need transportation help. Next Wednesday, we *will* be sending home a “Thursday” folder with a newsletter, the 2008-2009 supply lists, earthquake information, and other important news. Report cards will be mailed out on June 19. All families must have met their financial commitments, which includes tuition, SCRIP, fundraisers, bus and extended care, overdue book fines, choir vest fines and have fulfilled their commitment hours in order for a child’s report card to be mailed.

Students who ordered yearbooks will be receiving them on the last day of school. They will have an opportunity to sign them and get signatures from their friends. Please, remind all students that anything written and/or drawn in a yearbook needs to be appropriate. If any student writes something inappropriate or defaces another student’s yearbook, they will be required to pay for the replacement of that yearbook. Yearbooks are a means for students to look back and cherish memories, not something they will be embarrassed or uncomfortable about. Please, also remind students to write in the autograph page section, not over the pictures, and to use ballpoint ink. Other types of ink and markers smudge and will also ruin the pictures.

Next Tuesday, June 10, both campuses will be holding their end of the year assemblies. At these assemblies students will be recognized with awards for various accomplishments. The Fife campus will hold its assembly at 8:30am in the gym, the Puyallup campus will hold its assembly at 1:30pm in O’Brien Hall. All parents are welcome to attend. It has been decided that we will not be handing out the Perfect Attendance Award. Among the reasons influencing this decision was the fact that students have no control over certain circumstances, which make them tardy, or ab-



sent. We appreciate the students who come to school healthy and have not missed school and we hope this type of work ethic will last throughout their life, as they become adults.

Community Service and helping others is a huge part of the curriculum and the mission of All Saints School. Over the past year, the students have put in many, many hours of time and help for those in need. All of our graduating 8th graders put in over 35 hours of individual community service work, plus they helped out at the St. Francis House Breakfast in the fall. Students and their families served dinners for the St. Francis House dinner program at the Armory. Both campuses raised over \$3,500.00 for the local food banks by having a Penny Drive. We also donated \$450.00 to St. Joseph school families in Chehalis after the flood this past winter. This is in addition to the many things that are done on a daily basis such as altar serving, safety patrol, recycling, and trash pick-up, cleaning up the church, and helping with the flags. We are very proud of the students and their families for knowing that being part of this special school means giving of one’s time and of one’s treasures!



Another unique aspect of the educational experience at All Saints School is the learning that happens outside of the classroom. Our students are very lucky to be given opportunities to learn in different settings through field trips. Over the past year the students have experienced the following field trips: Pre Kindergarten students visited the Puyallup campus, 1st grade students went on the Critter Dive, 1st and 2nd grade students went to the Puyallup Fair, 2nd grade students went to the Burke Museum and Mission Foods plant in Fife, 3rd grade students went to Point Defiance Zoo and Pioneer Farms, 4th grade students went to the Tacoma Art Museum and Northwest Trek, 5th grade students went to the Rialto Theater and Pantages Theater to see the Tacoma Symphony, 6th grade students went to Camp Hamilton for Outdoor Education Camp for a week, Lazar Quest and on a resurrection walk, 7th grade students went whale watching, to Decoursey Park to release salmon and on a resurrection walk, 8th grade students went bowling and all 7th and 8th grade students went snow shoeing.

There has been a lot of discussion about the St. Francis House dinners at the Armory at the Parent Org Board meetings, School Commission meetings, and Faculty meetings. It has been decided to make some changes to this important community outreach. We have asked to change our dates from the fourth Thursday of the month to the first Thursday of the month. (Final confirmation on day of the week is to be determined). We are also designating only 4th through 8th grade students

to be part of this activity. The schedule will be as follows: September—8A, October—8B, November—7B, December—4B, January—6B, February—6A, March—5B, April—7A, May—4A and June—5A. Diane Kelley has graciously agreed to chair this again next year. Thank you Diane!! Next year 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades will be assigned to help serve coffee and donuts after Sunday Masses at All Saints Church. We will let you know when these will be. Pre Kindergarten and Kindergarten students will be doing more localized and school community outreach programs. These changes are all working in collaboration with our “God with Skin” program, which we hope to expand further next year.

Sincerely,
Mr. Morissette

Jump Up Day

Jump Up Day will be held on Monday, June 9, for all grades, starting at 9:15am. The students in each grade level “jump up” to the next grade level for about 20-30 minutes to see what the classrooms look like, get to know the teachers in the next grade level and to briefly talk about the expectations for the next grade.

Food Banks in Need

Our area food banks are being tested to the max right now. If you would like to donate to our food banks, we are told they need cash donations or SCRIP donations for grocery stores. Thank you!

Fife Custodian

We are hiring a new custodian for the Fife campus. For a complete job description and an application, see Mrs. Morgan at the Fife campus.

Take Our Troops to the Movies, Sort Of

Thank you, thank you for all the movies that have been donated thus far. We will be collecting movies through the last day of school!!

We Need your “Stuff”

The summer camp staff is looking for the following items to help them with camp crafts this summer:

- Frozen juice can lids
- Paper towel/toilet paper tubes
- Old magazines
- Newspaper
- Microwavable trays (the ones that come with Weight Watchers and Lean Cuisine meals)

You may drop these items off at either campus. Label the sack/container “summer camp”. Thank you!!

Summer Tutoring

Some of our teachers will be tutoring this summer. If you are interested, you may call the teacher directly.

<u>Teacher name</u>	<u>Grade level tutoring</u>	<u>Phone</u>
Angela Guernsey	K—4th grade, R, W, M	206 200-5204
Francelle Reynolds	Reading/Writing/Math	253 223-7632
Thecla Siqueira	Pre-K—3rd grade	253 841-3583
Patty Stimson	Pre-K—2nd grade	253 864-6108
Janet Topper	5th—8th grades, Math	253 895-5025

Fun Dates for Your 2008-2009 Calendar

Next school year we will have 3 all-family roller skating nights at Pattison’s Roller Rink in Federal Way:

- Thursday, October 16, 6-8pm
- Thursday, January 8, 6-8pm
- Thursday, March 12, 6-8pm

Mark these dates on your calendar. Look for all the details in your 2008/2009 newsletters!

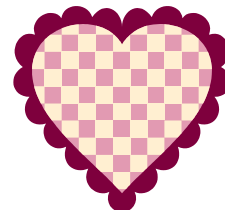


Thursday folder items—week of 6/5/08

- Newsletter
- Host Family sign up
- Sally Foster fundraiser flyer
- Summer dates to remember (1/2 sheet)
- Development newsletter
- Bus bills
- Vacation Bible School forms

Prayer Requests

If you know of someone who would like to be included in the newsletter prayer corner, please, let Mrs. Morgan know.



- For the health of Barbara Moore, friend of the Lorge family, who was hurt in an auto accident.
- For the health of Linda Buxell, sister-in-law of Mrs. Buxell.
- For the health of Molly Horton, cousin of Meghan Tate.
- For the health of Harriet Parsons, great grandmother of Erica Roloff.
- For the health of Gladys Paulson, mother of parish secretary Sheryl McFadden, grandmother of Emmalee McFadden.
- For the health of Steve Wilber, family friend of Mrs. Desotal.
- For the health of Mark Cain, family friend of the Leonards as he battles brain cancer.
- For the health of Stephan Rygalov, student of Brenda Buck’s, who is recovering from a stroke.
- For the health of Bill Nelson, uncle of Brandon Porras
- For the health of Mimi Dunn, sister of Greg Dunn and aunt to Katie Dunn and Tanner Sevoid.
- For the health of Chuck Ellis, family friend of Debbie Morgan.
- For the health of Marc Corey, son of Mrs. Corey.
- For the health of Lottie Barrows, grandma of Donna Brain, great grandma of Thomas Brain.
- For the health of Aine Williams, family friend of the Smith and Marsh families.
- For the health of Ky Loop, friend of the Cook/Loughran family.
- For the health of Greg Hachey, family friend of the Gries family.
- For the health of Leonardo Porras, grandfather of Brandon Porras.
- For the health of Mike Rayoan, uncle of Connor Hayden.
- For the health of Ramona Hopkins, grandmother of Zachary Hopkins and for the health of Irene Hutchison, great grandmother of Zachary Hopkins.
- For the health of Deacon Mike.
- For the health of Gloria Alvarado, grandmother of Alex Cowling, mother of Irma Cowling.
- For the health of Mike Stimson, grandfather of Sam and Nathan, father of Patty Stimson.
- For the health of Effie Barker, mom of Mr. Barker.
- For the health of Kyler Walsh, nephew of Kristi Hollyoak.
- For the health of Tiff Seely, friend of the Hollyoak family.

Thank You

...to all the parent volunteers who helped with both Field Days. I couldn’t do it without all your help. Thanks, too, to the 7th and 8th graders for all your help, as well.

...oops, we forgot to thank Shelly Sosa for all her help baking cookies for our Field Days. Thanks a ton, Shelly!!

...to Mat Carlin for all his help around the Puyallup campus since he’s been home from college. We appreciate you, Mat!