



ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE SCHOOL
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In the Swing of Things!

We are back in the swing of things here at Saint Philip's as we move on to great things this week! Everything from STAR testing, PTA Ice Skating, Catholic School's Week and more...

Please take a moment to read all the news that is the news in our school community.

God Bless and Have a Great Week,

Mr. LesCallett

Bruins Sports Corner:

Welcome back to our Bruins! Our sports teams are braving the weather and continuing to do well through out the year. This week's games can be found by clicking on the following link:

<http://athletics.cccyo.org/home/?countyID=1>

Good Luck to all of our Bruins teams! GO BRUINS!

CYO Girls Basketball - SIGN UP NOW

CYO Girls Basketball is offered to female students from 3rd to 8th Grade.

Please sign up your kids by January 25th using the links below.



Upcoming Events

January 9

STAR TESTING #2 Begins (2-8)

January 13

End of the 2nd Quarter

Birthday Announcements!

Happy Birthday to....

Finn Ring- Kindergarten

Andrew Powell- 5th Grade

Erwan Blanc-Paques- 2nd Grade

Liam McGrath- Class of 2017

Olivia Clarke- 4th Grade

Andrew Cudden- 5th Grade

Gavin Howarth- Class of 2017

- Registration: stphilip.wufoo.com/forms/2017-cyo-girls-basketball/
- Check registration and payment status: stphilip.wufoo.com/reports/2017-cyo-girls-basketball/



Crab Feed - SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

Our most important fundraiser of the year is coming up on Saturday, January 28. The Crab Feed is a fun night (ask around) with great food and music. Please invite friends and family outside the St. Philip community!

You can reserve your seat(s) or table(s) by sending your checks to the Rectory or by using the following registration form:

- stphilip.wufoo.com/forms/2017-crab-feed/

For all the details please refer to the attached flyer.

The event sold out the last 3 years in a row, so don't wait to make your reservations!

More Important News

World's Finest Chocolate Sale- Begins January 25th

The oh-so-sweet fundraiser kicks off January 25 and concludes on February 10th. This is an opportunity to not only fundraise for our school, but the spread the Saint Philip's School name throughout the city! More information can be found on page 45 of the Parent-Teacher Handbook as well as a fundraiser kick-off in school on January 24th.

Dress Code Clarification

Our school uniform is an important aspect of our school community. It is a display of student's behavior outside of our school and a way for students to focus on their schoolwork (not their dress). In addition, the uniform is a required aspect of our community. As we move forward to the Third Quarter, our faculty and staff will be fully enforcing the uniform guidelines as written in the Parent-Student Handbook (p. 49-50). Please feel free to contact me through the school office there are any additional

In the Community

January 12th-7:00 p.m.

Alumni Welcoming!

For more information, please contact Daniel Roddick at alumni@saintphilipschool.org

January 16th-

No School (MLK Holiday)

PTA ICE SKATING EVENT-
Yerba Buena Ice Center 7:30-9 p.m.

January 20th

Second Quarter Report
Cards distributed

January 23th

12:30 Dismissal- Teacher
Inservice

January 24th

Chocolate Sale Begins!

January 28th

Saint Philip Crab Feed!

questions.

STAR Testing #2- January 9th-20th

St. Philip School is starting its second round of testing as we are constantly evaluating how to best serve the needs of our students. A reminder: these tests are not graded and are included in your child(s) report cards.

WCEA/WASC Accreditation Visit

Saint Philip the Apostle School is finalizing the school's accreditation process. Our school will be evaluated by two organizations, WCEA (Western Catholic Educational Association) and WASC (Western Association of Schools and Colleges). Members of the visiting teams will be here in January and Late February to determine to what extent the school has provided a high-quality education for all learners under our care. As our families are crucial in the process, you will be invited to meet with this committee to express your observations, thoughts, and dreams regarding our school. As we move forward in this process, I will communicate with you our progress in this matter. I thank you for your dedication and support of our school. GO BRUINS!

Way to go Class of 2017!

Personal congratulations to each and every one of our 8th grade students for completing a major hurdle towards their high school goals- the HSPT! Other schools are testing this weekend, so we wish you all the best of luck and are proud of you! **GO BRUINS!**