

Notes from Dr. Greco
December 11, 2008

Thank you to our students for sharing their spirit with us on Carol Night! The children sincerely view Carol Night as their gift to their families. Hopefully, the evening gave us some time to focus on the loving relationships we share with each other. It was a nice respite from all the lists we generate during the holiday season.

Be sure to join us again next Wednesday in Church for our Christmas Band & God's Voice Concert at 7:00pm. CDs are also available for Carol Night, Band/God's Voice Concert, and Joseph's Song. Order forms are online or available from the office.

8th Grade Christmas Tag Day - Red & Green Day - takes place on Friday, December 19th.

The Immaculate Conception Social Committee is holding a Family Bingo Night in the school cafeteria on Friday, January 9th. Mark your calendars!

This year especially your support of the Toy Drive for the Mission Madre de Dios is needed and appreciated. Any toy donation is welcome. Please see the flyer for more details. Thank you!

The Girl Scouts are conducting a community service project that benefits Holy Redeemer Thrift Store for the Needy. The scouts are looking for donations of unwanted toys. Please clean and disinfect the toys so that they may be delivered directly to the store. Drop off your donations by December 13th to 218 Runnymede Avenue or call Kathy Judge 215-886-2684 for pick up.

Students who sent in a subscription for the Catholic Standard & Times: Please let the school office know the number of subscriptions you mailed in for our records. Thank you!

Save the date for St. Elizabeth's 1st Annual Vocations Fair on Sunday, January 11th in Upper Uwchlan. Students from 7th grade on are invited to attend. Many men and women religious communities will be on hand.

A free concert featuring Metropolitan Opera Singers is scheduled at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Elkins Park on Saturday December 13th at 7pm. This concert will reflect music inspired by the Christmas spirit. Mrs. Elizabeth Cook (mother of Robert, Maggie, and Elly) will be among the performers. (Mrs. Cook also sang with the "adult" section with God's Voice on Carol Night).

On Friday, January 30th at 6:00pm, The Catholic School Distinguished Graduate Awards Dinner will take place at the Crystal Tea Room in the Wanamaker Building in Philadelphia. Visit www.PromiseFulfilled.org for more information.

Included today:

- **3 IU information flyers**
- **Tag Day flyer**
- **Toy Drive for Mission Madre de Dios**
- **All Occasionalities, Inc. flyer**

Gifts 'n' Things Fundraiser 2008

TOP SELLERS \$25 Gift Card

Grades K-4: Kathleen Campbell
Grades 5-8: Alex Criswell & Brandon Robinson (tie)

Special Luncheon with Dr. Greco

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Top Seller</u>
K	Cloe Winters
1	Kathleen Campbell
2	Jack Moynihan
3	Michael McGettigan
4	Elizabeth Mahoney
5	Maggie Hallahan & Robert Zigmund (tie)
6	Matthew Coughlin
7	Harley Maile

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Alex Criswell & Brandon Robinson (tie)

Top Selling Class: Party in a Box

Grade 8: Mrs. Hagarty

Classes with 100% Participation for the "Duck Dash"

Grade 2 Grade 5 Grade 6 Grade 7 Grade 8

Duck Dash Winner plays "Deal or No Deal" for up to \$100 Cash!

Thank you to all our families for your support. This fundraiser earned approximately \$3500. We'll let you know our final tally!