

SEAS PVO Newsletter

May 2010

Staff Appreciation Week



THANK YOU to everyone that helped to make this year's Staff Appreciation Week a huge success. Each day goodies were set out for our staff. From candy bars to breakfast. Several parents volunteered to bake homemade cookies for Tuesday, several parents purchased all the goodies for the breakfast on Thursday, and the students were very generous writing thank you letters and drawing pictures to present on Friday. A big **THANK YOU** goes to the **MacMaster Family** who were extremely generous to open up their home to host the Annual Staff Appreciation Dinner.

eScrip Update

This summer, don't forget to check out the **eScrip OnLine Mall** where you can shop at over 1,000 of your favorite online merchants and earn up to 16% for our school. And don't forget our **largest** merchant partner right here in Anchorage is **Carrs/Safeway**. You shop the way you like to shop for groceries.... It's simple and convenient, all you need to do is register. Contact Dawn Brower for more information.



THANK YOU ... UNSELFISH AND
NOBLE ACTIONS ARE THE MOST
RADIANT PAGES IN THE BIOGRAPHY
OF SOULS !!

Field Day - Cindy Tabios

New Family Mentors - Trish Baker

Staff Appreciation Dinner - The MacMaster Family

Yearbook - Anita Johnson & Pilar Humphrey

Bedding Plant Sales - Ginny Bosveld

Golf Tournament - Mike Mills and Michelle Cooper



2009-2010 School Year

From Steve Siebs
PVO President



As the 2009-2010 School comes to a close, there are just a few activities left before the doors are shut for the summer.

As soon as school lets out, new carpeting will be installed through-out the building and the long awaited computer lab upgrades will take place. Teachers will be busy cleaning up and packing up (and not long afterwards they will be back in the classroom setting up for the next school year to begin). The cycle continues.

It has been a great pleasure being the PVO President this year. I was a bit frightened at the beginning of the school year, but quickly found the love and support from all the parents and staff overwhelming. All of you made it truly a gift from God to be able to serve you, the school and parish.

I want to personally thank Dawn Brower for her organizational skills and friendship; Diana Smith for stepping up to the plate as PVO Secretary; and to Father Tom, Jim and Peggy for their continued support this school year.

With my departure, Dawn Brower who has been Vice President this year will be moving into the role as President. You could not be in more capable hands. Your continued support for Dawn, the school, and parish will be an everlasting gift to our kids for years to come.

If you are interested in volunteering for either PVO VP or Secretary, please contact Dawn Brower or Jim Bailey as soon as possible. We would like to have the Board in place before the end of May. There is no salary - but the benefits are great !! **Have a wonderful summer.**

Annual Spaghetti Dinner



The PVO Board would like to thank everyone that offered their time and talent to make the Spaghetti Social Dinner such a great success. It was great to see the parish and the school come together for a relaxed and enjoyable evening.

The setup crew did a wonderful job of getting everything together, the kitchen help prepared the a delicious meal, those who prepared the spaghetti ahead of time made things much easier for the kitchen crew, the servers did great job of piling on the food without a single spill, and the cleanup crew made the Miki sparkle after the event.

The generosity that everyone showed in by donating soda and desserts was phenomenal! We fed approximately 225 hungry stomachs. What was left over at the end of the evening was donated to a local shelter to fill the stomachs of others.

Last and most important, a **Special Thanks** to the very talented **Debbie Robbins** for her wonderful spaghetti sauces. She cooked and prepared all day, while managing the kitchen like a true solder.

Thanks again to everyone !!

Golf Tournament

It's tee time again !! The 8th Annual SEAS Golf Tournament has been booked for Monday, June 28th and the Anchorage Golf Course on O'Malley. Enjoy 18 holes of golf, including cart, breakfast, lunch, door prizes, and exciting rewards ... all for just \$175 per player. Looking for ways to advertise your business? Multiple levels of sponsorship opportunities are available.

Contact Michelle Cooper at 317-3730 or Caroline Eddens at 830-0619 for more information.



New Carpeting for SEAS ...



In order to reduce the installation costs, the school is asking for assistance with cleaning out classrooms and moving furniture. They are slated to pack up the classrooms and move the last two weeks in May. Any and all help will earn share hours for either school year OR next. Please contact Jim if you are interested. The school is also collecting empty boxes for the move.

Home Room Parents & Committee Chairs

Sign-up Sheets for both Home Room Parents and Committee Chairs are currently posted on the bulletin board. If you will be returning next school to chair a committee, please be sure to sign up **again** so we can ensure all our information is current and accurate.

Each classroom may now have TWO Home Room Parents; each an auto-earn position. A complete list of Home Room Parent responsibilities is available on the PVO Website as well as in the Share Hour Book.

Activities that do not have a Chair in place at least 30 days prior to the event or activity will be cancelled for the school year. **So please, grab a friend and consider signing up today!!**



April PVO General Meeting

The last PVO General Meeting was held on April 14th. It was very well attended and we appreciate the turn-out of support. Some highlights of the evening was the passing of the By Law Revision, Share Hour Program Revisions and lots of discussion on fundraising, activities, and the auction raffle. Minutes have been attached.

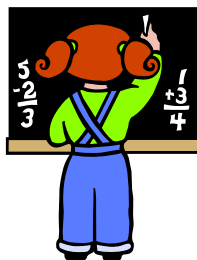
SEAS Kindergarten Day

Do you know a family who is still pondering the question: **“Where will I send my Kindergartener to school in the fall?”**

On **Tuesday, May 11th from 9-11:30am**, please invite your friends to a mini day of kindergarten at SEAS School. While the kids have fun learning in the kindergarten class, parents are invited to an informative coffee social with SEAS parents in the Miki Classrooms. It will be a perfect way for them to learn about the wonderful Catholic education that is available right here in our parish!

The kindergarten class has limited space available for kids to visit on May 11, so please **RSVP by Monday, May 10 to Jessica Alfano at 272-0917 or alfano@gci.net**

We are looking forward to hosting potential families for next year!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

VICTORY BIBLE CAMP	MAY 3RD - 5TH
6TH GRADE RETREAT	MAY 6TH - 7TH
WINNIE THE POOH (K, 1, 2)	MAY 7TH
KINDERGARTEN DAY	MAY 11TH
MAY CROWNING	MAY 14TH
SPANISH LUNCHEON	MAY 18TH
6TH GRADE GRADUATION	MAY 18TH
FIELD DAY	MAY 20TH
SEAS GOLF TOURNAMENT	JUNE 28TH

Share Hour Reports

Share Hour Reports are included in this week's mailing. Only those families still owing share hours will receive a letter. There are just two PVO scheduled activities left this year: Field Day & the Golf Tournament. Please be sure to check with the staff for other volunteer opportunities available.



Be on guard. Stand firm in your faith. Be courageous. Be strong. And ... do everything with Love.



SEAS PVO

Every parent at SEAS is a member of our PVO. We are so very fortunate at SEAS to have very active and involved parents. The involvement of parents at SEAS is an important element in providing an excellent and loving environment for all our students.

PVO is dedicated to promoting and supporting the students, staff, and curriculum of SEAS. PVO also plays a major role in fundraising for our school. Log onto our website at: akseas.com and click on the PVO & Auction Link to learn more.

We welcome your ideas and to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

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