

# Heart to Home School Newsletter

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## Principal's News from Jim Opelia, Principal



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Spring is finally here, but just a reminder that our school policy is as follows:

- Shorts are not allowed to be worn unless that morning's forecast is for 75° F or warmer.
- No gym shorts, biker shorts, or cut off shorts are allowed.

Shorts cannot be worn to Mass, however students will be allowed to change into shorts after Mass if the weather is appropriate.



### Get Ready!

We are all very excited about our upcoming Kindergarten-5<sup>th</sup> grade fieldtrip to Target Field to watch the Minnesota Twins play the Oakland Athletics. The bus will depart SHAS at 8:20am. Game time is 12:10pm. Students may bring a sack lunch from home, or have one made by the school lunch program. They will even permit us to eat them at the game. Unopened plastic drink bottles or drink boxes will be allowed in as well, to enjoy during the game. Uniforms are not required, please dress your child appropriately, as we all know how MN weather is!

### A Wonderful Celebration

Friday night's fun was greatly enjoyed by the majority of the students, their families and teachers. It was a great chance to celebrate what we accomplished because of all of you, with pizza, dance, movies, games, and for some, just staying up all night with our friends. It is a night the children most likely will never forget, as I will never forget.

### Highway Clean Up

Adopt a Highway cleanup went well last night! Thank you Tracy Gibson, Carol Lisson, and Judy Lisson for your help sprucing up Hwy 10 and making our school shine! The four of us enjoyed the event and were done in a little over 2 hours. Parents, please consider participating in this event next year, as it is a lot of ground to cover and the more the merrier. **You must be 12 years or older** to participate.

## CHRIST

*"Be it known to all who enter here that  
Christ is*

*the reason for this school.*

*He is the unseen but ever present teacher  
in its classes.*

*He is the model of its faculty  
and the inspiration for its students."*

*Author Unknown*



**Please check the lost and found next time you are at the school. We have a box full on the shelf next to the second preschool classroom. If these items aren't claimed by the last day of school we will be getting rid of them. Thank you!**



- May 2 First Holy Communion
- May 4-6 AAA Week
- May 4-7 Scholastic Book Fair
- May 4-15 NWEA Testing
- May 5 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation at Middle School for 5<sup>th</sup> Graders
- May 6 Parents Night and AAA Performances
- May 7 Field Trip to Twins Game
- May 8 2 Hour Early Out
- May 13 Preschool Concert 2:30
- May 14 Preschool Concert 2:30
- May 20 Preschool Field Trip To Zoo
- May 20 Kindergarten Graduation 2:15
- May 22 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation
- May 25 No School
- May 27 Last Day Of School ½ Day

# Scrip

Support our School!

**Our final scrip order for the year will be going in on Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup>. Please return the order form and be sure to stock up for the summer. Thank you to everyone who ordered Scrip this school year.**



**Come visit our book fair May 4-7. It will be open before and after school Monday through Thursday and during Triple A and Parent Appreciation Night on Wednesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00. This is a great opportunity to get new books for summer reading and help our school raise money for books to have in our classrooms and library. As always - thank you for supporting reading in our students.**



The end of the school year is just around the corner! The preschoolers have been busy, busy, busy. Check out our website to see some of the exciting happenings. The preschool class received their first classroom pet! Our caterpillars arrived last week. We will be watching our caterpillars turn into butterflies over the next few weeks. We had our Dads in for donuts last week and are looking forward having our Moms in for Muffins today and tomorrow. We have had a very busy year, but we have learning so much. Thank You to all the parents who continue to give your support to our program and to your children at home! I feel together we have built a very important stepping stone to your child's education future!



*Vision expands when minds and hearts are directed to God.*

*"Set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God."*

*Colossians 3:1*



## Mission Statement

*As believers in God, and moved by the power of the Holy Spirit, we foster spiritual and academic formation of our students in a positive, welcoming atmosphere that reflects a respect for all people.*

# Parents Night

Please join us on Wednesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm for Parent Appreciation night and also to enjoy the student's Triple A projects and watch their performances!



Our school field trip day is approaching fast. Permission slips came home today, please fill out and return by Monday. If you would like to chaperone the field trip contact Sandy ASAP. All parents that are going need to complete the Sexual Misconduct packet before Wednesday.