



SCB Newsletter - February 21, 2023

"One child, one teacher, one book, one pen can change the world."
- Malala Yousafzai

SCB Families:

In February, it is the time of year where teachers discern their intentions for the next school year. We are grateful for those who decide to return, and we get to celebrate those who decide that after many years of service, they are choosing to retire.

Please join me in celebrating two amazing SCB educators on their upcoming retirement in June; Congratulations to **Mrs. Colleen Henckel** and **Mrs. Linda Phillips**.



Both Colleen and Linda have influenced, educated, and shepherded countless students through our school. They have both left an indelible mark on many, and I know I speak for all of us that they will be missed. We plan on celebrating them throughout the remainder of our school year and will send along plans to have you all join us.

As part of those two openings, **Mrs. Kathleen Mercer** has discerned that she would like to move back into classroom teaching. Mrs. Mercer will be joining our 2nd grade teaching team this coming fall. I am happy for her that she can move back into a grade level that she loves, and that she is still with us here at SCB. I am deeply indebted to her as she helped me onboard here over the past year, and her leadership has been crucial to SCB. Please join me in thanking her and congratulating her on her new role in September!

As always, we will work on transitions to make sure our operations are smooth and all bases are covered. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out to me, I am here to assist.

Thank you Linda, Colleen and Kathleen. You are, and always will be, a blessing to SCB.

St. Charles Borromeo, Pray for us.

Beth O'Reilly
Principal, SCB

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School Happenings

Upcoming Events:

February

February 21 - SCOPE Meeting @ 6:30pm

February 22 - Ash Wednesday Mass @ 9am

February 22 - Noon dismissal

February 22 - Middle School Game Night Permission Slips Due!

February 24 - SCOPE Middle School Game Night

February 25 - Chess Tournament



March

March 2 - Ladies Night - Bunco @ 6:30pm

March 8 - Procurement Free Dress Day

March 9 - No School - Spring Parent Teacher Conferences

March 10 - No School - Faculty In-Service Day

March 16 - School Commission Meeting at 5pm

March 17 - Second Trimester Ends

March 18 & 19 - Gardening Days from 12pm-3pm

March 21 - SCOPE Board Meeting

March 29 - Noon Dismissal

March 31 - Report Cards Home

See full calendar here: [2022-2023 SCB Calendar](#)

Quick Notes:

Chess Tournament:

St. Charles is hosting our Chess Tournament this weekend. If you are able, we are still looking for a few donations and have some volunteer opportunities.

Chess Tournament Opportunities

State of the School:

If you would like to view the slide presentation from last week's State of the School Address, you can find it here: [State of the School](#)

Presentation . *We did not end up having our event livestreamed or recorded.*

Food Bank:

We are continuing to collect Ramen and Cup Noodles for the SCB Food Bank and Leo's Food Bank.

Gardening Days:

Join us on March 18 & 19 from Noon to 3pm to work in our garden!

Lunch Orders:

The February & March lunch calendars are now up! You can order your student's lunch through their FACTS/RenWeb account.

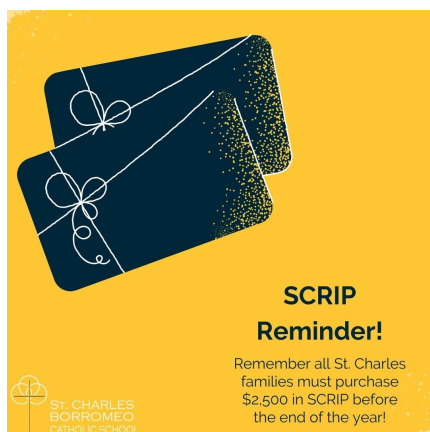
Click here for March's menu: **March Lunch Menu**

Stewardship Cards:

If you are a parishioner at St. Charles, please be sure your Stewardship Card is on file with the Parish. We will be assigning tuition rates for families this week according to parish status. Any questions, reach out to our Finance group.

SCB Social:

Please also send us your photos of your child participating in any school related events to scbsocial@stcharlesb.org



RaiseRight (SCRIP) Reminder!

How is your SCRIP purchasing coming along? We are about half way through the school year.

SCRIP is sold at the following times:

Monday: 8:00am - 8:35am & 2:45pm - 3:15pm

Wednesday: 2:45pm - 3:15pm

Thursday: 2:45pm - 3:15pm

Friday: 8:00am - 8:35am

Other ways to purchase SCRIP:

- 1) Fill out a standing order form. If you want a form sent home with your child let us know.
- 2) Purchase SCRIP online through www.raiseright.com

Please email scrip@stcharlesb.org with any questions.



BE THE LIGHT

2022-2023 Annual Fund

We are 93% of the way to our goal!

We only need \$14,210 to meet our goal!

It truly takes the entire community to reach this goal, so if you haven't contributed to this year's Annual Fund Campaign, please consider giving a gift today!



[CLICK HERE TO GIVE TODAY!](#)

More SCB News and Information

SCB Summer

We are excited to announce this year's SCB Summer offerings.

We will have:

- Academic Camps
- Art Camps
- Summer Day Camps
- Coming Soon: Dance & Coding Camps



Click on the link below for more information:

[SCB Summer Website](#)

2023 - 2024 Preliminary Academic Calendar Dates

Please see the link for the 2023-2024 academic calendar. These are the high



level dates for school vacations, big events, and days off of school.

We will publish the detailed calendar of all events in March.

2023 - 2024 Calendar

Join us for Ladies' Night - Bunco!

Join us for Ladies' Bunco Night!

Date: Thursday, March 2nd

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m

Location: Feist Hall

Cost: \$25

More information was sent home in Friday Folders last week!

Please RSVP by Friday, February 24th!

RSVP by using this form!



Volunteer Opportunities

Lunch Helpers: [Sign Up to Help During Lunch](#)

Assemble Shelves for the Advancement Office: [Sign Up to Help Assemble Shelves](#)

Chess Tournament: [Sign Up to Help Bring Items or Volunteer to Help at the Chess Tournament](#)



Join us for the next SCOPE meeting
TONIGHT!

Let us know you are coming!
RSVP HERE!



We are looking forward to seeing our
Middle School students on Friday,
February 24th!

Permission slips are due Wednesday!

Father Daughter Dance Photos

We would like to say thank you to Jenny Storment for taking our wonderful Father Daughter Dance photos! Please click on the link to see the gallery!



[Father Daughter Dance Photos](#)



Auction Website

Please take a moment to visit our auction website to learn about sponsorship opportunities, donate an item, or donate Super Shopper funds!

Wild Wild West Registry

Want to get your auction donation taken care of?
Check out our Amazon Registry!
You can purchase any of these items, and they will
be sent straight to the school! This will take care of
your auction item donation!

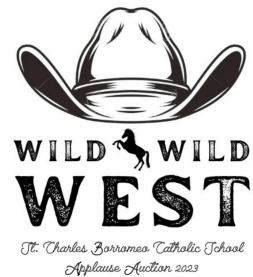
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Wild Wild West Auction Sponsors

Thank you to our Sponsors!

We would like to thank all the sponsors that have already
come forward to support our auction and our community!
We can't wait to saddle up and see you in the Wild Wild West!



Event Underwriting Sponsors:

The Cattle Barron Presenting Sponsor:

Tacoma Screw Products - The McGregor and Ramos Families

The Trail Boss:

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The Bull Rider:

Tacoma Injury Law Group - Tammy and Gary Clower
Fresh Folds Laundry - Aileen and Rob Carrell

The Cowboy:

Gilchrist Chevrolet Buick GMC, Inc. - Stephanie Gilchrist-Legary and Tyler Legary
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Patriot Fire Protection - The Boulanger and Manning Families
Diana Stover & Dave Gebauer
Commencement Bank - Kara and Nigel English

The Barrel Racer:

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Wyben Park - Krista Philbrick
Retreat Drinks - Anne and Adam Farrens
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The Buckaroo:

Bordeaux Orthodontics - Kerry and Joesph Bordeaux
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Event Night Sponsors:

The Rodeo Raffle:

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Sutter Metals - Janice and Chad Sutter

The Boot Scootin' After Party Sponsor:

Rainier Orthopedic Institute - Megan and Jordan Charboneau

The Cowboy and Cowgirl Cocktail Sponsor:

Gaffney Funeral Home - Jen and Corey Gaffney

The Whiskey Wrangle:

Beth and Eamon O'Reilly

St. Charles Borromeo Parish Information



CRS Rice Bowl - Lent is coming!

Join our faith community — and nearly 13,000 Catholic communities across the United States — in a transformative Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl.

Every student should have received a CRS Rice Bowl in their Friday folders last week. During the 40 days of Lent, we will reflect on the impact of global hunger and climate change on vulnerable communities around the world, and we will pray, fast and give alms to help our sisters and brothers in need.

Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



Lenten Fish Frys

Beginning this Friday, gather with us Fridays at 5:30 P.M. in Feist Hall during Lent for a delicious fish dinner sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

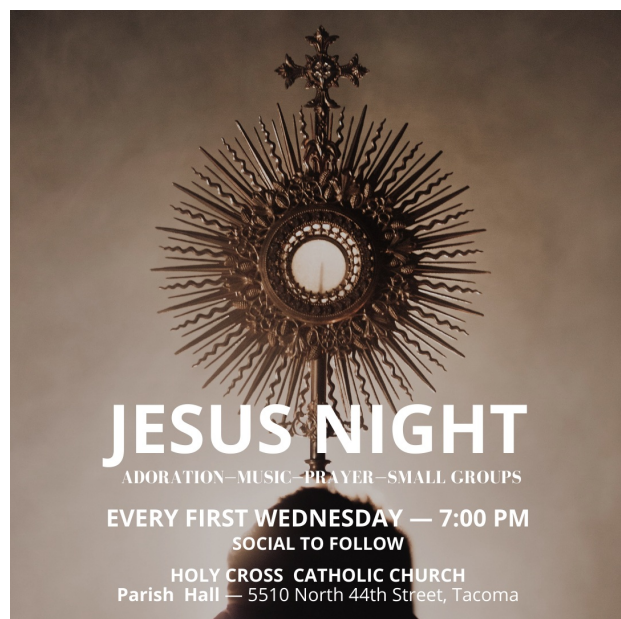
Dates:

- February 24
- March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Prices:

- Adults: \$15
- Children (6-12 years): \$5
- Children 5 and Under: Free

After dinner, join your fellow parishioners for Stations of the Cross at 7:00 P.M. in the Church.





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