





SCB Newsletter - March 20, 2023

"No matter how long the winter, spring is sure to follow." — Proverb

SCB Families:

As we officially move into the spring season, we look forward to many events and celebrations: Easter, Spring Break, and the Auction to name a few.

We are officially 2 months away from the Wild Wild West Applause Auction, and we are all getting excited as the preparations really begin to ramp up. We want to thank



each and every one of you for your support with donating items and volunteering your time and energy toward this very important St. Charles event!

We have many important dates upcoming. If you are interested in sponsoring the auction, please have all sponsorship information into the Advancement Office by April 7th. Also, be on the lookout for your official invitation in the mail the first week of April. Individual tickets will go on sale on April 10th! We can't wait to see you all there.

If you have any questions about donating items, super shopper funds, or volunteering, please don't hesitate to reach out at any time. It truly takes the entire community to put on this event! Once again, we are grateful for your support!

St. Charles Borromeo, Pray for us.

Jeanette Johnson Director of Advancement, SCB

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School Happenings

Upcoming Events:

<u>March</u>

March 21 - Auction Decor Meeting (anyone interested in

helping is welcome to attend)

March 21 - SCOPE Board Meeting

March 22 - Class Photos

March 24 - Spelling Bee

March 29 - Noon Dismissal

March 29 - Wear your Auction T-Shirt to School

March 31 - Report Cards Home

<u>April</u>

April 6 - Holy Thursday

April 6 - R Storie Private Shopping Event to support the

Wild Wild West Auction

April 7 - Good Friday - 12:30 SILENT dismissal

April 9 - Easter Sunday

April 10 - 14 - Spring Break

April 16 - Classes Resume

April 18 - SCOPE Meeting @ 6:30pm

April 19 - Geography Bee

April 19 - Auction Photos

April 20 - School Commission Meeting @5pm

April 21 - SCOPE Parent University

April 25 - Spring Choir Concert @ 1pm

April 26 - Grandparents Day

April 26 - Noon Dismissal

April 27 - Spring Choir Concert @ 7pm

See full calendar here: 2022-2023 SCB Calendar

Quick Notes:

Emergency Contacts:

Please double check in RenWeb that you have your emergency contacts listed and updated in case of an illness or an emergency. We want to be able to reach you right away if something is going on with your student.

Cell Phones:

We are seeing more and more cell phones on campus with our students. Please refer to our cell phone policy in the SCB School Family Handbook on page 52 or under Policies -Rules and Guidelines on our website. If a student is found using a cell phone, the

phone will be taken and kept in the school office and will be given back at the principal's discretion. Please remember if you need to contact your student during the school day, you are always welcome to call the school office.

Smart Watches:

Smart Watches are becoming increasingly present in classrooms. Unless we have pre-







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approved their use for a medical or other reason, please have your students leave Smart Watches at home per the dress code policy.

Food Bank:

For the month of March, we are collecting dried fruit (raisins, cranberries, apples etc.) for the SCB Food Bank and Leo's Food Bank.

Attendance Reminder:

On Fridays during Lenten Season (now till 4/7) if you are planning on picking your student up between 2 pm and 3 pm, please plan on picking them up **prior to 2 pm** due to Stations of the Cross they will be in church.

Text Alerts:

Parents, if you would like to receive SCB Text Alerts, please register your cell phone number by texting **START** to 31706.

Lunch Orders:

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

Click here for March's menu: April Lunch Menu

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

SCRIP is also sold after each weekend mass in the Food Bank.

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.



We are 94% of the way to our goal!

We only need \$12,985 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
- Dance Camps
- Coming Soon: 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 2023-204 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

Tacoma Little Theater: *The Lion King*

If you have a 1st - 5th grade student who is interested in exploring theater, join us for the production of *The Lion King* directed by Tacoma Little Theater!

Play Practices will take place May 1 - June 1: Monday-Thursday from 3pm - 5pm

Performances will be June 2nd at 6:30pm and June 3rd at 1pm

Cost: \$100

To sign up, visit:

http://www.chelseapaigefoundation.org/

SPRING MUSICAL At St. Charles



Join us for the spring play held at SCB, directed by Tacoma Musical Playhouse

PRACTICES
MAY 1- JUNE 1
MONDAYTHURS
3:00-5:00
*There will be

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PERFORMANCES JUNE 2 6:30PM & JUNE 3 @ 1PM

*Tickets for the shows are FREE All performances & practices held at SCB OPEN TO GRADES 1-5 COST \$100

All students will get a part, space is limited

Reserve your Spot at
www.chelseapaigefoundation.org
Questions: paige@askpaigeschulte.com

This program is made possible by the ChelseaPaige Foundation



Volunteer Opportunities

Class Picture Day Helpers: Please reach out to Vicki Kuzmanich at vkuzmanich@stcharlesb.org if you would like to help THIS Wednesday, March 22nd.

Recess Helpers: Sign Up to Help During Recess - Recess helpers will get DOUBLE hours!

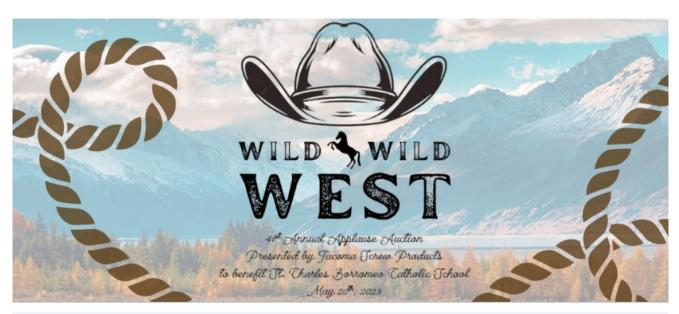
Lunch Helpers: Sign Up to Help During Lunch

• Rodeo Raffle Helpers: Sign Up to Help with the Rodeo Raffle

SCOPE News and Information



Join us for the next SCOPE meeting, Tuesday, March 21st! Let us know you are coming by RSVP'ing here -SCOPE Meeting RSVP



Wild Wild West Rodeo Raffle Tickets are on sale now!

Rodeo Raffle Packets went home with the youngest or only students last Wednesday. If you need an additional packet, we have more available in the front office.

We are asking that each family sell 3 Rodeo Raffle Tickets.

Cost: \$50 per ticket



Prize: The winner can choose between \$5,000 in tuition at any accredited school (preschool through graduated level) OR \$2,500 in cash.

Once a family sells 3 Rodeo Raffle Tickets, they will get to visit our Rodeo Raffle Rolling Reward Cart!

Raffle tickets are processed each Monday and can either be picked up in the office or sent home with students.

Once your family sells 3 Raffle Tickets, we will hand out tickets to our Rodeo Raffle Rolling Reward Cart each Tuesday.

The Rolling Reward Cart will be available afterschool each Wednesday!

We still have some slots open to help with the Rodeo Raffle Ticket Processing and the Rolling Rewards Cart!

Sign Up to Help with the Rodeo Raffle Processing & the Rewards Cart!

Wild Wild West Auction Procurement

We are still in need of auction items! There are many ways you can support the Auction:

- If you have an item you would like to donate an item, Click Here to Donate an Item
- If you would like to donate an item from our Auction Registry, Click Here to Donate an Item from the Wild Wild West Amazon Registry
- If you would like to donate to our Super Shopper Fund, Click Here to Donate to our Super Shopper Fund!



Join us for an afterhours, private shopping event at R STORIE

Date: April 6th Time: 6pm-9pm

Cost: Admission is free, but we would love a donation of your

favorite whiskey for our Whiskey Wrangle!

15% of sales during the event will benefit the Wild Wild West Auction!

Let us know you are coming - RSVP Here!



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!



Click here to see a full list of our sponsors!

If you would like to become an auction sponsor, Click Here for Auction Sponsorship Opportunities

Upcoming Events

Bellarmun 2023

If your middle school son or daughter is interested in global affairs, debate, or developing their speaking skills, then BELLARMUN 2023 is a great opportunity for them. BELLARMUN is a two-day Model United Nations conference for middle school students, organized and staffed by the fantastic members of Bellarmine Preparatory School's Model UN Program.

BELLARMUN 2023 is hosted at Bellarmine Preparatory School on April 29-30, 2023. Using a series of workshops, we first educate the students on the foundations of Model UN and the application of key skills, such as effective diplomacy and communication. Then, for a hands-on experience to help apply these skills, the delegates practice these skills under the guidance of our trained staff as they debate possible solutions on global topics.

To register for BELLARMUN 2023 or learn more, we invite you to visit our website at www.bellarmun.org.



St. Charles Borromeo Parish Information



CRS Rice Bowl 4th Week of Lent Sharing Success

Most people in Turkana, Kenya raise livestock, and a few are farmers. But the hot and dry climate makes this work difficult—and climate change is making it even harder. Rebecca and Lotiang participated in a Catholic Relief Services program that installed a water



Lenten Fish Frys

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

Dates:

well and taught them new farming techniques. They can support their family with their crops and are teaching others in their community what they learned.

How can you use your skills and knowledge to help others?

Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

• February 24

• March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Prices:

• Adults: \$15

• Children (6-12 years): \$5

• Children 5 and Under: Free

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

Source + Summit @ St. Patrick Catholic Church

Come together to grow in fellowship through worship, music, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. This night is for you, your family, friends, and neighbors, young or old.



March 1
Every 1st Wednesday
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Saint Patrick Catholic Church

— save the dates — April 12*, May 3, June 7 *2nd Wednesday, due to Holy Week Share

If Adoration sounds daunting, don't worry. We'll explain what Adoration is and grow together experiencing the Eucharist, the source and summit of our faith, and meet Jesus where you are!

6:30 pm | Dinner in the Church Hall

7:00 pm | Silent Adoration

7:15 pm | Worship music begins

7:30 pm | Reflection topic presented

8:00 pm | Adoration ends

For more information, click here!



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