



**GOLDEN PHOENIX**

# THE GOLDEN GAZETTE

May 12, 2010

## DATES TO REMEMBER

TODAY

PROGRESS REPORTS IN RED FOLDERS

Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup>

6:30 p.m. Home & School planning meeting in Lincoln faculty room

Saturday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

50¢ dress down day for graduation fundraiser

Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>

9-10 a.m. Market Day (L)

8:15 a.m. Mass (L)

4:30-5:30 p.m. Market Day (G)

6:30 p.m. Advisory Board meeting

Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>

8:10 a.m. Mass (G)

6:00 p.m. Athletic Banquet at Gonzaga Hall

*Dear Parents, Guardians, and Students,*

*Thank you to all who made last week so special for all of us! The lunch Home & School organized was delicious; the daily gifts were so kind and thoughtful; and the gestures of appreciation were wonderful. We are blessed with a dedicated faculty and staff! Thank you for taking the time to show us your gratitude.*

*Thank you to the Beffa and Maginot families and everyone who worked to make Comedy Café an enjoyable and successful event. It was a great evening once again. Mrs. Rindt and Mr. Kartz demonstrated their comedic talents to the delight of all. Thanks to everyone who came to the event and helped raise funds for our school.*

*Thank you to all the support staff and volunteers who make Mary Queen of Saints such a caring community. We need each of you: in the library, the kitchen, the camp room, the playground and the office! We do appreciate all you do to make our days run smoothly and help us care for the children entrusted to us. Everyone who serves on a committee or helps with a project or sport enables Mary Queen of Saints to grow and reach out to our parishes and neighborhoods.*

*Progress Reports are in today's folders. Please remind your children that there is still lots of time to learn! Grades can go up or down depending on their work these last few weeks. There are many events and things to look forward to, but the teachers are still TEACHING and expecting the children to be LEARNING!*

*Have a great week!*

*Mrs. Larson*

## ATHLETICS

Sign up for fall soccer and volleyball is now underway. \$25.00 fee is due by May 21<sup>st</sup>; then the fee is \$50.00 until June 1<sup>st</sup>. Medical and other consent forms are available in the office or on the school website

[www.mqsca.org](http://www.mqsca.org) under the athletics tab.

## CONGRATULATIONS!

The following students have received Sue Dunham Memorial Scholarships. They will each be taking a class this summer at the Milwaukee Art Museum. Brandon Russo, Gr. 3; Hannah Swan, Gr. 4; Rebecka Shaw, 6<sup>th</sup>; Jacob Zarcone & Ann Rebro, Gr. 7; and Rachel Boos, Gr. 8.

## **COMEDY CAFÉ NEWS**

A very big thank you to everyone who joined us for the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Comedy Café. We would especially like to thank all the teachers, parents and students for all their work and contributions on the classroom baskets and the fabulous art work. Special thanks to Mark Richards our top notch emcee, the all star group from Comedy Sportz and Champps Americana for the fantastic dinner. Some of the evening's highlights included the encore performance of "The Evolution of Dance" by Mark Richards, Mr. Kartz in his finest Poodle skirt and the tastiest root beer floats in town. Finally, a huge thank you to our great committee for all their hard work throughout the year.

Thanks again for another great year!

Bob Beffa and Mike Maginot

## **LIBRARY NEWS (LINCOLN)**

### **It's that time of year again... time to start thinking about SUMMER READING!**

All the Public Libraries have great programs to encourage reading over the summer. There are presentations, entertainment, prizes, and tons of wonderful books to read. MQS kids have participated every year. Last summer the following students kept a record of their reading and handed in their lists to S. Jean-Andrew for bonus prizes:

Molly Schafer, gr.6 – 90pts.

Ricardo Schaub-Church, gr.5 – 90pts.

Brandon Wankowski, gr.2 – 50pts.

Elizabeth Brefka, gr.4 – 40pts.

Tommy Harner, gr.3 – 40pts.

Rebecka Shaw, gr.6 – 30pts.

Jade Lee, Gr.4 – 20pts.

Amber Nitkowski, gr.6 – 20pts.

Taylor Wankowski, gr.5 – 10pts.

Emma Dostalek, gr.4 – 10pts.

Zoie Nitkowski, gr.4 – 10pts.

Two years ago the Lincoln site had a push for kids and staff to get library cards and we had a great turn out. Even this year, new card holders proudly displayed their "ticket to free books". Do you have a Public Library card? Get it before Summer Reading starts.

### **On-going Bye-bye Bargain Book Sale**

As the Lincoln site library is preparing for the transfer of books to the Greenfield site we are finding lots of "backroom treasures" that never made it to or back to the shelves. Oldies-but-goodies and even some new books are continually being moved out to the sales area in the library. Stop by often for on-going bargains till the end of the school year. Just 10 cents each! OPEN: before school Mon. Wed. Thurs.; after school Wed. & Thurs. *Spread the word to family, friends, and parishioners.*

## **MARKET DAY**

There's still time to order Market Day and receive a FREE 4-pack of ¼ lb burgers with a minimum order of \$50. If you have qualified for the Frequent Buyer® Program, order \$40 to redeem your FREE Mite 'N' Mighty Step Stool. **Lincoln** online orders are due tonight by 11 p.m. Pick-up is Saturday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, 9-10 a.m. **Greenfield** orders are due in the office by Thursday, May 13th. Online orders are due by 11 p.m. on Friday, May 14th. Pick-up is Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 – 5:30 in Gonzaga Hall.

## **PIANO LESSONS**

Seeking to increase your child's or your own musical skills? I am a private, independent piano teacher living in Milwaukee. The newly established Stephanie's Studio is now accepting new piano students of all ages. Call 414-587-3528 or e-mail [stephsstudio@gmail.com](mailto:stephsstudio@gmail.com) for an interview and to schedule a sample lesson.

## **SAINT THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

Congratulations to Mary Queen of Saints graduate (2009) Kathryn Baisley for making Saint Thomas More's third quarter honor roll.

### STM Summer Sports Camps

Visit [www.tmore.org](http://www.tmore.org). Then scroll over the "Admissions" tab of our website and click on "Grade School Events" to learn more.

### Apply Online Today

Eighth grade students can still apply for admission on the school's website today. Visit [www.tmore.org/apply](http://www.tmore.org/apply) to apply for the 2010-2011 school year. The online application can also be found by visiting the website [www.tmore.org](http://www.tmore.org) and clicking on the "Apply Now" icon.

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

Thursday, May 20 <sup>th</sup>	8:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m. 8 <sup>th</sup> grade (L&G) to Tyme Out Retreat Center (Everyone will depart and return to Greenfield site.) 5-9 p.m. Champps Night
Friday, May 21 <sup>st</sup>	6:30-8:30 p.m. FAMILY GAME NIGHT in Greenfield cafeteria Fall sports sign up ends (Registration now \$50 until June 1 <sup>st</sup> )
Saturday, May 22 <sup>nd</sup>	2-5 p.m. Open House at Greenfield site
Sunday, May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	9 a.m.-1 p.m. Open House at Greenfield site MQSCA Athletics Golf Outing
Wednesday, May 26 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 p.m. Home & School Spring General Meeting in Arnold Hall
Thursday, May 27 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. 8 <sup>th</sup> grade (L&G) to Mt. Olympus (Everyone will depart and return to Lincoln site.)
Friday, May 28 <sup>th</sup>	TEACHER INSERVICE – NO SCHOOL
Monday, May 31 <sup>st</sup>	MEMORIAL DAY – NO SCHOOL
Thursday, June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation
Friday, June 4 <sup>th</sup>	Last day for hot lunch
Monday, June 7 <sup>th</sup>	All-school trip to Milwaukee County Zoo (K3-7)
Tuesday, June 8 <sup>th</sup>	Last day for K3, K4 & K5 (early dismissal-camp available)
Wednesday, June 9 <sup>th</sup>	Field Day (Gr. 1-7) 6:30 p.m. Home & School planning meeting (L-library)
Friday, June 11 <sup>th</sup>	8:10 a.m. Mass (G) 8:15 a.m. Mass (L) Breakfast in Arnold Hall immediately after Mass LAST DAY OF SCHOOL – EARLY RELEASE