

**ST. TIMOTHY SCHOOL**  
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Weekly Bulletin  
Wednesday, February 1, 2012

**“I have become all things to all, to save at least some. All this I do for the sake of the gospel, so that I too may have a share in it.”**

1 Corinthians 9:23

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| FEBRUARY | 2  | - | Last chance to register for “Catholicism 101,” for non-Catholic parents of children, 7:00-8:00 pm, Multi-Purpose Room. RSVP to Mrs. Allen. |
|          | 3  | - | School Holiday! Archdiocesan Professional Development  |
|          | 4  | - | Junior High Valentine’s Dance - 7:00 – 10:00pm, Gym  |
|          | 6  | - | Dismissal: 1:30pm  |
|          | 7  | - | 1-3 PM, WCEA/WASC Team Visit<br>7-9 PM, School Advisory Board Mtg., Library  |
|          | 8  | - | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr. Field trip to Tech Museum in San Jose  |
|          | 9  | - | 4 <sup>th</sup> Gr. Field trip to Oakland Museum of California   |
|          | 11 | - | Notre Dame Math Contest  |
|          | 12 | - | 9:00 AM Family Mass/Social following, 7 <sup>th</sup> Gr. Preparing Sports’ Mass and YES Mass also that day. A true Youth Mass!            |

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**BOOK FAIR LAST CHANCE! Spend \$25.00 or more on Thursday, February 2, from 9:00am to 4:00pm and receive a FREE poster!!!!**

**NEW CALIFORNIA STATE LAW ON CHILD CAR SEATS:** Effective as of January 1, 2012, California State Law requires that children 8 years and younger or at least 4 ft. 9 inches in height use a securely positioned car seat in the back seat when traveling in a car. See [www.chp.ca.gov](http://www.chp.ca.gov).

This will affect all parents/guardians who transport students on field trips in grades Kindergarten to third grade. Teachers will include this as a reminder when requesting chaperones for off-site trips.

**KINDERGARTEN 2012-13:** We are still accepting applications for our full-day Kindergarten class for next year. If you have a child who will be ready for next year’s class, please pick up an application in the school office.

**TUITION SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:** If you are in need of tuition assistance, we are working with three different companies. Please contact Basic Fund at 415-986-5650 or [www.basicfund.org](http://www.basicfund.org) If you have applied and received Basic Fund previously, Basic Fund will send you in the mail new forms for the 2012-2013 school year.

The Guardsmen at [www.guardsmen.org](http://www.guardsmen.org) (Please note: if you receive Basic Fund you will not be able to receive funding also from The Guardsmen.)

The Archdiocese is working with a new company TADS beginning this year. Please note the deadline is April 15, 2012. The application process is entirely on-line this year; no paper applications will be processed. Families in need of assistance in filling out the TADS financial aid on-line forms may want to fill out the paper worksheets in preparation for entering the information on-line. These are worksheets only, not the application. Please go to [http://www.tads.com/resources/FA/TADS\\_FA\\_12\\_13\\_worksheet.pdf](http://www.tads.com/resources/FA/TADS_FA_12_13_worksheet.pdf) Please feel free to contact me in the school office, if you have any questions. Mrs. Allen

**CONFIRMATION I PREPARATION CLASS:** Is your post-eighth grader registered for Confirmation I Preparation Classes? Please call the Faith Formation/CCD Office and speak with Ana Park at 650.579.0901 as soon as possible, to sign up for Confirmation I.

**STS GOLF TOURNAMENT ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 16!** St. Timothy School will be holding its first one at the Crystal Springs Golf Course. Organizers are presently looking for

corporate sponsors and interested golfers who would enjoy a day on the course, happy hour, dinner, and silent auction. Nav Mehta is the project manager so please contact him for more information or to volunteer for this event at 650-222-4792 or [navmehta11@yahoo.com](mailto:navmehta11@yahoo.com).

**CALENDAR CHANGE:** March 23 is NOT a student holiday as previously listed. It is the first day of the Carnival and all students ride free for an hour on that afternoon from 2-3. Uniform dress required to ride. Please make a note of it.

**BOWL-A-THON Fundraiser** is coming on **Saturday, February 25**, at the Bel Mateo Bowl in San Mateo. There are cash prizes for the winning class. St. Tim's will take over several lanes to play. A form was sent home in your envelope last week.

**SILENT AUCTION AND RAFFLE:** Congratulations to **Stephen Bissett (father of Tyler in 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade)** for winning the two-night weekend stay at Robertson's Rancheria in Nice, California. Thanks for all those volunteers, especially Haneen Hayder, (mother of Jude Kamal, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) who worked so hard to make the Open House silent auction a success. At the end of the evening, our records show that we netted \$1,721.00!

**THE ANNUAL SCHOOL AUCTION** has been moved to November, 2012, on our school calendar. While we are looking for a better calendar date with better results, we also recognize that moving the Auction leaves the school's budget with a shortfall of \$30,000. As a result, a Fundraising Committee of school parents is designing a plan to overcome that shortfall. Two new events that they are introducing into the school calendar are the

- **Bowl-a-Thon** on **Saturday, February 25, at Bel Mateo**
- **St. Timothy's Golf Tournament** at Crystal Springs on **Wednesday, May 16**

Regarding the **Bowl-a-Thon**, there will be a fundraising assembly on Monday, February 6, during the school day to kickoff this event. The **Golf Tournament** advertising will start soon also. Start talking about it at your place of work. We will be furnishing flyers soon. Thank you, in advance, for your support of these events.

**THE ANNUAL ST. TIMOTHY'S CARNIVAL IS COMING ON MARCH 23.** Pre-sale tickets will go on sale soon. If you are interested in parent hours of service, contact Nav Mehta whose name and number are furnished above.