



Christ The King

CATHOLIC SCHOOL
PRE-K THRU 8TH GRADE

UPCOMING EVENTS

NORMAL SCHOOL HOURS: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 7:55 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Wednesday: 7:55 a.m. until 2:15 p.m. Mass on Thursdays at 8:30 a.m.

BINGO 2010-2011 Get ready for another exciting year of CTK Bingo- the best attended Catholic school game in town! The schedule is posted on the school's website under DEVELOPMENT. Don't forget there is a SWAP Board there as well if you need to change dates.

IS IT YOUR TURN TO WORK BINGO????? Please do not miss your assigned BINGO session. Our school depends on these proceeds for vital operational funding. Every session you miss costs CTK over \$400. Please uphold the obligation we all share as CTK parents and remember to be there by 5:45 p.m.!

Dates to Remember:

September

2nd Auction Committee formation meeting 2nd at NOON in the Upper Room.
6th Labor Day No School/No Daycare
15th PTO General Meeting 6:30
Classroom visitation 7:00 Meeting

October

4-8th Book Fair: Library
8th Parent/Teacher Conferences
No School
22nd Tidewater Teachers Conference No School/No Daycare

November

6th Auction: Mardi Gras!!!!

CTK August 30th 2010 Newsletter

IMPORTANT NEWS FROM OUR OFFICE!!!!

Inclement Weather

Policy: Mother Nature seems to be up to her old tricks again in the form of Hurricane Earl so be prepared for possible changes in our schedule. We strive to inform CTK parents as quickly as possible when we make a change but we need you to be proactive in seeking the information. There are several places a parent can look to find out the information needed to plan your day. First, CTK follows the NORFOLK PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM's closing and delay policy. If NPS are closed due to weather so are CTK School and Daycare. If NPS is on a two hour delay, so are CTK and Daycare. That means if Daycare usually opens at 6:00 a.m. then it is going to open at 8:00 a.m. All three major TV networks run a crawl with this information. They also post it on their websites which are www.wavy.com, www.wtkr.com and www.wvec.com. We will get CTK's specific information on the crawl as soon as we can but sometimes there is a slight delay. You can also check our website which will be updated as soon as we get the word. If you have provided a working e-mail to us, you will receive an e-mail as soon as we get the word. In the very near future, you will be able to call the CTK main phone line at 625-4951 and also receive updated closing and delay information. All of this obviously hinges on the Norfolk Public School System announcing their decision- we won't make a call until they do. For delays that may mean as late as 5:15 a.m. that same

day. We appreciate your patience in this matter.

OK, just to reiterate:

As you can see there are a number of ways to get the info you need.

1. Turn on your TV to Channels 3, 10, 13. If CTK Specific Info is not there, look to see what Norfolk Public Schools are doing;
2. Go to any of the big three web sites;
3. Go to our web site: www.ctkparish.org or go to www.edline.net and use your account info;
4. Look for an e-mail from us;
5. Use common sense and by all means, stay safe!

CTK Development News! Auction Committee Formation meeting this Thursday, Sept 2nd at NOON in the Upper Room.

Come one, come all and join us for this luncheon meeting to talk about this great volunteer event. We need many, many new hands this year to fill lots of spaces. No experience is necessary and we promise you will have a blast and will meet some new folks along the way. We need help with everything from phone calls, decorations, food, entertainment, acquisitions, theme ideas, etc., etc. Please consider giving just a little of your time to make this event amazing! Please RSVP to me at akallenbach@ctkparish.org if you can make the meeting. If you can't attend but still want to help, let me know and I'll put you to work.

SAVE THE DATE!!!!

November 6th for the 9th Annual CTK Auction. This year's theme is Mardi Gras in honor of our own Ragin' Cajun, Principal Chatham.

We'll need more hands and volunteers to pull off the biggest auction yet. It promises to be a fun evening and one you do not want to miss!

We NEED baskets. Big ones! Did you get a basket at last year's auction? Please return it to CTK so we can use it again.

Most importantly, we need donations of all kinds-new items, gift certificates and hand-made items please. Does Grandma make quilts? Doll clothes? Baked goods? Slightly-used items that you want to get rid of? We can use them. It's all tax deductible. Drop off your donations at the school office or call us for a pick-up. We have donation request letters for you to use in asking for donations in the office. Contact Amy Kallenbach if you can help.

La La La La La La! The CTK CHOIR is Full!

Thanks to the 40 students who have signed up as of today to be in Mrs. Hardwick's CTK Choir. Come to Mass on Thursdays and hear our angels sing!

The CTK PTO says:
Farm Fresh Receipt Drive:

The 2010-11 Farm Fresh receipts program will be starting Sept. 8. Starting Sept. 8, whenever you shop at Farm Fresh, save the receipt! Clip off the bottom portion of the receipt (where it says "Cut Here" and mentions the points program). When you've saved up a few receipts, send them in with your child, in a baggie. We'll take care of the rest. Last year, the Farm Fresh points earned us things like paintbrushes, paints, etc., for our art program.

If you have family, friends or co-workers who shop at Farm Fresh, ask them to save their receipts for you, too! Every receipt helps us earn more stuff.

If you have ANY questions about this program, please email or call Heather Tierney at read.something@me or 285-2126.

Harris Teeter VIC Cards.....

Now is the time to reactivate your Harris Teeter VIC card to donate to CTK. Please see the customer service desk the next time you are shopping and ask them to connect your VIC card to CTK (account #4393). Or e-mail your VIC card number to mawalls3@cox.net <<mailto:mawalls3@cox.net>> to have it done for you. Be sure to remind other family members, parishioners, and friends of CTK to do so too.

And don't forget to keep collecting Box Tops, Farm Fresh receipts, and Campbell Soup labels. Tell friends and neighbors too. Send the labels, box tops and receipts in to the school office anytime. Look for fun contests throughout the year for which class can collect the most.

PTO Dues Due Now... Pay your dues by September 15th and receive a \$10 gift certificate to spend at the CTK Spirit Shop.

As voted on last spring, in lieu of catalogue fundraisers, PTO dues are \$90 per family per year. The dues are to be paid in full by August 31st, 2010. Payment may be turned in at the office. Please include the dues form that was sent to you with a welcome letter. Make checks payable to CTK PTO. If you have further questions or need to make special arrangements for your payments, please contact the PTO President, Alexis Beaver at lexnbeav@aol.com or the Treasurer, Kevin Hudson at kevindhudson@hotmail.com.

SPORTS

NEWS:

2010 Fall Soccer Season!

It is that time again, Registration Time! Norfolk United Soccer Club has teams forming for boys and girls ages 4 years old and up! Norfolk United Soccer Club Registration Deadline: September 12, 2010

2010 Fall Player Registration
<http://www.norfolkunited.org/home/default.asp>

On the menu on the left click on the link that says Fall Registration. In the registration process you may select CTK as your school affiliation. There is also a "Little Strikers" program for children 3 and 4 years old. The Fall Season runs Mid September - Mid November.



**First Day at CTK
2010-2011**



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