

St. Dominic School

WHERE MIND, BODY AND SPIRIT ARE AWAKENED

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by Administrative Staff

PARENT NEWS:

- **For more information and project pictures of the STEM project**, please log on to Anne Daily's blog: <http://stdominicgarden.blogspot.com/2011/02/first-post.html>.
- **Sign up:** At the picnic, there will be a sign up for volunteers to help maintain our new gardens throughout the summer. It would be great if you could bring your child and a friend to weed and water once or twice this summer.
- **Kindergarten Graduation** will be held on Friday, June 10th at 10 am in the school gym.
- **Save the Date:** June 13th is the Athletic Committee Golf Tournament Fundraiser. All proceeds benefit St. Dominic athletic programs. No experience necessary!
- **End-of-the-Year Picnic:** Wednesday, June 1st is our end-of-the-year picnic. The menu will include shredded turkey sandwiches. If you have not, please return your RSVP form.
- **Chrysler Drive for the Kids:** In conjunction with our picnic, Dokmo and Chrysler are sponsoring vehicles to be test-driven during our picnic. For each adult who test drives a vehicle around the block, Chrysler will donate \$10 to the school! **Parishioners and community members** are welcome to test drive from 7-8 pm.
- Based on an overwhelmingly majority on the survey and feedback from the Education Committee, St. Dominic School will begin classes at our **regular start time on Wednesdays** next school year. Parents will be responsible for transportation on Wednesdays. If this presents a challenge for you, please contact the school, and we will assist in a solution.
- **ARTifact:** The St. Dominic School Art Club is back for the summer! Spaces in summer art classes are still available for all ages. Please sign up by May 31 to guarantee a spot for your child(ren). It is only \$50 for each 4-day, 2-hour session (total of 8 hours). Registration forms are available on the school website or see Ms. Kelly for more information.
- **The Parent Survey** results can be viewed on our web page: school.churchofstdominic.org under the Accreditation tab.
- **Tuition reminder:** ALL tuition is due on or before June 1, 2011 unless special arrangements have been made. Please contact Vicki Marvin or Shari Erickson with any questions.

STAFF NEWS:

- You are invited to a **Farewell Reception** for staff on Wednesday, June 1st following Mass. Thank you very much to **Ann Jerdee, Chris Lockner, Adrian Pita, Richard Rosa, and Joan and Jim Spaulding** for your commitment and service to St. Dominic School! Best wishes to all of you as you travel new roads!

STUDENT NEWS:

- **Cinderella, the Middle School play**, will be Wednesday, June 8th at 1:45 pm and 7:00 pm. Mark your calendars; it looks great! It will be performed in the gym.
- Students may wear clothing of their choice the final week of school.

LITURGY SCHEDULE:

- Mass will be led by the 6th and 7th grade on Wednesday, June 1st at 8:20 am.
- Please note that 8th grade graduation Mass will be Thursday, June 9th at 1:15 pm. There will be no Wednesday Mass the last week of school.

NURSING NOTES:

- All students carrying asthma inhalers or epi pens should give them to Mrs. Mathews or their teacher for easy access at the pool if needed. They should not be left in the locker room. I suggest parents apply sunscreen to their child at home, send it along and we will remind children to re-apply at the pool. Since we've had so little sun time this spring, sunburn is a greater risk.

MAY	JUNE	JULY
May 19 – Spring Concert	June 1 – Family Picnic and Chrysler's "Drive for the Kids"	
May 20 – Kindergarten Buddy Day	June 9 – 8 th grade graduation Mass	Happy Summer!
May 30 – Memorial Day – No School	June 10 – Last day of school – 2 hour early dismissal	
May 31 – All School Aquatic Day	June 13 – Golf Tournament	