



Knightly News

LIGNUM CRUCIS ARBOR SCIENTIAE
(The Wood of the Cross is the Tree of Knowledge)

"In reply Jesus declared, "I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again." John 3: 3

K4-5

"That your ways may be known on earth, your salvation among all nations."
Psalm 67: 2

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School Calendar

March 2-6 (Monday– Friday)

Spring Book Sale (ends Friday on 10:00 A.M.)

March 16-20 (Monday-Friday)

Oakbrook Science Fair

SAVE THE DATE!

June 15-19, 2009

Camp Invention Is Coming to Oakbrook!

This camp is for rising 1st –6th graders

More information coming soon.

Sports Calendar

February 27 (Friday)

V Soccer Scrimmage-G'Ville Home School

4:00 home

URGENT – Your E-Mail Address Needed!

Oakbrook is trying to continually improve its business processes. Currently we have tested electronic delivery of your invoice – but we know some did not go through and we are in the process of phoning to get a current e-mail address.

You would greatly help our process if you would send an e-mail to Thorne.Cyndi@Oakbrookprep.org and give her the correct e-mail address to use.

We are also going to be sending the Knightly News via e-mail as soon as we have a better handle on e-mail addresses for all of our families. Although we are willing to keep more than one e-mail address on file, it would help us if you would use a single address with us and then forward the e-mail to your other family members.

Naturally, if you do not use e-mail, we will distribute paper copies but we hope to keep those to an absolute minimum.

Please give me a call if you have questions and many thanks for your help

Jen Helke
Business Manager
864-587-2060, ext 104

New Lunch Item

A new lunch item, grilled cheese sandwich from Capris, is available for \$1.75 on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Please bring in coupons from HOBBY LOBBY from the Sunday paper and give them to Mr. Tinkler. These are being used for things for Beauty and the Beast.

The Cultural Corner

Where Oakbrook meets the world!!!!

OPS International Festival 2009

Good Morning Oakbrook Ambassadors, It's festival time once more, and the festival committee has already started meeting and planning festival details. I'm sending this email to all who signed up at the beginning of the year and don't have an assignment yet, and to all who have graciously volunteered in previous years. Please see the list below of specific areas in which we need help, and reply if you can help in any of them.

Thank you for your help and support,
OPS International Festival Committee 2009

Countries

Argentina	Germany`	Peru
Austria	Greece	Philippines
Barbados	Guatemala	Poland
Brazil	Holland	Puerto Rico
Canada	Honduras	Russia
China	India	Scotland
Cuba	Ireland	South Africa
Dominican Republic	Italy	Spain
El Salvador	Japan	Switzerland
England	Lebanon	United States
France	Mexico	Other country

Other Interests

Culture Exhibit	Games	Beverage stand
Photos/Video	Promotion	Sound System
Floor Coordinator	Trash Control	Master of Ceremony
Food Preparation	Crafts	Set-up/Decorating
Ticket Table	Raffle Table Prep	Clean-up
T-shirt/Cap	T-shirt/Cap/	Entertainment
Distribution	Cookbook Table	Coordinator
Booth Coordinator	Educational Facts	Parade of Flags line
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Passport Prep & Distribution Coordinate Student Volunteers
Other Suggestions

Please send your name, your child's name, grade and teacher, your telephone number and the best time to reach you, and your email address to Ceballos.Maira@oakbrookprep.org

Knights Clothing Sale

We have some extra clothing for sale in the main office. All items are Navy.

Polo shirt - \$25 - Men's XL, Large, Women's extra small—1

Short sleeve T-shirt – \$11 - 1 youth small

New sewn letter Sweatshirts:

2 adult small hoodies - \$45

1 adult large crewneck - \$40

1 adult small crewneck - \$40

1 adult medium navy sweatsuit "Oakbrook Athletics" embroidered on jacket

Solid-Blue Classic T-Shirts

\$16.00

Long Sleeve

Youth 10/12 1

Adult 2XL 1

\$12.00

Short Sleeve

Youth 10/12 2

Adult small 1

Adult Extra Large 4



Your (Part)icipation is the key!

Participation by Grade

K4	12%	Third	37%
K5	25%	Fourth	27%
First	15%	Fifth	16%
Second	25%		
Sixth	46%	Tenth	24%
Seventh	26%	Eleventh	25%
Eighth	26%	Twelfth	16%
Ninth	19%		
Total Dollars	\$63,568.06.		
Total	22%		

Questions? Contact Becky Berube, Development Director, x102

FUN RUNS

Thursday, March 19, 2009 Track and Field Fun Event Dorman High
Tuesday, April 21, 2009 Run Rabbit Fun Run Milliken Park

Recycling at Oakbrook

Since August, students and faculty have recycled 2196 plastic bottles. Let's keep up the good work. Also remember to save the labels from Nestle's Pure Life water. We have already saved 3400 labels. These labels will help us to get athletic equipment.

Moms in Touch Group

A new Moms in Touch group is meeting each Friday from 12:30-1:30 to pray in Caroline Rogers' classroom in the Primary Building. Come and join us.

Primary Building

Parents, please stop at the front desk when you enter the Primary Building. We will call your child's classroom if he/she needs to be dismissed early. If you need to have something delivered to your child, you may leave it at the front desk. If you are volunteering in our building, please sign in for a visitor's tag. Thank you for helping us with these safety procedures.

For the upper school and gym buildings, all parents and/or visitors should come to the main office. Please do not go directly to the classrooms. Help us maintain a safe environment.

Pennies for Patients

Many thanks to each of you for your contributions to our Pennies for Patients campaign. Oakbrook raised a total of \$1486.54 that will be donated to the SC chapter of the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. This money will be used for blood cancer research and for leukemia patients and their families. Go Oakbrook!