



From the Principal

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Calendar Highlights

Jan. 12

Basketball, Chatham Carter @
SPX, 4:30-VG, 5:45-VBG
SPX @ BSS, 4:30-JVBB, 5:45-
VBB

Jan. 13

No Uniform Day - Peru
Basketball @ GDS, 4-VBB, 5-VG,
5:45-VBG

Jan. 14

Basketball @ SPX vs. OLM,
9:30am

Jan. 16

**No School – Martin Luther
King, Jr. Birthday Observed**

Jan. 17

Mass, 8:30am
Elizabeth's Pizza Night, 4-10pm
(Lawndale & Battleground
locations - dine in or take out)
Basketball @ SPX vs. GDS,
4-VBB, 5-VG, 6-VBG

**Saint Pius X School
Mission Statement**

Our mission, as a Catholic faith oriented school, is "to make one's faith become living, conscious, and active through the light of instruction." Our program strives to develop in each student a positive self-image with all the skills needed to assume Christian responsibility and become a contributor to our changing society. We recognize the importance of a strong partnership within our school community.

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January 12, 2012

IMPORTANT EDLINE INFORMATION

Please activate your parent account by using your parent activation codes that were sent home on Thursday, December 15. When activating your account, please be sure to add your email address to your account.

If you have already activated your account, you can still add your email address at any time by clicking the *My Account* tab and then clicking the *Manage Account* tab. Once on Manage Account, click on the green plus sign that reads *Add Email Address*. An email will then automatically be sent to the email address that you entered so that you can confirm your account email.

By entering your email address, it will allow the office and teachers to send important email blasts and notifications to you.

Teacher Class Jump Websites are no longer active. Edline is the only option to view assignments, grades, and test information. Parent feedback about Edline has been very positive. If you have any questions regarding Edline, please contact our school office.

HOT LUNCH INFORMATION

ORDER PERIOD: 01/30/12 - 02/10/12
START ONLINE ORDER PERIOD: 01/16/12
CUTOFF DATE: 01/25/12

**WELCOME TO THE NEWEST MEMBERS OF
OUR SPX FAMILY!**

Please welcome the following new family to St. Pius X School. Please add this information to your St. Pius X School Directory:

Costello, Greg & Lisa

1527 New Garden Rd., Apt. 3F
Greensboro, NC 27410
(518) 618-5228

Dominic, 7-K Anthony, 3-E

NEWS FROM THE MEDIA CENTER

Parents, if you or your business would like to donate prizes for the RC Challenge for 2nd quarter please email Mrs. Foley by Jan. 13th. This was hugely successful 1st Quarter for grades 2-8 and really motivates students to take their RC quizzes! Or if you know of a business that is school-friendly that is interested in donating their product for a reading program, also please email me! Thank you! Mrs. Foley, Librarian cfoley@spxschool.com.

**PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN
WORKSHOP**

A Protecting God's Children Workshop will be offered on Saturday, Feb. 4 from 9am-12pm in the SPX Media Center. All school volunteers must take the Protecting God's Workshop before volunteering with students. If you are interested in registering for this workshop, please visit www.virtus.org. Once you have completed the workshop, please bring a copy of your certificate to the school office and complete a Background Check Form.

NURSERY CO-OP FOR SCHOOL MASS

Would you like to attend mass with your SPX student each Tuesday without the distraction of your younger child? Join the SPX Nursery Co-op. We offer safe supervision during school masses for little siblings of our SPX students in the church nursery. Call or e-mail Lisa Michaels 638-4528 or lmichaels@triad.rr.com if you are interested in using or helping with this ministry. All volunteers need to have taken the Protecting God's Children class and completed a Background Check Form. Even if your youngest child is not so young, this is a great way to get a baby fix and give some parents in our community a peaceful and prayerful hour. Please consider volunteering.

**TRIAD AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION
"MAKING A DIFFERENCE" CAMPAIGN**

Thank you to all who have generously contributed to this year's "Making a Difference" Campaign. Your donations provide financial assistance to families in need, support technology enhancements for teachers and students, and provide resources for classroom refurbishments. To date, our donations have totaled 69% toward this year's goal of \$30,000.

**If you would like to make an online donation, please visit:
<http://www.charlottediocese.org/donations>**

**HAVE YOU ALWAYS WANTED TO BE A PART OF THE THEATRE,
BUT CAN'T SING OR DANCE?**

Now is your chance! Be a Theatre Angel. Send congratulations to a member of the cast of Into the Woods, Junior or advertise your business.

¼ page ads will be \$10, add a digital picture advertisement - \$15

½ page ads will be \$20, add a digital picture advertisement - \$25

Please send in your check (payable to St. Pius X School) and your ad design to Miss Weckworth or send a check in and email your ad design to margaretweckworth@gmail.com. Please be sure to designate which size AD you would like.

Deadline is January 20, 2012. Thank you for your support of the arts!

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week!!!

PTO SPAGHETTI DINNER

Please come to the alumni auditorium between the hours of 5pm-8pm

On **Wednesday, February 1, 2012** for a Spaghetti Dinner!

Cost: \$6 per plate (submitted to the school office by January 27th) and \$7 at the door.

Please complete the following information and return to the school office by Friday, January 27, 2012:

Family Name: _____

Number of Children's Plates: _____

Number of Adult's Plates: _____

Amount Enclosed (cost of each plate is \$6): _____

Please make check payable to St. Pius X Catholic School PTO

**No tickets will be distributed. There will be a list of paid families at the door. If you have questions, please contact Christina Griffith at 644-9514.

**The St. Pius X Players in association with
North Carolina Blumenthal Performing Arts Center
Presents:**

Into The Woods Junior

TICKET ORDER FORM

St. Pius X Players presents *Into the Woods, Junior* – Thursday, January 26, Friday, January 27, and Saturday, January 28. All performances are at 7P.M. in the Alumni Auditorium. Get your tickets early for this amazing show. We expect sell-out crowds! Tickets are \$7 in advance or \$8 at the door. To get your tickets early, just fill out the attached form and return it in your child's Thursday folder.

Please write the number of tickets you would like for each performance. Make checks payable to **St. Pius X Catholic School**. Please return to the school office.

_____ Thursday, January 26, 2012 at 7P.M. @ \$7 each _____

_____ Friday, January 27, 2012 at 7P.M. @ \$7 each _____

_____ Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 7P.M. @ \$7 each _____

_____ Total number of tickets Total Cost _____

Student's Name

Grade and Homeroom

Parent's name