

# SAINT BERNARD CHALK TALK

- May 2009 -



"... remain faithful to what you have learned and believed, ..." 2 Timothy 3:14

## Our Shining Stars

On Friday, April 17, many students performed at the annual "talent show."



This year's theme was "**Shining Stars Dinner Theater**," and was held at the First United Methodist Church in Wabash.

Students entertained the crowd with musical instruments, acrobatic moves, dancing, skits and demonstrations, as well as hula hooping, and singing.

This HASA-sponsored event included dinner as well as the students' performances. All proceeds went into the HASA savings account.

## Applause in Order

Congratulations to 6<sup>th</sup> grader, Devin, who recently won second place in the fourteenth annual "ATTITUDE" Essay Contest.



He was among 500 entries and took home a check for \$75, a certificate, and a small token of appreciation.

## Festival Returns

On Saturday, April 25, students at St. Bernard School participated in the Foundation for Art & Music in Elementary Education (FAME) Festival at the Honeywell Center.

Twenty girls from grades 2<sup>nd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> danced two dance routines, while 3rd grader, Joe, and 4<sup>th</sup> grader, Noah, read between the performances.

There were art displays from students in grades K-6 as well.

In addition, the St. Bernard Choir (grades 2<sup>nd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup>) was in attendance and performed several songs for the audience.



## Play Ball!



On Sunday, April 19, students and their families enjoyed watching the Ft. Wayne Tincaps play in their new stadium, Parkview Field. This event was part of the student's annual reading program. It was a great time for everyone!

## Dancers on Tour

As part of a community outreach service, the St. Bernard FAME performers took their show to area facilities including Bickford Cottage and Miller's Merry Manor on Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>.

Special thanks to Kari Halderman for choreographing the routines and working with the students.

## School Activities

As part of the school's Earth Day and May Day celebrations, students took part in a number of activities on Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup>.



Activities included homemade s'mores, making and delivering May Day baskets to nearby homes and businesses, music for the occasion, a May crowning, as well as the creation of small rockets using recycled materials.

It was a fun-filled, learning venture for all!



## Enrolling Students

We are accepting applications for enrollment for the 2009-10 school year. If you or someone you know is interested in sending their child(ren) to St. Bernard School, please have them contact the school office at 563-5746.

## SCRIP Program

**T**hank you for participating in the SCRIP program. With your help, the school meets many of their



If you would like to try the SCRIP program, please call the school or rectory, or speak with the SCRIP representative after mass for more information. For your convenience, SCRIP is available at the school and after each mass on the weekends.

You may also visit our school website at [www.stbcatholic.org](http://www.stbcatholic.org) for more information about the program and to print out a SCRIP Order Form.

## Market Day

**A** special "THANKS" to everyone who has placed orders this school year.

We will be placing Market Day orders through the summer months. Be sure to look for the brochures at all entrances of the church and email reminders for all online shoppers!

## Alumni Information Needed!

The Alumni Committee is developing a database and could use your help.

If you or someone you know went to St. Bernard School, please email Sandy Johnson at [teamjohnson5@verizon.net](mailto:teamjohnson5@verizon.net) OR call the school office with the following information:

- Full Name
- Maiden Name for the Ladies
- Address
- Phone
- Email Address
- Years Attended

With this information the committee will organize a reunion in the future.

## Upcoming Events



- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Class Trip
- Field Day
- Pre-K show and reception
- Kindergarten graduation
- 6<sup>th</sup> grade luncheon and farewell
- Awards Day

*"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."*

~ John 3:16

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