



C.A.R.E. News

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Ad Hoc Teams Initial Work Near Completion

As reported in last month's C.A.R.E. News, progress continues on the effort to establish a regional Catholic elementary school to serve our four parishes. The ad hoc committee reports are being completed and will be integrated and discussed by the steering committee. The Steering Committee was very pleased with the efforts of each team and its members. Of note, the ad hoc teams will continue to serve as resources to the Steering Committee to help investigate various components of the proposals as the discussions continue.

Informational Meeting with Archdiocese

In December, the C.A.R.E. Steering Committee met with Brother Joe Kamis to discuss the requirements and implications of the different governance models that are currently being discussed. Brother Kamis is the superintendent of schools for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. The committee learned that there are lots of issues to be considered, both legal and practical, and are working to insure any proposal by the C.A.R.E. Committee would include the necessary elements.



Our schools will all be celebrating Catholic Schools Week January 28th – February 3rd. We'd encourage everyone to come out and visit; and continue to spread "The Good News in Education"! Here's a sampling of what's taking place in our three schools.

Assumption

The annual Open House will be held on Thursday, February 1st from 6:30pm-8pm. Come on up and visit the school, shop at the Book Fair and meet with representatives of the various parish & school organizations. We will also have many other

activities throughout the week including: Grandparent Day for Grades K – 4, Student Appreciation Day, a Staff Appreciation lunch and an All School Liturgy on Friday, February 2nd. We will also have a School Spirit Assembly in the afternoon on Feb. 2nd.

Little Flower

Our Open House will be on Sunday, January 28, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Come & tour our school - See the Junior High Science Fair and visit the Art Expo. We will also announce our 2007 Distinguished Graduate Wall of Fame recipient. On Friday, February 2, the Little Flower School Talent Show takes place at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Center

St. Ann

We begin this special week with an Open House on Sunday, January 28th, from 9:00-1:00 p.m. There is also an Alumni Award presentation at the 9:30 a.m. mass, and also graduates from the class of '56 are welcomed back and honored.

Throughout the week we celebrate Good News and groups together. There is a special Student Day, a Teacher/Staff luncheon given by S.A.F.E., a school carnival for the primary grades, Student Council represents our school at a citywide mass at the cathedral, an annual volleyball game with the 8th Grade vs. the Faculty/Staff, and an all-school mass.

C.A.R.E. Web Site

For those of you that haven't stopped by, we encourage you to check out the C.A.R.E. Web site – www.carenews.org. At the site you'll find current and past issues of C.A.R.E. News, as well as tools that enable you to sign up to receive the newsletter automatically via email. You can also learn more about the ad hoc teams and who the representatives are from your parish. Lastly, there's a feedback tool. We'd like to hear your ideas, thoughts and any questions you might have. Let us hear from you. [Note: There is also a feedback box in each of the parish churches.]