



# SAINT PHILIP THE APOSTLE SCHOOL

Teaching, inspiring and nurturing God's children for over 80 years

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## IMPORTANT DATES

### 6/16, Wednesday

All grade Honors and Awards assemblies

### 6/17, Thursday

10:30 Dismissal-Last Day of School; Alternate Dress; No Falcon's Nest

### 6/21, Monday

Summer School begins; Camp Falcon's opens

### 8/26, Thursday

Kinder Parent Orientation 6:30 p.m.

### 8/31, Tuesday

6th Grade Orientation 9-11 a.m., parents and students

### 9/1, Wednesday

1st day of school—Meet the Teacher Day 7:30—11:30

## Principal Notes

Goodbye school year 2009-2010. I am already looking forward to 2010-2011. During the 2010-2011 school year we will renew our WCEA-WASC accreditation and we will be undergoing the strategic planning process that will guide us for the following six years. Six years, in the life of a school, is a huge amount of time. Six years takes kindergartners and turns them into junior high students. It is so important that we plan wisely. I am excited for the process to begin and I will keep you informed and ask for your feedback along the way.

In case you have not heard, both of our math teachers are moving on after this year, Mr. Garcia to move back home to Stockton and hopefully join the Peace Corp, and Sr. Christina to take a leadership position with her order. We have hired their replacements. Mrs. Jacqueline Scanlan will be teaching the math pull out program and Mrs. Beth Korman will be teaching the math homeroom, both in junior high. Both of these teachers have years of experience in the teaching of math. They are both thrilled to be joining us and we are thrilled to welcome them.

I hope that you enjoy your summer with your families. I will be seeing many of you at Camp Falcon but if I don't see you I wish you a safe and relaxing time. I look forward to welcoming all of you back in the fall. Best wishes for a happy summer.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

Wednesday, June 16

Kindergarten and 1st  
8:30

2nd, 3rd, 4th  
9:30

5th, 6th, 7th  
11:00

Parents Welcome!

## FALCON CROSS-COUNTRY

Time to hit the trails again as the Falcons gear-up for the fall cross-

## SCRIP - SCRIP - SCRIP!



### Another SCRIP year is over!

\* Thank you again for all your support and generous purchases throughout the year.

### Summer Ordering Procedures

\* Due to shipping fees being so costly, we will only be able to process SCRIP orders on-line of \$1,000.00 or more over Summer.

\* E-mail me at [pasadenamom@yahoo.com](mailto:pasadenamom@yahoo.com) over Summer if you will be ordering on-line so I can release the P.O. for your family.

### ShopWithScrip.com & PrestoPay

\* Take the time to register with ShopWithScrip.com and PrestoPay over the Summer as we will be placing all our SCRIP & special orders online in the Fall.

\* **NOTE:** The SCRIP box will still be available in the office in the Fall.

\* **Enrollment Code: E22CE28C8812**

Blessings, Cynthia

country season. Falcon cross-country is open to 3rd - 8th grade students and parent participation is encouraged and needed. Coach Chris will be offering the opportunity for the aspiring runners to get together 3 days per week this summer, starting Saturday morning July 10. The team will also be meeting Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. This is a great way to stay connected through the summer and to keep fitness levels up, no matter what other sports your Falcon undertakes. For the 3rd graders runs start out as short as 1/4 mile, and the team typically will have its runs at local trails in the Pasadena area. If your child is interested in joining, please contact Coach Chris McNatt at stphilpx-country@gmail.com or 213-952-9975

**FALL SPORTS 2011**

7th and 8th Grade Varsity Boys Football and Varsity Girls Volleyball.  
Starts Mon 23rd Aug 3-5pm.  
Boys Varsity Football at Hahamonga park  
Girls Varsity Volleyball in Holy Angel Hall.

**VIRTUS UPDATE**

Our Virtus®, Protecting God's Children certificates are good for four years. If you received your certificate 2006 or prior, you need to take the update class entitled *Keeping the Promise Alive*. You can go to Virtusonline.org to locate a class that fits your schedule.

**GOT LEFTOVER USED/NEW SCHOOL SUPPLIES? USED BACKPACKS?**

We are collecting for a Catholic school in Haiti once again this year. Anything you have left over is great! For example, Pencils with just a couple of inches left and notebooks with 7 pages left are a blessing!! Please take a moment to discard the used portion of the notebook



**SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES**

- ◆ Think about where you would like to use your talents next year and turn in your Service Hour form!

before dropping it in the boxes. Boxes will be located outside of the school office until the last day of school. Last year we collected 12 boxes of items and they were accepted with great joy and appreciation! Please see our website or contact Lara Serventi at PepLT007@earthlink.net or 323 839 4938 for more detailed info or with any questions.

**END OF YEAR FORMS**

Just a reminder we sent home the: **Student Directory update** form . . . Return it before school is out if there are any changes or corrections

**The Room Parent sign-up** form . . . Return it to be a room parent next year

**The Service Hour sign-up** form . . . Return it to let us know where your service interest is for next year

**TUITION BOOKLETS**

The Tuition booklets from Diane Carreon are coming home today in the Family Envelopes. The first tuition payment is due August 1, 2010. Important Reminder: payments must be by Check —CASH IS NOT ACCEPTED for payments.

**DVD DRIVE FOR KIDFLICKS**

A big thank you to all who made our DVD drive so successful! We collected hundreds of DVD's to donate to KidFlicks and the DVD's will be distributed to Children's Hospitals. Love and Peace, Claire Engstrom, Annalis Guzman, Emily Gray, Sophie Dakan and Emma Mass.

**CKW SALE**

Don't forget to make plans to go to the St. Philip Convenience sale Sunday, July 18th from 1:00—3:00 pm. All in-stock items are 10% off.

**IS IT CHRISTMAS YET?**

The 2009 Christmas DVD has finally arrived! They are coming home today via your child's blue folder.

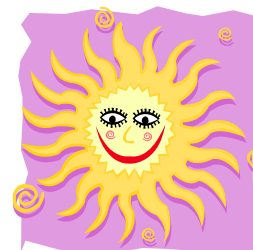
**LOST AND FOUND**

All items still left in Lost and Found will be out on tables this week for you to claim. Please stop by.

**GOT EGGS?**

Over the summer you can earn service hours for the Festival by making confetti eggs. Clean you empty eggshells, stuff them with confetti and cover them with tissue paper. These should be kept at home and brought to the festival. Please do not deliver these eggs to the school office.

**HAPPY SUMMER!**



**SPECIAL INTENTIONS**  
Please pray that everyone in our school community has a safe, healthy and restful summer vacation!

**Vacation used to be a luxury, but in today's world it has become a necessity.**

~Author Unknown

# St. Philip the Apostle Fall Fest is looking for a BUNCH of Good People!

**TOP**  
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## THE 'END-OF-THE-SCHOOL-YEAR' TOP TEN REASONS TO BE A PART OF THE 2010 FALL FEST MANAGEMENT TEAM:

10. FINALLY GET TO KNOW PEOPLE YOU MIGHT OTHERWISE NEVER HAVE MET, EVEN THOUGH YOUR KIDS HAVE APPARENTLY BEEN FRIENDS FOR YEARS.
9. YOU'LL BE 'IN THE KNOW' ABOUT COOL, NEW FESTIVAL STUFF BEFORE EVERYONE ELSE, LIKE.....(YOU'LL HAVE TO SIGN UP TO FIND OUT :)
8. EIGHT WEEKS (*MEETINGS ON MONDAY NIGHTS*) OF PLANNING FOR ONE BIG DAY OF FUN!
7. WHY NOT? YOU'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR A WAY TO JUMP IN AND GET INVOLVED AND **THIS IS IT! HAVE I MENTIONED THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR DOUBLE HOURS?**
6. YOU HELP DECIDE WHAT A COUPLE OF THOUSAND PEOPLE GET TO EAT, DRINK, PLAY, LISTEN TO & WATCH!
5. THE SATISFACTION OF KNOWING YOU MADE A DIFFERENCE AT YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL...WHILE THEY SPRAY SILLY STRING ALL OVER IT!
4. "DID YOU SAY MY SERVICE HOURS ARE DONE? **BEFORE** THANKSGIVING?!"
3. IF YOU GOOF SOMETHING UP, CHALK IT UP TO THE 'LEARNING EXPERIENCE'....OR, JUST BLAME IT ON THE FESTIVAL CHAIR!
2. ACQUIRE NEW, USEFUL SKILLS LIKE THE SEEMINGLY INFINITE USES FOR ZIP TIES & DUCT TAPE, AND LEARN SILLY TRIVIA FINDING OUT HOW MUCH RED MEAT PEOPLE REALLY EAT!

AND THE NUMBER ONE REASON TO JOIN UP AND HELP ORGANIZE THE FALL FEST....

1. "REMEMBER, IT'S ALL FOR THE KIDS!"

**Please contact me or your PTO Vice Presidents to learn more or let us know you're interested. It's a little bit of hard work, a fair amount of craziness, and a whole lot of fun. NO INVOLVEMENT IS TOO SMALL! And you'll be a part of, and witness to, just how generous people can and will be with their time, talents & treasures, in seeing our school's biggest fundraiser succeed on October 23, 2010!**

**Thank you, and enjoy your summer!**

Larry Gray, 2010 Fall Fest Chair  
(626)353-6867 / [ellthree@gmail.com](mailto:ellthree@gmail.com)

## Service Hour Sign-Up Form for School Year 2010-2011

Dear Parents,

It is time to organize our service hour database for the coming school year. Giving of your time will benefit all students here at St. Philip and keep you connected to your children's school life. The Service Hour Program is as follows: each family that chooses tuition with plans A or C agrees to the obligation of giving a minimum of 40 hours of service to the school. (20 hours for single parents), not including six hours of Fall "Festival" service, which is handled separately. Additional sign-up forms will come for Fall Festival and Dinner Dance Auction.

Please review the service hour categories on this form and indicate those of greatest interest to you. This information will be made into a database and distributed to the appropriate chairpersons. Completion of this form does not ensure your participation in an event or service hour opportunity. It is up to you to actively seek your service hours.....don't wait for a call !!!

Please complete this form and return it to the School Office by August 13. Thanks

**FAMILY NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**DAY TIME TELEPHONE** \_\_\_\_\_  
**EVENING TELEPHONE** \_\_\_\_\_  
**GRADES OF CHILDREN** \_\_\_\_\_

### TEACHER ASSISTANT

Clean Computers \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spanish Teacher Helper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Art Teacher Helper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Music Teacher Helper \_\_\_\_\_  
 In-Class Helper \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER

Traffic Duty \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lost and Found \_\_\_\_\_  
 Picture Day Helper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hot Lunch Helper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Used Uniform Sale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Scrip Sales \_\_\_\_\_  
 Recycling Program \_\_\_\_\_  
 Drama Production \_\_\_\_\_  
 Christmas Worship Program \_\_\_\_\_  
 Academic Decathlon \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clean Lunch Tables (am) \_\_\_\_\_  
 School Sign Maintenance \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senior Citizens' Lunch \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing/Stuff Envelopes \_\_\_\_\_  
 School Office Help \_\_\_\_\_  
 Laminating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Speech & Debate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spring Concert \_\_\_\_\_

### DEVELOPMENT

Grandparents Day \_\_\_\_\_  
 Alumni Committee \_\_\_\_\_  
 Open House \_\_\_\_\_  
 Pie 'n Burger Day \_\_\_\_\_  
 Blessed Are The Children \_\_\_\_\_  
 Major Donor Dinner \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parish Appreciation Sunday \_\_\_\_\_

### SPORTS PROGRAM

Basketball \_\_\_\_\_  
 Flag Football \_\_\_\_\_  
 Volleyball \_\_\_\_\_  
 Softball \_\_\_\_\_  
 Track \_\_\_\_\_  
 Coach \_\_\_\_\_  
 Referee \_\_\_\_\_  
 Falcon Invitational \_\_\_\_\_  
 Scorekeeper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Parent \_\_\_\_\_

### SKILLS/SERVICES

Poster/Banner Maker \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sewing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Baking \_\_\_\_\_  
 Catering \_\_\_\_\_  
 Printing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Carpentry \_\_\_\_\_  
 Plumbing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Medical Resource \_\_\_\_\_  
 Photographer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Musician \_\_\_\_\_  
 DJ/Audio-Visual \_\_\_\_\_  
 Computer Skills \_\_\_\_\_  
 Artist \_\_\_\_\_  
 Craftsperson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Videographer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Decorating \_\_\_\_\_

### PTO COMMITTEES

Hospitality \_\_\_\_\_  
 Program Planning \_\_\_\_\_  
 Helping Hands \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sports Boosters \_\_\_\_\_  
 Room Parents \_\_\_\_\_  
 New Parent Mentors \_\_\_\_\_  
 Community Service \_\_\_\_\_  
 Reduce, Reuse, Recycle \_\_\_\_\_  
 Falconwear \_\_\_\_\_

### PTO FUNCTIONS

Back to School Breakfast \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gift Wrap Sale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Book Fair \_\_\_\_\_  
 Golf Tournament \_\_\_\_\_  
 New Parent Orientation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Staff Appreciation Lunch \_\_\_\_\_

### FALL FESTIVAL (add't'l sign up will come)

Set-up \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tear Down/Clean-up \_\_\_\_\_  
 Game Booth Captain \_\_\_\_\_  
 Food Booth Captain \_\_\_\_\_  
 Talent Show \_\_\_\_\_

### DINNER DANCE AUCTION (add't'l sign up will come)

Advertising \_\_\_\_\_  
 Underwriting \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailings \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cashier \_\_\_\_\_  
 Set-Up \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tear Down \_\_\_\_\_

# Music Lessons at St. Philips



*Valerie Marich*

(626)-794-8810

INDIVIDUAL LESSONS



Piano, clarinet, recorder, saxophone, trumpet, flute, guitar, violin, viola, cello. Private lessons once a week after school on or off campus. Current students do not need to reregister.

Parent Name	Home Phone Work Phone	Student(s) Name	Instrument(s)	Grade

If interested, turn this into the school office or call me. I will contact you personally.



## FALCON VOLLEYBALL CAMP 2010

This camp is designed to teach you all you need to know about the fundamentals of volleyball. You will learn how to bump, set, spike and serve, all while engaging in friendly competition. You will also learn the basics of the game, such as the different positions and proper formation of the game. Everyone is welcome to attend, whether you are a beginner or more advanced player. This camp is aimed at helping you improve your skills as an athlete and as a team player, but most of all, at having fun! Volleyballs and nets will be provided.

**Grade Levels that can participate:** Incoming 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade students.

**Dates & Time:** Week 1: June 21-25,  
Week 2: June 28-July 2

5-7 pm

**Cost:** Week 1..... \$100.00    Two Weeks.....\$180.00  
Week 2.....\$100.00

**What to Bring:**

Kneepads, Water, Tennis Shoes

**Where:** Holy Angels Hall

**Instructors:**

- **Ali Marick** – One year on Loyola Marymount’s Women’s Club Volleyball Team (2<sup>nd</sup> Place at Nationals), three years on Flintridge Sacred Heart Academy’s Volleyball Team, five years at San Gabriel Elite Volleyball Club, four years of Volleyball at St. Philip.
- **Marlise Knechtle**- One year on USC’s Intramural Volleyball Team, three years on Flintridge Sacred Heart Academy’s Volleyball Team, six years at San Gabriel Elite Volleyball Club, and four years of volleyball at St. Elizabeth.
- **Laura Eng**- One year on Stanford’s Women’s Club Volleyball Team, four years on Westridge’s Volleyball Team, five years at San Gabriel Elite Volleyball Club, and two years at St. Philip.

To sign up for St. Philip’s Volleyball Camp, fill out this form, submit payment and send it into St. Philip School Office. **Make checks payable to Ali Marick.**

Student’s Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in September \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Parent’s Names \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Check One: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Week 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Both Weeks \_\_\_\_\_

*(For questions, call Ali 626-228-8564, Laura 626-616-1709, Marlise 626-710-7546, or Frances Marick 818-790-2125)*