

St. Bonaventure School
Barnes & Noble
Bookfairs

**SAVE
THE DATE**

Friday, December 2
4:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Barnes & Noble
Waterworks Mall, Fox Chapel

Join the St. Bonaventure School Family for a festive fundraiser that helps us raise money to purchase new books and videos for our school library.

Shop at your leisure, enjoy our students performing Christmas music, or just have a cup of coffee from the Starbucks café located in the store.

Student performances will begin at approximately 6:00 pm.

Can't attend our bookfair at Barnes & Noble?

Visit BN.COM/bookfairs to support us online from 12/02/11 to 12/09/11 by entering Bookfair ID 10538882 at checkout.

A percentage of your Barnes & Noble purchases will benefit our school/organization.



Gift Card/Scrip update: (December, 2011)

New retailers have been added – Groupon.com & DSW Shoe Warehouse. Both come in \$25 denomination and make great Christmas gifts.

On-line Scrip Website - If you haven't signed up to the new online scrip website (stbonaventurescrip.com) please contact me asap for your username and temporary password. This website will provide you with all your gift card/market day activity plus allow you to order gift cards online. Ordering has never been easier. It also provides the amount you owe on your 12th payment for the 2011-2012 school year. Remember, the last time to purchase gift cards for the current school year credit is March 31, 2012.

If you have any questions about the program or website, please contact me at klineellen@comcast.net

Holiday Hours – During the Christmas Break, the certificate office will be open on the following days: Tuesday, Dec 27th from 9:30 – noon, Thursday, Dec 29th from 7 – 8pm and Friday Dec 30th from 9:30 – noon. The certificate office will reopen when school is back in session in January 2012. Gift Cards will not be sold at Mass over Christmas & New Years. This will allow the sellers to enjoy mass with their families.

Special Order - For the month of December, special orders will be placed on the following Mondays: December 5th, 12, 19th. Orders must be in the office by 10am to receive by the Thursday of the same week. Don't wait too long to order – to avoid a back order of the cards.

Gift Card Sellers Needed - I am in need of help selling gift cards during the school days at the certificate office. Training will be provided. The website is very easy to learn. If you have 2 days a month available to help out, please contact me at 412-580-9083 or klineellen@comcast.net. Days are flexible.

Thanks to all who has been patient while we implemented this new software program. When you use it, you find how easy it is to obtain your 12th payment information and order on line. It makes keeping track of your gift cards much easier. Please contact me now to sign up on the website. You will need this information by the end of the March, 2012.

Have a very Merry Christmas,

Ellen Kline

Lucky Lottery Calendars are Back!

We will again be selling the Lucky Lottery Calendars for the Month of January. All money raised will go toward the General Fundraising Budget. Cost of a calendar is \$10 with a chance to win \$50 to \$500 throughout the month of January. They make a great Christmas gift for that hard to buy for person. Each family will receive several calendars to sell (depending on the number of children you have enrolled in the school). If you need additional calendars, please submit request to Diane Murray.

Thank you for supporting St. Bonaventure Parish School.

December 1, 2011

Dear Parents,

As we begin preparing for the upcoming holidays, many of us want to show our appreciation to the teachers and staff of St. Bonaventure School on our child's behalf.

To help you, I will coordinate the **Christmas Gift Alternative Program – Group Money Collections**. The money collected will be converted to Giant Eagle gift cards. The Gift Cards, distributed among *ALL* teachers, aides, and other staff members depending on their full time and part time status, is a gift from all students.

The choice to participate in the Christmas Gift Alternative Program is, of course, up to each family. It does provide an opportunity to everyone, even those who can afford a small amount, to do something for the teachers and staff. In addition, it is a help to you during this busy time and is a most appreciated gift.

To participate, please have your child bring your money gift (either cash or check) in an envelope marked "Teachers Gift" to Mrs. Gigler's office. Make your check payable to: St. Bonaventure School.

The deadline to participate is **Wednesday, December 14, 2011**. All participating families will have their names posted in the teacher's lounge for the staff to see.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to share the joys of the season.

Happy Holidays,

Terri Wenger



HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

Gifts Galore and So Much More!

Saturday, December 10

11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Newmeyer Hall

Tickets are \$30.00

We need your support. Unfortunately, ticket sales have been slow. We know our school family can sell these tickets if we work together. Please consider attending the event and encouraging friends and family to attend as well. Any help you can provide is greatly appreciated.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact Loretta Laird at 412-213-1444 or Eileen Mallin at 412-519-5726.

We are also selling table space at our craft fair. If you would like to showcase your creations, please contact Eileen Mallin at eileen.mallin@yahoo.com or 412-519-5726.

Pizza Hut Fundraiser

Monday, December 5



The PTG is sponsoring its third Pizza Hut Fundraiser on **Monday, December 5**. This is an important event, proceeds enable the PTG to provide programs for the students. We have raised **\$642.00** this year!

In order for the school to get credit for your purchase, please make sure to tell your server that your sale should be applied to the St. Bonaventure fundraiser. **IF YOU DON'T MENTION THE SCHOOL, WE WILL NOT GET CREDIT FOR YOUR PURCHASE.**

- ✓ McKnight Road Pizza Hut Restaurant only.
- ✓ Includes both dine-in and take-out sales.
- ✓ The fundraiser is effective all day.
- ✓ Every family that participates earns a jeans & tennies day.





REMINDER

Make sure your TARGET REDCARD is registered to ST. BONAVENTURE SCHOOL. Not only do you save 5% on your Target purchases using your Target RedCard, but our school will also receive 1% of the purchase value. It is one of the EASIEST ways to raise money for our school! So, before you do your holiday shopping at Target, take a moment to enroll.

- **Go to www.target.com/redcard**
- **Click on “Learn More” tab under Take Charge of Education**
- **Follow Prompts under “have a REDcard”**
- **Our school ID is 15109**

It is really that easy! If you have any questions, call Rachele Bierker 412-486-0894 or email rbierker@aol.com. Invite your friends and family to register too!





888.637.3037

DON'T MISS OUR BIGGEST SALE OF 2011!

This is your **LAST WEEK** to save
up to **25% off** most uniform items!
Last Day to Save is Saturday, December 3rd, 2011

CYBER MONDAY SPECIAL OFFER:
FREE GROUND SHIPPING ON ALL ORDERS OVER \$75!

Offer good on all new orders placed on Monday, November 28, 2011. No price adjustments on prior orders, including existing orders. Order subtotal must be over \$75.00 to qualify - does not include tax or shipping charges. Ground delivery is 2-5 business days to most addresses for in-stock orders.

25% OFF - Select Uniform Basics

Knit Shirts, Blouses, Dress Shirts, Boys Trousers, Girls Slacks,
Walking Shorts, Hosiery, Ties, Backpacks & Lunch Bags

20% OFF - Premium Footwear

"School Issue" Brand Shoes
Oxfords ~ Saddle Shoes ~ Mary Janes ~ Gym Shoes ~ Penny Loafers

15% OFF - Select Winter Weather Wear

Sweatshirts, Sweatpants, Warm-up Suits, Sweaters,
Fleece Pullovers, Fleece Jackets & Fleece Vests

10% OFF - Scrub Zone by Landau

Snap Jackets, Scrub Tops, Scrub Bottoms, Lab Coats

SALE ENDS DECEMBER 3RD, 2011!

No price adjustments on prior purchases, including existing orders. Discounts only apply to select styles (either with or without monograms, logos or appliques) purchased on new phone, online and in-store orders started during the sale. Sale may not be combined with any other discount or offer. Online prices already reflect the discount.

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