THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF TEURLINGS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

From Our Principal...

Advent, which comes from the Latin word for "arrival" or "coming," is a period of preparation for the birth of our Lord. Advent begins four Sundays before Christmas and is the start of the Christmas season, which lasts through the Baptism of our Lord. The first Sunday of Advent also marks the beginning of the liturgical year, the Church's "New Year's Day," at which time we change the cycle of readings we are using at Mass.

The Advent season is time to give thanks for what we have and prepare to celebrate the birth of our Savior. We should all be thankful that we are blessed in so many ways. Each of us should take time to reflect on the birth of the Christ Child and what impact this event has had on the history of the world, our country, your family, and you.

Teurlings Catholic has so much for which to be thankful. We have received so many gifts this school year: the gift of sending us your children and the gifts that your children bring to us; the gift of a dedicated and motivated faculty and staff; the gift of great coaches and club moderators; the gift of a loyal alumni and tremendous community support for our mission and their participation in advancing our physical facility; the gift of parents who volunteer much time as substitutes, assist in many of our activities, and serve on various support boards.

In an effort to continue our mission into the future, 8th Grade Day and Open House were held in November on the TCH campus. We experienced a record number of participants and anticipate a high volume of applications for the 2007-2008 school year. The following is an exerpt from an e-mail we received from TCH parent Chris Tanner concerning the Open House.

"I thought I'd share some comments I heard about the Open House. Our son plays travel Hockey (we are headed to Oklahoma City th is weekend) and all the kids on Zach's team are the same age (7th grade). So there's been a lot of talk lately about where they will go to high school. I discovered about 4 or 5 players are planning on attending TCH. One of the players has a sister who is planning to go to TCH next year. She and her family attended both open houses (daytime and nighttime).

The moms who attended told me they were so impressed with the open house. They thought the school looked like a fantastic place to go and they said they felt so welcome. The students impressed them, as did the

atmosphere at the campus.

It amazed me to see how excited these people were about TCH. They were really "pumped". Obviously, y'all made a great impression. I talked to her friend also and she wanted very badly to be part of TCH also. Although I knew that I was quite happy with TCH for my children, it is quite a feat to instill that desire in someone who has seen the school just one time. Well, you really got the message across to those people."

We would like to thank everyone who has given so much of themselves to make Teurlings Catholic the school that it is. The heart and soul of our school is in direct proportion to that of our students, parents, and grandparents. We are so blessed!

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION...

Christmas/New Year Holidays

Dec. 25^{th} - Jan. 5^{th}

New Student Applications Available, 2007-2008 School Year

Jan. 8th

Report Card Day

Jan. 12th

Senior Retreat

Jan. 14^{th} - 15^{th}

Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

No School - Jan. 15th

Rebel Revival

Jan. 17th - 7:00 pm

Right to Life March

Jan. 22nd - Noon

School Board Meeting

Jan. 22nd - 6:30pm

\$10,000 Raffle & Silent Auction

Jan. 27th

Catholic Schools Week

Jan. 28th - Feb. 3rd

Deadline New Student Applications

Jan. 31st

School Play

Feb. 1st - 4th

Registration Packets

Registration packets for returning students will be mailed the first week of February. If not received by February 15th, please contact Mrs. Taylor (Ext. 109) or Mrs. Dodson (Ext. 101). Registration dates are March 7, 8, and 9.

Newsletter

The deadline for submitting articles for the February issue of the *Rebelation* is January 22nd. Fax (234-8057) or email Maria Hanes (mhanes@tchs.net) with your articles.

DISCIPLINE

Terri Baudier - Assistant Principal

"THERE IS NOT ENOUGH TIME TO GET TO CLASS"

That is the excuse I hear students telling their parents when they receive a tardy. If you stop and visit with friends or go to your locker every class, that statement could be true. Otherwise, there is plenty of time to get across campus in the five minutes we allow. Students should go to their locker 3 times a day: before school, during break, and during lunch. These times allow for the gathering of books without being late for a class. Actually, I sat with the calculator and these are the stats that I came up with on November 30th:

- Only 8% of the student body has received a consequence for being tardy (which means 4 tardies or more) since the beginning of school.
- Most students who are tardy are repeat offenders every quarter.
- 61% of TCH students have never been tardy or have been tardy only once since the start of school.
- The breakdown by grade level for tardies since August is as follows:

Seniors: 24 students Juniors: 13 students Sophomores: 12 students Freshman: 3 students

(*Note: A tardy is recorded when a student is late to school or late to class.)

Please help your child understand the importance of being on time! As always, if you have any questions or concerns, just give me a call (ext. 102).

PARKING

We did have a few spots open up, but those were taken by the students who were on a waiting list. If your child wants to drive to school, he/ she must be on the waiting list. Just have the student come by my office or the front office and sign up. I have already announced this several times.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

I would like to take this time to wish everyone in our Teurlings Family a very safe and happy holiday season. Please count your blessings; I know I will. I am very thankful to work at a school with very respectful young men and women, caring and hardworking teachers and counselors, and parents who are always willing to lend a helping hand. There is no place I would rather be than here with my TCH family! Here's to another great year in 2007!

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING!

New Checkout Rule: Starting January 8, 2007, no student will be allowed to checkout and return to school the same day without a doctor's excuse.

Reminder to all parents: We have many parents not calling in the morning when their child is going to be absent or checking in late due to an appointment. Remember it is the parent's responsibility to call the front office before 8:30 a.m. each day your child is not going to be on campus at the start of the day. Please refer to page 61 of your parent/student handbook.

ACADEMICS

Marty Heintz - Assistant Principal

HALF OVER OR A SEMESTER TO IMPROVE

With the end of the holiday season comes the end of the first semester. Report cards will be issued on Jan. 12, marking the halfway point of the 2006-2007 school year. Every year, I make the same distinction in my January column - you can choose to see the year as half over or see that half the school year is still ahead. Your point of view depends on how the first half the year has gone for your student. If your son or daughter is in countdown mode (can tell you exactly how many days are left to graduation or exams), then obviously the school year is half over. If your son or daughter did not do their best in the first semester, then hopefully he or she will be able to see that half the year is left, providing enough time to improve grades and end the year on a high note.

And, that's my advice to you, as parents: look at the fact that half the school year still remains. Remind your student of that fact. If the grades were not that great in the first half of the school year, there's time to fix the situation. The flip side is also true and students need to be reminded that a good semester can be wiped out by not putting forth much effort in the second semester. Students need to work the entire school year to be successful. Simple, but true.

RESEARCH PAPERS AND GRADES

If your student is a junior or senior, then the semester grade in English and Social Studies partially reflects how he or she did on the annual research paper. Students who did not use the correct MLA form (they are taught

this in 9th grade and it is reviewed annually in English classes) received substantial deductions when the paper was graded. MLA form is the standard form used for research papers in college English classes. In MLA form, students must cite exactly where the information used to write the paper was obtained. Any and all quotes must be documented.

The paper must be in the student's own words, with the exception of an occasional direct quote. Truthfully, it is very easy for any teacher to determine if the student wrote a paper or if it was downloaded from the Internet or if substantial portions of the paper were copied and not cited. The term for this (and your students are very familiar with the term) is plagiarism. All of our English and social studies teachers have warned their students that plagiarism results in a grade of "0" on the research paper. Considering that the paper is worth 150-200 points in both the English and social studies classes, a "0" for plagiarism is serious and jeopardizes the quarter and semester grade.

Finally, students are given ample time to complete the paper. Our teachers bring the students to the library to conduct both hard copy (book) and Internet research. This is done several weeks prior to the due date of the paper. There is no excuse for waiting until the night before the paper is due to write the paper, and a low grade on the paper generally reflects the student's lack of planning and a last-minute attempt to finish.

Our 9th and 10th graders will be completing their research papers during the third quarter.

2007-2008 APPLICATION & ENROLLMENT PROCESS

APPLICATION

All 8th grade students are required to apply for admission next year. Applications will be sent home with 8th grade students at our feeder schools on January 8th. Please return the completed application and required documents by January 31st. Failure to do so will result in the application being returned to you for completion, thereby delaying the admissions process. Siblings of students currently enrolled at TCH must follow these same procedures and comply with the deadlines. Failure to remit a first-priority application by the deadline will result in the student being placed with those on a waitlist. Due to the volume of applications, all deadlines will be strictly enforced. Letters of acceptance for registration will be mailed out by mid-February.

Enrollment packets for our current 9th, 10th and 11th grade students will be mailed the first week of February. While reapplication is not required, the below registration dates do apply.

REGISTRATION

Registration will be held on March 7th, 8th, and 9th. It is mandatory that parents register their students within the specified dates to assure their enrollment status.

Look what your student is up to...



After completing a lesson on clip art, students in **Cheryl Champagne's** Business Computer classes created life quilts. The top row of the quilt represented the past, the middle represented the present, and the bottom represented the future of each student's quilt.

Becky Ducharme's art classes created their own "Pop Art." Inspired by artist Claus Oldenburg, students designed and created paper mache sculptures of their own original shoe designs.





As a lesson in African Art History, students in **Becky Ducharme's** Art II & III classes visited with Ashleigh D'Aunoy, a Bright New Worlds and PACE artist from the Acadiana Arts Council.

TOUR de FORCE

We are very proud of our faculty and staff. Many have achieved status above and beyond the call of duty; all are terrific with the students. This column is designed to feature accomplishments of those faces on campus.

Congratulations!

The Football team, led by Head Coach Sonny Charpentier and assistant coaches Mike Doherty, Jake Dueitt, Kim Hebert, Joe Heintz, Lonny Landry, Kent Masson, Robbie Richard, and Dennis Skains, was successful in capturing the district championship and had a successful season. A special congrats to Coach Charpentier for being named District Coach of the Year!

On Thanksgiving day, TCH sophomores prepared 350 meals that were delivered to centers and private homes. Thanks to Liz Snyder, Ramey Badeaux, Tiffany Dugas, and Dona Dugas for all their efforts with this great and meaningful event.

Coach Bruce Baudier led the boys Cross Country team to capturing the district championship and a 4th place finish at the state meet.

Head Coach Pilar Hebert and Assistant Coach Terry Hebert had a triumphant Volleyball season leading the girls to district runners-up and the state quarterfinals.

The Swim team, coached by **Chris Landreneaux**, finished at the state meet with the girls team placing 8th.

Dawn Aucoin recently passed the Praxis: Principles of Learning & Teaching.

Cheryl Champagne was nominated by a TCH student as LEF Teacher of the Year.

Teachers of the Month

November



DAWN AUCOIN
Algebra I & II

DANIELLE FARRIS
Algebra II & Calculus





LONNY LANDRY Civics & Boys Athletic PE

CATHRYN MARTINAmerican & World History, Civics





ROBBIE RICHARD
World History

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LINDA DOHERTY
American History, 20th Century US

DONA DUGAS
Biology I & II, Theology II





NITA GUILLORY Geometry, Algebra I

ROBERTA LEBLANC
Geometry





JOSETTE SURRATT Interpersonal Communications, Advanced Theatre, Theatre I



Righteous Rebels

This column is designed to recognize the accomplishments of our students in the areas of academics, athletics, and extra-curricular activities at school or around the community. Parents, teachers, coaches, sponsors, moderators, and pastors are invited to "brag" about a student by sending information to Maria Hanes in the Admissions Office - Fax 234-8057 or email - mhanes@tchs.net. Spread the good word!

Rebels of the Month



Travis Broussard

Madison Montelaro

November



Soccer (3 yrs), Beta, Music Ministry, FCA, Retreat Ministry, Campus Ministry Club, Computer Aid

Beta President, Varsity Cheerleader, Campus Ministry, GPA, Senior Class Secretary, Track & Field, FCA, Cross Country



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Nicole Ducharme



December

Cross Country, Wrestling, Beta Club. Beta Talent Group, Music Ministry, School Mascot

Rebel Ambassador, FCA President, Diversity Team President, Retreat Ministry, Campus Ministry Club, Soccer, Volleyball Manager, Executive Board

Congratulations to the Speech & Debate team for their 1st Place Sweepstakes win at the Lafayette High School tournament. Placing 1st: Mary Morgan - Senior Oral Interpretation; Katie Landry – Declamation; Andre' Courville - Junior Extemp; Kathryn Barry - Advanced Lincoln Douglas Debate; Andre' Courville & Chelsea Dore – Advanced Cross Examination. Placing 2nd: Justin Cantu - Senior Extemp; Katie Landry & Brittany Thousand - Junior Duet; Alexis **Lormand** – Junior Oral Interpretation. Placing 3rd: Cassie Boudreaux – Junior Oral Interpretation; Leah Maxwell - Junior Dramatic Interpretation; Gabbie Savoie -

Junior Extemp; Leah Maxwell & Jacob Broussard – Junior Duo; Jean Paul Abshire & Arielle Latiolais - Senior Duo; Jean Paul Abshire & Arielle Latiolais - Senior Duet; Justin Cantu – Advanced Lincoln Douglas Debate & Student Congress. Placing 4th: Jennifer Dupre & Blake Flugence - Senior Duet.

Kudos to Elizabeth Pollard, the new District V Beta Governor. Also, congrats to the group talent entry of Travis Broussard, Jeff LeBlanc, Michael Gauthier, Dustin Tanner, and Dillon Comb who won the district competition and will now advance to the state

competition in January. Also, the TCH Quiz Bowl team of Kathryn Barry, Tyler Begneaud, Chelsea Dore, and Thomas Wartelle advanced to the finals to finish in 2nd place. They will also advance to state competition.

Way to go to the **Speech & Debate** Team for their efforts at the Bolton Tournament. Justin Cantu placed 1st in Advanced Lincoln Douglas, and Samantha Marks placed 2nd in Student Congress.



Great job to the senior girls flag football team, the Juggernauts, who were named Champions in the Lafayette Flag Football League. Also, congrats to coach **Brad Taylor** and assistant coaches John David Withers and **Terrance Mouton** for leading the girls to victory.

Awesome job to the **Speech & Debate** Team for their efforts at the Riverdale Tournament. Individual winners were: Arielle Latiolais -1st in Oral Interpretation & 2nd in Dramatic Interpretation; Cassie Boudreaux & Leah Maxwell – 1st in Duo; Michelle Scelfo – 2nd in Oral Interpretation & 2nd in Original Oratory; **Leah Maxwell** – 3rd in Dramatic Interpretation; Cassie Boudreaux & Samantha Dore – 3rd in Duet Impromtu: Michelle Scelfo & Arielle Latiolais - 4th in Duo Reading.

Hats off to **Jacob Broussard** whose art work was displayed at the Big Easel art show in River Ranch.

Job well done to the Speech & Debate members who placed in the Barbe

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tournament over the Thanksgiving Holidays: **Justin Cantu** – 1st in Student Congress & 3rd in Advanced Lincoln Douglas; **Samantha Marks** – 2nd in Extemporaneous Speaking.

Kudos to **Taylor Papion** who participated in and won in his age division at the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) Southern District Cross Country Championships in Hammond over the Thanksgiving Holidays. The Southern District includes runners from Louisiana and Mississippi. He now qualifies to advance to the national championships in Orlando, Florida. Also, congrats to **Taylor** for being named to the All Acadiana Cross Country Team.

Way to go to **Shane Breaux** for volunteering at the Louisiana Crafts Fair at the Festival Acadiens, helping with the set-up, takedown, and children's area.



Congrats to the following **Speech & Debate** members who traveled to the Glenbrook Invitational Tournament in Chicago, Illinois. Over 220 schools competed from 45 states, and **Blake Flugence** who placed 1st in Prose Poetry, **Jennifer Dupre** who placed 2nd in Original Oratory, and **Mary Morgan** who placed 6th in Prose Poetry represented Teurlings.

Hats off to the TCH Speech & Debate team who competed at the Abbeville High School Speech Tournament and captured 1st place sweepstakes. Individual winners were: Jean Paul Abshire - 1st in Junior Dramatic Interpretation; Brittany Thousand – 1st in Junior Oral Interpretation; Danielle Cottonham – 1st in Senior Oral Interpretation: Katie Landry - 1st in Declamation; Kathryn Barry - 1st in Student Congress; Andre Courville & Justin Cantu - 1st in Ted Turner Debate: Cassie Boudreaux - 2nd in Junior Oral Interpretation; Blake Flugence -2nd in Senior Oral Interpretation; Andre Courville - 2nd in Junior Extemp: **Katie Landry & Brittany Thousand** – 2nd in Junior Duet & Junior Duo; Allie Warren & Sam Hudi – 2nd in Senior Duo; Allie Warren - 3rd in Senior Humorous Interpretation; Gabrielle Savoie - 3rd in Junior Extemp; Cassie Boudreaux & Leah Maxwell -

 3^{rd} in Junior Duet; Samantha Marks -3^{rd} in Student Congress; Jean Paul Abshire & Arielle Latiolais -4^{th} in Senior Duet; Danielle Cottonham & Blake Flugence -4^{th} in Senior Duo; and Cassie Boudreaux & Gabrielle Savoie -4^{th} in Junior Duo. Also congrats to Brittany Thousand for receiving the Thespian Award.

Great job to the following **volleyball** players who were named to the All District Team: 1st Team – **Kara Harrington**, **Christina Angelle**, & **Paige Cormier**; 2nd Team – **Nichole Blanchard** & **Ashleigh Fruge**; Honorable Mention – **Elyse LeBlanc**, **Claire Walley**, & **Rebecca Ashy**. Also, congrats to **Kelly Bergeron** who earned All District MVP honors.

Kudos to Business Computer Application classes for competing in "Cybervivor," a game that uses a similar objective to the reality TV show, Survivor. Mrs. Cheryl Champagne's classes are competing with each other for the highest overall class average at the end of the semester. Small prizes are awarded to the team in the lead, but at the end of the semester, a larger mystery prize will be awarded.



Awesome job to **Dayton Marze** for recently signing with UL Lafayette to play Baseball. Also congrats to **Donna Bourgeouis** for signing with UL Lafayette to play softball, **Megan Granger & Mandy Granger** for signing with Louisiana Tech to play softball, and **Lyndra Bell** for signing with UL Lafayette to play basketball.

Great job to the **Speech & Debate** team who had members competing at two different tournaments in one weekend. At the Isidore Newman tournament, the team received 3rd place sweepstakes; **Kathryn Barry** placed 3rd in Advanced Lincoln Doulgas and she also received the Lincoln Douglas Top Speaker Award. At

the Comeaux High tournament, the team received 1st place sweepstakes and individual winners were: Katie Landry -1st in Declamation; Jennifer Dupre - 1st in Oratory; Jean Paul Abshire - 1st in Junior Oral Interpretation & Junior Dramatic Interpretation: Allie Warren - 1st in Senior Humorous Interpretation; Cassie Boudreaux & Leah Maxwell - 1st in Junior Duet; Mary Morgan & Danielle Cottonham - 1st in Senior Duet; Leah Maxwell & Jacob Broussard - 1st in Junior Duo; Blake Flugence & Danielle Cottonham - 1st in Senior Duo; Leah Maxwell - 2nd in Junior Oral Interpretation & 3rd in Dramatic Interpretation; Mary Morgan - 2nd in Senior Oral Interpretation; Kay Manuel - 2nd in Junior Dramatic Interpretation; Danielle Cottonham - 2nd in Senior Dramatic Interpretation: Cassie Boudreaux & Gabrielle Savoie - 2nd in Junior Duo; Jean Paul Abshire & Arielle Latiolais - 3rd in Senior Duo; Katie Landry & Brittany Thousand - 4th in Junior Duo & Junior Duet: Allie Warren & Sam Hudi - 4th in Senior Duo; Jennifer Dupre & Blake Flugence - 4th in Senior Duet. Also congrats to Jean Paul Abshire who received the Thespian Award.

Way to go to the following football players who were named to the All District Football Team: 1st Team Offense - Mitchell Pearce, Andrew Hebert, Tyler Harbourt, Josh Benoit, Hunter Fuselier, Taylor Dugas, Elliot Hebert, & Spencer Ortego; 1st Team Defense - Austin Proctor, Derek Delcambre, Phillip Ford, & Jordan Miller; 2nd Team Offense - Marshall Collins; 2nd Team Defense - John David Withers, Tim Duhon, & Seth Perret; and Taylor Dugas was named Offensive Most Valuable Player.

Good job to **Harry Rosenberg** who received an Honorable Mention in the 2006 Louisiana Violence Prevention Alliance Essay contest sponsored by the Lafayette Parish school system.

Awesome job to **Tyler Harbourt** who made an appearance as Santa Claus at School Time. The store received many compliments on his outstanding performance.

Congrats to the following **volleyball** players who were recently named to the All Acadiana Volleyball Team: 1st Team - **Kara Harrington** & 2nd Team - **Kelly Bergeron**.

More Of YOU...Less Of Me

Campus Ministry

In Your Face

A group of seniors attended the "In Your Face" Youth Conference in Alexandria, La. on December 2nd. The day was filled with prayer, reflection, and praise & worship. Several people shared their testimonies and faith journeys with the youth. The day was a wonderful way to begin the season of Advent.

The Season of Advent

As we prepare for the coming of Jesus Christ, we take time each week to reflect on our own spiritual journey through morning prayer and by lighting candles on the Advent wreaths in class. This Advent season we ask Jesus to strengthen us to be people of compassion, forgiveness, and love.

Christmas "Child Smile" Project

Throughout the month of December, students donated shoeboxes, toys, school supplies, and other small gifts for a very worthy cause! This year, we participated in the Christmas Child Smile Project sponsored by the Diocese of Lafayette. Shoeboxes were wrapped and filled with toys and treats to be delivered to children whose parents are incarcerated as well as victims of the recent hurricanes. The Campus Ministry Club organized and delivered boxes on December 18th. Thanks to everyone who participated.

"Is HE in You?" ~ Sophomore Retreat

December 6th was a day to be remembered by the Sophomore Class. The Retreat Ministry Team held a retreat filled with inspirational talks, small group activities, and games to bring the class together. The theme, "Is He in You?" was intended to make everyone stop and think about if and how he or she brings Jesus into their lives. Faith can play such a big role in our everyday choices and decisions if we allow Jesus into our hearts. Special thanks to Nicole Ducharme and Trey Patin for planning the retreat and all the Retreat Ministry leaders for their leadership.

Rebel Revival: "Get Wrapped Up in God's 'Presents'"

The chapel was the setting for our Rebel Revival on December 12th! The theme, "Wrapped Up in God's 'Presents'" was meant to remind us of the true meaning of Christmas in all the hustle and bustle. We

spent an hour in God's presence, praying, reflecting on our own lives, singing, listening to a senior testimony, and joining in fellowship with one another. Thanks to Heather Andrew and Madison Montelero for planning the peaceful evening.

Once again, the freshman class portrayed the Live Nativity in the

Live Nativity

gym. The music ministry participated by singing beautiful Christmas songs to set the tone. Special thanks to Mrs. Adrienne Brame and the freshman class for an outstanding performance. See page 9 for **pictures!**

Upcoming Events

- Senior Retreat in Dry Creek, La, January 14th-15th
- Rebel Revival, January 17th TCH Walk for Life,
- Monday, January 22nd at 12:00pm
- Catholic Schools Week,
- January 19th February 2nd

* A reminder that everyone is invited to attend our weekly masses and prayer services every Thursday at 8:36am in the RebelDome.

Campus Minister ~ Ramey Badeaux, Department Head ~ George Stonecipher Leslie Bergeron, Adrienne Brame, Anika Breaux, Dona Dugas, Tiffany Dugas, Liz Snyder

Fall Festival

Sponsored by: Key Club

October 31, 2006













TCH Day & Open House

November 16, 2006

















All Saints Liturgy November 1, 2006









Blood Drive November 8, 2006



Live Nativity December 14, 2006

Thanks to Mrs. Adrienne Brame & the Freshman class for their organization of and participation in the Live Nativity.



Senior Luncheon December 14, 2006

Thanks to Ramey Badeaux, Tiffany Dugas, Lettie Guilbeau & all senior parents who helped make this event a memorable one for the senior class.



COUNSELOR'S CORNER

Anna Proctor & Milton Rohm

- **ACT**: Deadline to register for the February test is January 5, 2007.
- **Juniors** are encouraged to take the ACT at least once this year if not more.
- **Seniors**: Deadline for the UL Scholarship is January 31, 2007. Students must apply for admission to be considered.
- **Seniors** are reminded to check the scholarship announcement board in room 20.
- The **FAFSA**, Free Application for Federal Student Aid, will be handed out to all seniors before the holidays. This is the **TOPS** application and financial aid application. The FAFSA can not be mailed until after January 1, 2007. Apply online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. This is faster and easier. You must submit the FAFSA to qualify for TOPS or any financial grants or loans offered by the government. Any questions, call Mrs. Proctor at ext. 108.
- The **Practice ACT/PLAN** test results are in for all 9th and 10th grade students. They will be mailed home with the 1st semester report cards in January. Any questions, call Coach Rohm at ext. 114.

TASC \$10,000 Raffle & RABC Silent Auction

On January 27, 2007, the Teurlings All Sports Club and the Rebel Academic Backers Club will be having their annual \$10,000 Raffle Dance & Silent Auction. The event will be held at the Dupuis Center at Brown Park on Pont des Mouton Road. Anyone interested in attending is welcome to purchase a ticket. The cost of the ticket includes admission for 2 adults, a chance to win \$10,000, the opportunity to bid on several items at the auction, free food, and 5 free drink tickets per person. Also, a D.J. will provide music, and a dance floor will be set up. There are only 400 tickets to be sold and they are going fast, so don't miss out!

Call Tina Stroderd at 235-5711, ext. 110 to order a ticket, or mail in the order form below with your check. Make checks payable to TASC.

Name:	
Address:	
City:	ZIP:
Phone:	Check #:
Split: yes / no	Amount:
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Rebel Academic Backers Club (RABC) Silent Auction

In conjunction with the TASC dance and raffle Saturday, January 27, 2007 8:00 - 10:30 P.M.

"Key Ring Bling"

Does YOUR ring hold the key to the Bling? Reserve your key for a chance to win a pair of:

.87ctw Diamond Solitaire Earrings

Donated by: PAUL'S JEWELRY

\$25.00/ticket or \$100.00/5 tickets

Tickets will be redeemed for reserved key ring(s) on auction night only*

Only \$10,000 Dance ticket holders are eligible to purchase a Key Ring Bling.

For <u>Dance Tickets</u>: contact Tina Stroderd at TCH, 235-5711 x 110.

For <u>Key Ring Bling</u> info: Kellie Trosclair (337) 781-5962 or Colette Anzalone (337) 288-0283

The Secret Garden

The Teurlings Catholic Drama Department is proud to present its 2007 musical, "The Secret Garden."

February 1-2 at 9:00am & 7:00pm February 3 at 7:00pm February 4 at 2:00pm

Angelle Hall, UL Lafayette campus

Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for students or free with a TCH ID.

Cast members: Mary Morgan, Blake Flugence, Danielle Cottonham, Jean Paul Abshire, Jennifer Dupre, Dustin Lafleur, Jacob Broussard, Lindsay Primeaux, Phillip Fisher, Ali Beslin, Bittany Morvant, Arielle Latiolais, Leah Maxwell, Sophie Theriot, Chelsea Dore, Kay Manuel, Gerard Ducharme, Kasie Dugas, & Melodie Stanley.



District Champs! Rebel Boys Cross Country Team

Captial Campaign Update

The year 2006 has been a busy one for the Capital Campaign of Teurlings Catholic High School. We have seen our share of bulldozers, excavators, concrete trucks and hard hats around the campus this year. However, today, if you take a walk around the campus you will likely see the following:

- Students learning, teachers teaching and all enjoying their new classrooms;
- Rebel athletes getting better, stronger, and faster in the new weight room;
- The boys and girls basketball players and coaches settling into their new offices and locker rooms;
- The TCH Administration being humbly grateful for the continued generosity of Rebel Alumni, Parents, Grandparents and Friends.

Each one of you, who has so generously donated to our capital campaign, can take satisfaction in knowing that your gifts are having a direct and positive impact on TCH today and for many years to come.

Construction on the Athletic Complex continues. The football locker room, training room and showers will be completed in the first part of 2007. However, we are still in need of approximately \$80,000 to finish the building. So as you think about your yearend giving, please prayerfully consider a generous gift to advance the *TCHS* mission *To Channel His Spirit* in the lives of our students.

We would like to extend an invitation to all TCH Parents, Grandparents, Alumni, and friends to come by and see our progress. We couldn't have done it without your support!

"ADOPT-A-LOCKER" PROGRAM CONTINUES in 2007

Thank you to all Rebel Alumni, Parents, and Fans who have already donated \$100.00 to reserve the locker (jersey) number of their choice in honor of a current or former Rebel football player. For those of you who have not yet adopted a locker, we hope you will consider doing so to help build upon the TCHS legacy.

With a \$100 donation, a plaque with the name, position, jersey number, and seasons played will be mounted on a Football locker. Every current and future TCHS player that wears a Rebel jersey will know the history and tradition of the number. REBEL fans and alumni will also have the opportunity to participate in the program with a plaque mounted on the respective locker. Contact Angela Delhomme, Capital Campaign Director at adelhomme@tchs.net to reserve your jersey number. Thank you for your support and REBEL Pride!

Wishes Granted

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Academic Departments (Restricted Gifts)

Target Winn Dixie Albertson's

Annual Appeal for Enhancement

Robert & Marlene Sonnier (Gannon 10) Cathy & Jay Falcon (Amie 12)

Beta District Convention

Stacy Arceneaux (Bridget Savoie 11) Boo Arceneaux Pam & Allen Abshire (JeanPaul 10) Marilyn Tanner (Dustin 12, Bannon 11) Jeanelle Menard (Toni 12) Cindy Courville (Caroline 11) Mary Pollard (Elizabeth 10, Julia 10) Kim Allain (Emma 12, Robert 10) Terry Conque (Mark Anthony 10) Regina Robichaux (Kayan 10) Hope Durand (Lauren 10)

Cafeteria Building Repair

Dwayne Patin - Custom Sheet Metal

Capital Campaign **Director Angie Delhomme**

Anonymous Quality NDT Brandy & Scott Quebedeaux Adopt-A-Locker

Jed Angelle in honor of Trey & Alex Angelle Susan Blakely in honor of Scott Blakely Jim & Joan Craft in honor of Ross Craft Connie & Charles Cunningham in honor of Charles Cunningham

Scott & Toni Dueitt in honor of Jett Dueitt

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, As Development Director, I am privileged to work with all of you--parents, alumni, and Friends--and witness first hand

the generous acts of kindness that take place on our campus. It is because of you that Teurlings Catholic is the wonderful school that it is. Thank you for your loyalty and support of our students, teachers, and programs. May God bless you with peace and happiness throughout the year!

Aline P. Norwood

Classroom Wishes Fulfilled Prayer Tables

Kenneth & Joann Lecompte (Kristy 11) Tujuana Chambers (Eugene Murray 12) Terry G. Madden (Whitley 10)

Prayer Table Scarfs

Becky Vincent (Christopher 10)

Wall Clocks

Tujuana Chambers (Eugene Murray 12) Terry G. Madden (Whitley 10)

Theology Classroom Needs

Tujuana Chambers (Eugene Murray 12) Terry G. Madden (Whitley 10)

Wishes

Contact Aline Norwood in the Development Office for assistance with your gifts to Teurlings Catholic. 235-5711 Ext. 105 or anorwood@tchs.net

36" Stool for podium

A stool is needed by Ms. Breaux in math classroom #9.

Academic Pep Rally

Monetary contributions for t-shirts, decorations, lights, and stage equipment is requested for this event by Dona Dugas.

Adopt-A-Locker

If you would like to dedicate a locker in the new athletic locker room in honor or in memory of a TCH athlete, contact Angela Delhomme Ext. 150.

Don Foley Memorial

Rosalind Foley Cigna Corporation

Monsignor Teurlings Photo

Linda Laurents Savoy TCH '59

R.A.B.C. Hospitality **Open House** Debra Billeaud, Chair

Paula Antoine (Anthony 10) June Arton (Andrew 12)

Sammye Bates (Daniel 11, Paige, 10)

Alice Begneaud (Tyler 12) Debra Billeaud (Erin 10)

Linda Blackwell (Alaina 10)

Debbie Boudreaux (Brook 12)

Lisa Breaux (Lance Boudreaux 10)

Toni Cade (Brittany 10)

Tara Callais (Callie 12)

Teresa Champagne (Kayli 9)

Ann Cortez (Josh 9)

Sheila Courville (Andre 10)

Laura Degeytair (Drew 10)

Monica Domingue (Landon 10)

Teri Dooley (Lindsay 12, Briston 9)

Therese Doucet (Luke 9)

Ann Dugas (Kasie 9)

Alice Duhon (Tyler Anderson 12) Julie Duplechain (Allyson 9)

Laurie Dupuis (Barbie 9)

Hope Durand (Lauren 10)

Cathy Falcon (Amie 12)

Lisa Gardner (Eric 9)

Pam Greenman (Elizabeth 10)

Gwen Grimsley (Matthew 11, Kimberly 9)

Gwen Guidroz (Brittany Morvant 10)

Lettie Guilbeau (Amy 12)

Bonnie Hardy (Stephen 9)

Cindy Judice (Leah 10)

Penelope Latiolais (Arielle 11, Angelique 9) Brittany Meagher (Taylor 9)

Jeannine Menard (Colleen 9)

Lisa Patin (Todd 11)

Janet Ray (Jordan 11, Jenna 9)

Melissa Robichaux (Holden 10)

Cheryl Robicheaux (Brittany 12) Kathleen Rosenberg (Harry 9)

Monica Salopek (Stephen 9)

Denise Scelfo (Michelle 11, Megan 9) Gwyn Theriot (Ashleigh 10)

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Becky Vincent (Chris 10)
Tressa Trahan (Ashley 10)
Joni Thomas (Steven 10)
Therese Hollier (Allyson 12, Michael 9)
Mandy Fisher (Maggie 12, Phillip 10)
Susan & Craig Andrew (Heather 12, Allyce 10)
Carla Thousand (Brittany 10)
Sara Ashy (Lauren 10)
Don's Speciality Meat-The Cole Family
(Brandon 9)

R.A.B.C. Faculty & Staff Recognition Program Christmas Treat Bags

CC's Coffee - Danny Hebert (Erica 12, Michael 11)

Breaux's Flowers - The Richey Family (Jeremi 10)

Connie Thibodeaux (Misti 10)
Kathy Rosenberg (Harry 9)
Debbie Boudreaux (Brook 12)
Bonnie Hardey (Stephen 9)
Cindy Judice (Leah 10)
Jill Thibodeaux (Alex 9)
Anne Savoy (Andrew 9)
Monica Salopek (Stephen 9)
Diann Comeaux (Seth 12, Beth 9)
Kim Allain (Emma 12, Robert, 10)
Robbie Schexnailder (Sam 9)
Robin Harbourt (Tyler 11, Lee 9)
Lori Lafleur (Heather 9)

November Luncheon

Monica Salopek (Stephen 9) Diann Comeaux (Seth 12, Beth 9) June Arton (Andrew 12) Sally & Danny Comb (Dillon 10)

December Luncheon

Ann Dugas (Kasie 9)
Charlotte Desormeaux (Kristin 9)
Brittney Meagher (Taylor 9)
Stacy Arceneaux (Bridget Savoie 9)
Christine Angelle (Alex 9)
Julie Champagne (Ross 10)
Sheila Courville (Andre 10)

R.A.B.C. Mailouts

Cindy Courville (Caroline 11)
Sally Comb (Dillon 10)
Tammy Guidry (Hunter 11, Haylee 9)

R.A.B.C. Student Incentives

Tommy & Angie Miller (Jordan11) Kent & Betsy Pierret (Seth 11)

R.A.B.C. Silent Auction

Robicheaux Ranch, Inc. St. Mary Sugar Co-operative, Inc.

Speech & Debate

Merla Matthews (Blake Flugence 11) Gerald & Linda Landry (Luke '05)

Karl & Karen Barry (Kathryn 12, Amanda 9) Melody A. Allen (Billy Ray 12) Kinney & Denise Benoit (Adam '03) Jeannine B. Prather (Nathan '02) Allen & Pamela Abshsire (Jean Paul 10) Ted & Liz Pavy (Garrett '05) Darrell & Sarah Guidry (Bonnie '01) Mark & Mary Attales (Jordan 9) Ellis & Lettie Guilbeau (Tracy '04 & Amy 12) Sherry Savoie (Gabbie 10) Alice & Michael Cavanaugh (Matt '03) Emma & Joe Domingue In Memory of Georgia D. Breaux Oran & Judy Leger In Memory of Georgia D. Breaux Kathy & Steve Pitre (Andre '02) Donnie & Debbie Cormier (Amelia '03) Kylen Wijayasuriya '03 Danny & Patricia Cottonham (Danielle 11)

Work/Study Tuition Assistance

Frances & Orlando Bendana (James, New Orleans) Roddy Richard TCH 83 Endowment





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Use your scan card, and a percentage of your grocery bill earns cash for TCH. Visit www.albertsons.com. Click on "In The Community" then click on the Community Partners logo link. Once you log in, click on "Sign me up." Money earned goes directly back into TCH Academics!

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Boys Specer Schedule			Girls Specer Schedule		
Dec. 23	ESA	Away	Dec. 30	E. D. White	Home
Dec. 27	Notre Dame*	Away	Jan. 3	ESA*	Away
Dec. 29-30	Laf. HS Tourney	Away	Jan. 6	Catholic High NI*	Away
Jan. 3	Westminster*	Home	Jan. 10	St. Louis*	Home
Jan. 6	Catholic High NI*	Away	Jan. 17	ESA*	Home
Jan. 10	St. Louis*	Home	Jan. 20	Parkview Baptist	Home
Jan. 13	Notre Dame*	Home	Jan. 24	Catholic High NI*	Home
Jan. 17	ESA*	Home	Jan. 27	St. Louis	Away
Jan. 20	Westminster*	Away	Jan. 31	Carencro	Home
Jan. 24	Catholic High NI*	Home			
Jan. 27	St. Louis*	Away			



TCH Sports Update

Congrats for WINS!

Cross Country

<u>Comeaux meet</u>: Boys team - 7th of 16 teams; **Michael Hebert** ran personal best time.

District meet: Boys team - 1st; Placing in the Top 10: Taylor Papion 2nd, Drew Bergeron 3rd, Michael Hebert 6th, Anthony Conque 7th, Dustin Lafleur 8th, Gerard Ducharme 10th. Sarah Quebedeaux placed 7th.

State meet: Boys team - 4th Overall & Taylor Papion placed 9th Overall. BOYS DISTRICT CHAMPS!!! GREAT SEASON!!!

Football

Varsity: Erath, Kaplan, Franklinton (Bi-District), Jennings (Regionals). DISTRICT CHAMPS!!! GREAT SEASON!!!

Volleyball

Varsity: Rayne (play-offs) DISTRICT

RUNNERS-UP! GREAT SEASON!!!

Swim

Recent meet: 2nd Overall; the relay team of Alex Fitzgerald, Angelina Wagnon, Carolyn Walley, & Barbie Dupuis placed 1st in the 200 Medley & 2nd in the 200 Free Relay; Angelina Wagnon - 1st in 100 & 200 Freestyle; Alex Fitzgerald - 3rd in 100 Freestyle & 1st in 100 Breaststroke; Morgan Mendez - 2nd in 100 Backstroke; Barbie Dupuis - 3rd in 100 Breaststroke.

State meet: Girls - 8th Place finish; 200 medley team of Alex Fitzgerald, Barbie Dupuis, Angelina Wagnon, & Mariya Lemaire - 8th; 200 Freestyle medley team of Alex Fitzgerald, Carolyn Walley, Angelina Wagnon, & Mariya Lemaire - 7th; Angelina Wagnon - 7th in 200 Freestyle & 100 Freestyle; Alex Fitzgerald - 10th in 100 Breaststroke. GREAT SEASON!!!

Boys Soccer

JV: New Iberia Senior High (scrimmage) Varsity: New Iberia Senior High (scrimmage), Comeaux, 1st in Carencro Invitational Tournament, Abbeville, St. Thomas More

Girls Soccer

Alexandria

Girls Basketball

Acadiana, Sam Houston, Ascension Catholic, Dutchtown & Belaire (Episcopal tourney), Berwick, Comeaux

Boys Basketball

Lake Arthur, North Vermilion, Opelousas Catholic, ESA, 3rd Place in TCH tourney, Berwick, Hanson

Wrestling

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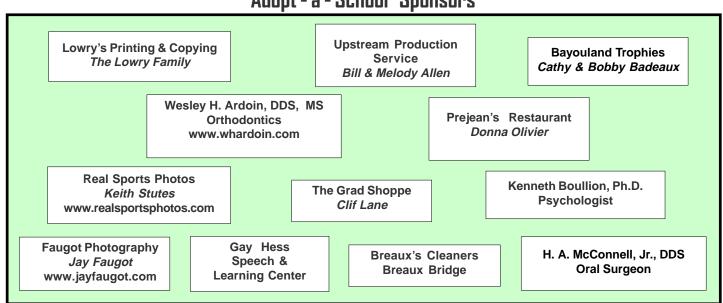
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