



Friday, February 17, 2012  
**ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL**  
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*President's Day*

**BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**

Date	Time	Team	Opponent	Location
2/17/12	6 pm	5/6 Boys Blue	OLA	SBS
2/17/12	8 pm	7/8 Boys Red	St. Mary	SBS
2/18/12	8 am	5/6 Boys White	St. Stephen	SBS
2/18/12	1 pm	7/8 Boys Blue	OLA	SBS
2/18/12	3 pm	7/8 Boys White	Assumption	SBS
2/19/12	5 pm	5/6 Girls	Venerini	SBS

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

- 2/17-18** – Novena continues and ends with Mass 2-18
- 2/20** President's Day Holiday – **no classes no Ext. Day**
- 2/20-24** February Break, Extended Day open **2/21-24**
- 2/28** - Confessions (Reconciliation)
- 3/5-16** Diocesan Terra Nova Testing Gr. 2-7
- 3/16** **NO BUSSES – Noon Dismissal / Prof. Dev. Day**  
Extended Day available Noon – 6pm with sign-up
- 3/17** - St. Patrick's Day
- 3/19** - St. Joseph's Feast Day
- 3/23** Arts Night 6:30 pm
- 3/26** Worcester Diocese Mass for Life
- 3/31** Diocesan Declamation Contest
- 6/15/12** – Golf Tournament – Save the date!

**Save the dates for the Scholastic Book Fair!**

**Mon-Thurs. March 5,6,7,8, 9:30-2:30 - In the Library - All Grades!** With special parent-child time: Wed from 3-6. Donate a dollar for "Bucks for Books" to help fill our teachers' wish lists! **To donate, fill out the "t-shirt" and put it in an envelope with a dollar with the student's name, teacher's name, and "book fair" on the envelope.** There will be a box in the main office to collect these. Students who participate will have their name entered into a raffle. One lucky student will win a free book!!

**IMPORTANT HEALTH OFFICE NEWS**

Dear Parents of students in **grades 5 to 8.** We will be doing the **state mandated scoliosis screening** on the following dates: **February 28th and March 14th 2012.** Please have your child wear their gym clothes on both of those days and girls should wear a sports bra as well. If you have any questions, please contact the health office (508) 351-2945.  
 Thank you - Gail F. Clapp, RN,BSN Robyn Sharp, RN,BSN

**PACE ADVOCACY DAY**

March 9th is PACE Advocacy Day at the Massachusetts State House. PACE, "Parents Alliance for Catholic Education", is comprised of parents like you who simply want to support Catholic education in Massachusetts. PACE has many priorities, however, its primary focus is to build legislative support for parental choice in education across this state. To this end, Dr. Fred Kalisz, Chief Executive Director of PACE, will visit St. Bernadette School on Wednesday, February 29th, from 1:45PM to 2:30PM. This meeting will introduce the PACE mission and prepare interested parents for March 9th's visit with their legislators. All are welcomed to attend this St. Bernadette informational meeting, without obligation to participate in Advocacy Day next month. As last year's 5th Grade Advocacy Day field trip was such an overwhelming success, we will be opening this event to all grades, asking only that parents accompany their children while at the State House. Free round-trip bus transportation will be provided. Anyone interested in participating in either event, or needing additional information should contact Marje Cernigliaro at [mcernigliaro2@yahoo.com](mailto:mcernigliaro2@yahoo.com).