

CSAC News – March/2006

With the first day of Spring just a few weeks away, students and parents alike are no doubt anticipating the warmer, longer days ahead. Here are some of the CSAC activities that lie ahead.

A set of proposed CSAC bylaws has been drafted and will be presented at the next Council meeting for approval. These bylaws describe many of the important operating principles and procedures that govern the activities of the Council in its efforts to represent the St. Louis Catholic School community. A copy of the proposed bylaws will be posted on the CSAC bulletin board should you wish to review them. It is our hope that this set of bylaws will assist both old and new Council members alike and provide a helpful framework for the formation and activities of future Councils.

The custom greeting card fundraiser is officially underway. According to the present schedule, students will create their artwork during the last week of March. The artwork along with an information sheet and an order form will be sent home on Monday April 3 and is due back at school along with full payment on Friday April 7. As a reminder, participating students will have their artwork recreated into custom sets of 12 professional quality greeting cards that will display the students' artwork on the front along with a brief

biography of the student artists on the back. The cost of the sets, including envelopes, will be \$20.00 for the first set and \$15.00 for each additional set.

We anticipate distributing the completed card sets to our student artists during the first week of May.

We are very excited about this new fundraising activity. It not only allows all of our students to be creative, but it gives each and every one of them an opportunity to share their artistic visions with their families and the rest of the school community as well as to contribute in a direct and tangible way to our fundraising efforts. It is truly a "win-win" activity for all involved.

We hope to see remarkable support from you for this unique fundraising activity.

Our next CSAC meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 23 at 7:00 PM in the St. Louis Catholic School library. Please consider attending to offer your thoughts on the proposed bylaws or any other issues that you believe should be brought to our attention. As always, we hope to see you there.