

St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic School

Strength in academics --- Respect for others --- Belief in Christian values

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Dear Parents:

Happy Valentine's Day!

Our day got off to a great start thanks to Mrs. Travis and the First Graders as they treated us to the Annual Teddy Bear Parade. Colorfully decorated floats were marched up and down the hallways as all the school students cheered on the first graders. I think the older students were remembering their Teddy Bear Parade.

Congratulations to our newly confirmed 8th graders! St. Robert Bellarmine Parish presented our youth to be confirmed this past Saturday. We were joined in celebration by Bishop Cepeda. Please continue to keep these students in your prayers.

Box Tops Challenge continues this week. Each class is in competition to collect the most amount of Box Tops by February 29th. The school receives .10 for every Box Top we submit. It is amazing how quickly these labels add up. Not sure what products are included? Go to www.boxtops.com for a complete listing. Happy Clipping!

As I told you last week, I have a friend who is going on a church mission to India. Her group is collecting used eyeglasses to bring to those in need. If you have any used eyeglasses just sitting in your drawer at home, please consider sending them in to donate by February 28th. Thanks.

The response to our *Teens for Jeans* project was overwhelming. We will continue to take any donations until this Thursday. Thank you for your generosity. As an award for a job well done all the students may have a jeans day this Thursday.

Our mid-winter break begins after school on Thursday. We return to school on Wednesday, February 22, which is Ash Wednesday. Join us for mass at 8:30AM.

Enjoy the remainder of the week and the long winter break weekend.

Mrs. Kuszczak