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*The fear of the Lord is the beginning  
of wisdom; and the knowledge of the  
Holy One is understanding.  
Proverbs 9:10*

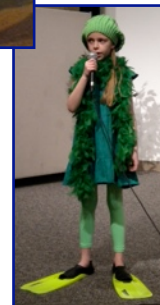
## Scotfield's Got Talent

CONGRATULATIONS to all of the students who participated in the annual SCS Talent Show on Thursday, March 4th. Once again, these students prove that SCS students are very talented!

### Mrs. Martin's Message

What a joy to see our students using their gifts and talents for the Lord. As you read through the newsletter, you will see all the outstanding accomplishments of our students. From A to Z, you will see the names of our Math Olympians, pianists, singers, talent show and science fair participants. Congratulations to ALL our students for their hard work throughout the year!

"Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men." Col. 3:23



# SCS Happenings



While reading *The Hiding Place*, the sixth grade students discovered in a small way what it felt like to be a persecuted Jew in Holland. Over the course of two days a group of students was forced to wear a yellow Star of David designating them as Jews. Their desks were subject to seizure, their classroom jobs were taken away, and they could not speak unless spoken to by a Righteous Gentile. They also had to walk at the end of the line and sit at a separate table at lunch. The students created a “hiding place” in their classroom where the Jews ran and hid when the Gestapo came to search for them.

Mrs. Craig’s second grade students have been studying about fossils and dinosaurs. Each student created and made his/her own dinosaur and wrote a report about it at home. The students brought their dinosaurs to school on February 22nd and shared their reports with their classmates. The dinosaurs stayed in the hallway all week for the rest of the school to see. The dinosaurs were very creative and interesting!



Congratulations to Mrs. Nelson’s fifth graders for a job well done! The students turned in their Science Fair projects on Tuesday, February 23rd after working diligently the last couple of months on following the “Scientific Method”. Each student gave an oral presentation on his/her project and its outcome. The projects were on display during Open House.

Mrs. Hatfield’s third grade has been studying about our nation’s flag. Last week they learned who made the Star Spangled Flag and how big it had to be to fly over Ft. McHenry. The only place they could find to walk out the measurements was the SCS parking lot! It’s hard to see, but the flag was 6 parking spaces long and 3 parking spaces wide (approximately 42’ x 30’). They were all impressed by the size and by the enormous skill that Mary Pickersgill had in order to create it.



At the end of their study about the rain forest, Mrs. Craig’s second grade students went on a field trip to the Dallas World Aquarium. They enjoyed all of God’s interesting sea creatures and especially enjoyed wandering through the rain forest section. They watched the baby sloth eating, they fed a parrot, and they saw the otters being fed. It was fun for them to actually see what they had been studying during their rain forest unit.

Pastor Elmer (el-may) is a pastor of the First Baptist Church of Parintins, Brazil. Miss Bottom's fourth grade class has been praying for him and his family this year. He was able to meet with the 4<sup>th</sup> graders and share information about his family and ministry. It's pretty amazing to see how God works!



Sixth graders Murial Bezanson and Sarah Bowen and fifth grader Patrick Daniels participated in the ACSI Area Math Olympics on Friday, February 26th at Prestonwood Christian Academy. These three students willingly gave up their day off of school to participate.

All three students received Superior ribbons! Murial took third place overall in sixth grade Computation and Patrick took fourth place overall in fifth grade Reasoning.

Congratulations to the following voice and piano students who performed in the Richardson Music Teachers Association Sonatina Festival on Saturday, February 27th. All received either a superior or an excellent rating for their solo performances.

Voice Students: Rachel Burroughs, Rebecca Franko, Rachel Franko, Natalie Regan, Peyton Robinson, Tess Wight and Jordan Wilson

Piano Students: Hannah Hatfield and Jordan Wilson



# PTF NEWS!

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

PTF Scholarship Applications are now available in the SCS office for the 2010-2011 school year.

Deadlines for applications and all required documentation is Thursday, April 1.

If you have any questions, please contact Gloria Brinkman in the school office, or Amy Smith.

## PTF OFFICERS, New and Improved

Our school needs YOU!!!

Nominations for PTF Officers will be distributed after Spring Break.

Please start prayerfully considering now how you can serve the school and our Lord through the next school year.

If you have any questions, please contact Amy Smith.

## SCS Family Breakfast

Mark your calendars for Wednesday, March 24th for the Family Breakfast.

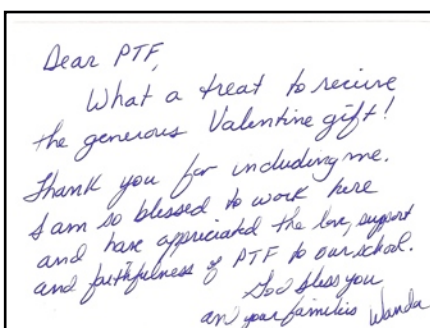
The breakfast will be in the gym starting at 7:15 am.

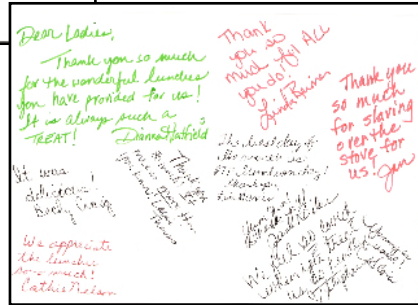
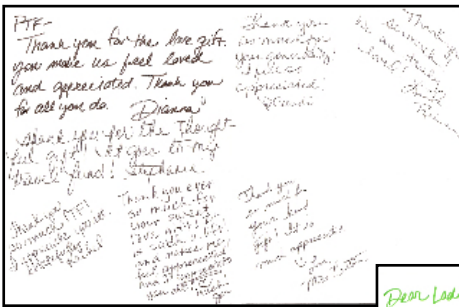
After breakfast, please plan to attend chapel with your child(ren) to see the 1st-3rd graders in their mini musical "The Tortoise and the Hare".

Please RSVP to this event through your Evite. If you did not receive an Evite to this event, please contact the school office so you can be added to our distribution list.



The Faculty and Staff of SCS wish to thank the PTF for the Valentine love gift, for the monthly lunches and for all of their support throughout the year!





## Computer "Stars of the Week"

Here are this week's computer "Stars of the Week":

- 5K Thames: Joe Elms and Daniel Musgrave
- 1st Jackson/2 Craig: Olivia Stanton and Margot Jones
- 3rd Hatfield: Graham Bezanson and Josh Montgomery
- 4th Bottom: Gabi Noriega and Mac Brown
- 5th Nelson: Abby Erschen and Dan Reimer
- 6th Harris: Kylie Smith and Colin Rankin

## Spring is almost here. Do you know where your flowers are??



The Bi-Annual Scofield Christian School PTF Plant Sale is here!

Order forms are available through the SCS website ([www.scofieldchristian.org](http://www.scofieldchristian.org)), in the SCS office, and in the SMC church office.

Orders are due by Sunday, April 4th.  
Plants will be available for pick-up Saturday, April 10th.

Proceeds benefit school-wide improvements.

Questions? Contact Amy Smith  
([tx.aquamom@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tx.aquamom@sbcglobal.net) or 214/221-8608).

## SCS Parent-Board Forum

It was the privilege of the SCS Board to present two Parent-Board Forums several weeks ago. The board shared their goals and plans for the current and upcoming school years. If you were unable to attend, the minutes from these meetings are available to you on our website as well as in the school office.

## Box Tops for Education



We are almost there! We are close to collecting 3,000 Box Tops! Each child that turns in at least 5 box tops to the office will receive a box tops pencil, while supplies last.

All students received an ice cream treat at lunch time for reaching 2,000 box tops!



Scofield Christian School is ready to kick-off our annual season of giving with the PTF Jog A Fun and the 2010 Annual Fund Drive. Saddle up and partner with us this spring!

Save the Date: Jog A Fun - March 23, 2010

Save the Date: Annual Fund Dinner - May 1, 2010

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Please note that the Jog-A-Fun date has been changed to Friday, March 26th.

Packets went home this week with the youngest child in each family.

Questions?? Call Kelly Franko at 214-342-0680

## Dates to Remember

- March 10: 3rd grade field trip
- March 12: ACSI Choral Festival
- March 15-19: Spring Break
- March 22: Classes Resume
- March 23: 6th grade Science Fair
- March 24: Family Breakfast
- 1st-3rd Mini Musical in Chapel