

Nativity Catholic School

PARENTS IN PARTNERSHIP – Parent Service Requirement 2010-2011

In addition to meeting financial commitments to the school, each family is asked to provide parent stewardship service points (hours) to support the activities and fundraising projects that sustain our efforts to continue to offer affordable tuition in addition to maintaining an excellent school environment. *Unfulfilled service requirements will be billed at a rate of \$20.00/hour are considered a financial obligation that must be completed before a student can begin the next school year. Please remember that one stewardship point equals one stewardship hour.*

****Please note** – Parent service requirements are not intended to penalize or create hardship for any of our families, they are intended to provide an opportunity for school parents to participate in fundraisers and activities that specifically support the operating budget of the school thus supporting lower tuition costs.

To that end if your family CANNOT for some reason (work, illness, family emergency, etc.) complete their School stewardship hour requirement we will make arrangements for you to complete the hours at a fundraising event. It is the Parent responsibility to notify the Stewardship Office in writing of their inability to complete the requirement.

- **K – 8 (2 Parent Family) 20 Service Points Required = To be obtained as follows:**
 - 12 NOVEMBERFEST Hours** = 12 volunteer service hours at Novemberfest.
 - 4 STEWARDSHIP Hours** = 4 volunteer service hours in support of a school activity or event identified through the Parents Stewardship Club or other parent organization (e.g. lunchroom, library, Book Fair, Grandparents Day, Alumni activities, HR parent, ETE, SAC, Finance, Booster Club, School musical, etc.)
 - 4 AUCTION Hours** = 4 volunteer service hours or the equivalent (value \$80) of your talent or treasure to support the Auction & Gala fundraiser (e.g. a tangible donation of same value for the event, or procurement of a donation (same value) from outside source, or 4 hours on any Auction committee - such as decorating, setup, sponsorships, advertising, class baskets, class projects, etc.)
- **K - 8 (Single Parent Family) - 12 Total Points = To be obtained as follows:**
 - 6 NOVEMBERFEST Hours** = 6 volunteer service hours at Novemberfest.
 - 2 STEWARDSHIP Hours** = 2 volunteer service hours in support of a school activity or event identified through the Parents Stewardship Club or other parent organization (e.g. lunchroom, library, Book Fair, Grandparents Day, Alumni activities, Home Room parent, ETE, SAC, Finance, Booster Club, School musical, etc.)
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- **EC Parent family - 12 Total Points = To be obtained as follows:**
 - 6 NOVEMBERFEST Hours** = 6 volunteer service hours at Novemberfest.
 - 2 STEWARDSHIP Hours** = 2 volunteer service hours in support of a school activity or event identified through the Parents Stewardship Club or other parent organization (e.g. lunchroom, library, Book Fair, Grandparents Day, Alumni activities, Home Room parent, ETE, SAC, Finance, Booster Club, etc.)
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Nativity School SCRIP Program Participation

Every school family is asked to participate in Nativity Catholic School SCRIP program to help keep tuition affordable for all. This is a financial obligation and part of your contract to continue enrollment at Nativity Catholic School. Each school family is required to participate in the Nativity Catholic School SCRIP program by ordering gift cards for every day purchases you already make. The Scrip program pays Nativity Catholic School rebates for your scrip card orders. This is a “no cost” way for families to earn free \$\$ for our school and has the potential if properly utilized by all families to keep tuition increases at a minimum.

Nativity Catholic School families are required to complete 4 separate purchases during the school year:

- (1) \$50 of cards ordered by the first day of school 2010,
- (2) \$50 of cards ordered by 1st trimester conference,
- (3) \$50 of cards ordered by the end of National Catholic Schools week,
- (4) \$50 of cards ordered by third trimester conferences.

A link and instructions to participate in the Nativity School SCRIP program can be found on our NCS website at www.nativitycatholicsschool.org or contacting the School Advancement Office at 813-657-9787.