



# BK Alive – November 2, 2009

## This Week's Calendar:

Tues. 3	Wed. 4	Thurs. 5	Fri. 6	Sat. 7	Sun. 8	Mon. 9
Election Day!			<b>9:00 Late Start</b> V/F/B State Game vs. Blackfoot, 7 pm  State Swim Meet West Y, 3:30 pm	<b>Winner's Choice Dinner/Auction @ the Grove</b>  State Swim Meet @ West Y, 9 am		

## BK Alive

Each week, BK sends out a newsletter with important information regarding the activities going on at Bishop Kelly. If you have information you would like to have put in the BK Alive Newsletter, please email your requests to **Mrs. Deana Braden** at [dbraden@bk.org](mailto:dbraden@bk.org). Information must be to Mrs. Braden by 3:00 p.m. on Monday's. The Newsletter will be mailed out on Mondays after 5:00 p.m.

## Announcements

For daily announcements, please check out the website at: <http://www.bk.org/Today.aspx>

For your convenience and planning, the November calendar is posted online at <http://www.bk.org/calendar.aspx>.

**Waiting List** – Due to higher than anticipated enrollment and in order to adequately prepare for spring semester, Bishop Kelly is currently placing prospective students on a waiting list. Please have any interested students contact Kelly Shockey at 375-6010 or [kshockey@bk.org](mailto:kshockey@bk.org).

**BK Spotlight** – Check out the recent episode of BK Spotlight. This week's episode features clips from the fall production of "Frankenstein." BK Spotlight can be viewed at [www.bkspotlight.com](http://www.bkspotlight.com).

**Extended Library Hours** – The BK Library is now open for extended hours to provide students access to computers and a quiet place to study. The new hours are: Monday – Thursday, 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.; Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Junior and Senior Student Athletes** who register with the NCAA Clearinghouse, please submit a request for transcripts to Mr. Coulter.

**Irish Fest** – The Irish Fest Planning Committee will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the BK library. Our next meeting is November 9<sup>th</sup>.

## **BISHOP KELLY FOUNDATION CORNER**

### **WINNER'S CHOICE DINNER AND AUCTION, NOVEMBER 7!**

The event is just around the corner, so here are a couple of last minute notes:

We added a couple of sports trip to the online auction, so if you can't attend this wonderful event, we encourage you **to check them out via the BK website or directly at [bk.auctionfrogs.org/auction/](http://bk.auctionfrogs.org/auction/)**. The first is a trip for two to a NASCAR event, hotel & airfare included. The other is a trip to any major league game—NBA, MLB, NFL, or NHL—hotel & airfare included. We are also adding a few new items weekly, and will until the last days it is open (November 14), so keep checking back! We have some fun items on it...gift certificates, an iTouch, BK Letter Jacket, Birthday Party at the Roller Drome, Senior-Out-to-Lunch in a Limo for 6, Sutcliffe Baseball Clinics, Gonzaga tickets, and more.

Also, we have a great advertising package being offered in the live auction, a \$13,000+ value, including billboard, TV, and radio. First quarter 2010. If anyone is interested in offering a discounted price for this package, we would be happy to pre-sell it this week.

Finally, we are taking last-minute reservations; if you are interested in attending the auction, it's not too late! You can see a copy of the night's program at <http://www.bk.org/WinnersChoiceDinner.aspx>.

As always, if you have any questions, contact Rita Franklin or Jeannie Kranz at 323-4789 or [rfranklin@bk.org](mailto:rfranklin@bk.org).

### **From the Nurse:**

Dear Parents,

I have received a shipment of the nasal seasonal flu vaccine. I am still waiting for the rest of my injectable doses. If you sent in a consent form and did not specify either variety of vaccine, I would be happy to give the nasal one. Information sheets are available in the front office.

There is no news at this time as to the availability of the H1N1 vaccine, but I will keep you posted as information comes my way. Thank you.

Mrs. Cunningham, RN, MHS

**Challenge Day** - Challenge Days are approaching on November 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. We strongly encourage parents, teachers and community members to participate. **ONLY Freshmen Students** are being invited to attend the November Challenge Days. The Freshmen have been organized into 'families' with two upper classmen as Challenger mentors for each family. Half of the freshman families will attend on November 9<sup>th</sup>, and the other half of the freshman family groups will attend on November 10<sup>th</sup>. **Adult volunteers are needed for this day!** Adult volunteers will need to commit to being at the Challenge Day from 7:45 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Please contact Wes Worrell ([wworrell@bk.org](mailto:wworrell@bk.org)), Challenge Day Coordinator, if you are interested in being a part of the program, or if you have questions about anything related to this specific day. Additional Challenge Day Program information can be accessed at [http://www.challengeday.org/about\\_us.html](http://www.challengeday.org/about_us.html). Permission Forms for this day can be found on the BK website at <http://www.bk.org/today.aspx>.

**Luck be a Lady Tonight!** Don't miss your chance to Double Down at this year's St. Mary's School annual Ball and Auction event Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2009. The evening will combine the excitement of casino-

style gaming in the setting of the stunning Stueckle Sky Center on the Boise State campus. With a roll of the dice you can enjoy fun times while helping to raise money for our school. So bring your friends and your luck. Tickets are \$35 person which includes casino access, heavy hors d'oeuvres, a no-host bar, silent and live auctions, music and dancing until midnight. Doors open at 6:00 pm. RSVP today online at [www.stmaryscatholicschool.org/ball09](http://www.stmaryscatholicschool.org/ball09) or call 208-860-6023.

**Salt & Light Catholic Radio Is On The Air! (Idaho's First Catholic Radio Stations)** – Salt & Light Radio, Inc., an Idaho 501(c)3 non-profit corporation, purchased 1140AM KGEM and 1490AM KCID Friday, September 25th. Following the lead of other successful Catholic radio stations in Portland, Reno, Salt Lake City, Seattle, Spokane and Walla Walla, Salt and Light Radio finally brings full-time Catholic radio programming to Idaho! 1140 AM KGEM is broadcasting full-time English, Catholic programming and 1490 AM KCID will be full-time Spanish, Catholic programming." Salt & Light Radio can be reached at its studios on 5601 W. Cassia Street (Boise), 344-4774 or on its website -- [www.saltandlightradio.com](http://www.saltandlightradio.com) -- as well as Facebook and Twitter. Tune in to Salt and Light KGEM 1140 and our own David Skinner, with Ben Ysursa, and Dennis Kirk "the Kirkulator" for a live broadcast of all Bishop Kelly football games.

**KnightBeat** - Attention all Bishop Kelly friends and families! If you would like to receive a monthly update of all the going-ons at BK, buy a subscription for the KnightBeat. The paper will be sent directly to your house once a month and only costs \$20 for the entire year! Please support Bishop Kelly's student newspaper and alert distant families or friends about this opportunity. For more information or to subscribe, call Torri Kerkman (Co-editor) at 208-841-4219 or Emily Reeping (Co-editor) at 208-922-8655.

**Yearbook Information - Order your yearbook** at [www.jostensyearbooks.com](http://www.jostensyearbooks.com). This is the only way to order the 2010 book. For more information, please check out the BK website at [www.bk.org](http://www.bk.org).

**Senior Salutations** – Early Bird discount is about to expire. Parents, put a farewell ad for your graduating Senior in the 2010 yearbook. Please go online to [theyearbookcompany.com](http://theyearbookcompany.com) to get all of the pertinent information. You can send in pictures and write a personal farewell. This is a Senior tradition that all graduates look forward to seeing in the book.

**Memories in Motion Video Yearbook** – Your entire school year, with live action footage, can be captured by purchasing a video yearbook. Memories from registration day through graduation will be shown in this video. See the form in the front office, or check out the BK website.

## **Sports**

**BK Hockey** – Bishop Kelly's Varsity Hockey team played a tough game against Boise on Friday night, but lost 0-7. Bishop Kelly had only 8 players against Boise's 19; we were missing players due to travel and sickness. The boys were able to keep Boise to 4 goals in the first two periods, which is amazing considering Boise has a nationally ranked skater on the team. It was quite the physical game, and Mark Younce received two penalties for roughing.

The Junior Varsity fared a little better against Boise on Saturday night losing by only one point (5-6). Kevin Wickham scored 3 goals (a hat trick) and had one assist. Ally Burgett score a goal (yes, a girl!) and had one assist. Parker Toney scored once and Henry Liao had an assist.

Both teams have a bye this coming week due to the Qwest Tournament.

Come out and cheer on the teams! The Varsity plays Timberline on Friday, November 13, at 8:30 pm and the Junior Varsity plays Mountain View on Saturday, November 14.

Reminder: Hockey players are selling Tully gift cards for \$25.00 and reduced Steelhead tickets for \$15.00, which includes a hotdog, chips, and a drink.

**Swim Team** - Congratulations on a successful District Meet! There were 22 teams that attended the meet. Bishop Kelly was the largest team with 45 swimmers. The boys were 2<sup>nd</sup> and the girls tied for 5<sup>th</sup> with Rocky Mountain! We had 24 personal best times! Here are the top 8 individual results and top 3 relay results:

## **DISTRICT MEET RESULTS**

### **Girls:**

Lauren Smith 5<sup>th</sup> 50 free, 4<sup>th</sup> 100 free

Therese Murphy 5<sup>th</sup> 100 fly

\*3<sup>rd</sup> place & New BK Record in the 200 free relay (record from 2001) – Therese Murphy, Alex Miller, Taylor Baker, Lauren Smith

### **Boys:**

Rick Chopp 2<sup>nd</sup> 200 IM, 1<sup>st</sup> 100 fly –District Champ

Austin Desilvia 6<sup>th</sup> 100 free

Michael Kalange 5<sup>th</sup> 100 breast

Sam Kosydar 2<sup>nd</sup> 100 fly, 3<sup>rd</sup> 500 free

Cole Kosydar 3<sup>rd</sup> 100 back

Luke Marria 7<sup>th</sup> 100 back

James Marria 7<sup>th</sup> 100 breast

Patrick Schutz 8<sup>th</sup> 500 free

1<sup>st</sup> place 400 free relay – Sam Kosydar, Austin Desilvia, Cole Kosydar, Rick Chopp

**State Meet** preliminaries are next Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 3:30 p.m. at the West Y. **The State Finals** are Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 a.m. Go Knights!

### **State Cross Country - *Girls win 1<sup>st</sup> Place; Boys win 3<sup>rd</sup> Place***

Congratulations to the Bishop Kelly girls cross country team on winning the 4A state championship, held in very blustery and less than favorable conditions at Circling Raven Golf Course in Worley, Idaho over the weekend. Kicking the program off at 11 a.m., the lady knights executed a terrific display of cross country running with the poise and patience of a true champion. Defending state champion, Emily Nist, was again at her very best with a classic performance of tactical running and mental toughness. Trailing by 5-6 seconds just after the mile mark, Nist never hit the panic button and carefully negotiated the heavy underfoot conditions to record a superb victory and over 30 seconds to spare. Nist led a brilliant 1-4-6 place charge with senior sensation and tough as nails Lara Tuthill running rampant over the last mile, passing many runners to annex a magnificent fourth place finish. Rebecca Lassere had the race of her young career with a tremendous effort in 6<sup>th</sup>. Lassere's effort was brilliant and a massive jump from a 14<sup>th</sup> finish a year ago. Always consistent and the ever-reliable junior Camille Fery, in her debut cross country season was in magnificent form. Taking a top 20 placing from the gun, both she and Briana Tiffany moved cautiously through the pack. With 800m to go, Fery shifted gears once more and finished gamely in the 13<sup>th</sup> spot. Tiffany, having given all she could was fantastic as well and finished 16<sup>th</sup>. Junior Erin Kelly has had an outstanding season, the best of her career and this effort was no different. She executed her job to perfection to finish right on Tiffany's heels in 17<sup>th</sup>. Erin Gordon excelled in 23<sup>rd</sup>, pushing all other teams 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> place runners back in the pack, thus allowing the knights to score the lowest point total of the entire championship, a very impressive 36 points. With 6 girls in the top 17, and all 7 in the top 23, the stage was set for the lady knights to step on the podium and collect the prestigious state championship banner and trophy and to the delight of the huge contingent of BK parent's, administrators and coaches.

Dan Williams led the boy knights to a wonderful 3<sup>rd</sup> place finish. With both he and Travis Milburn taking a top 15 placing from the start, he slowly moved through the field and finished a very creditable 5<sup>th</sup> place. He has been a model of consistency all season and no doubt has a brilliant future in cross country running. Likewise for Travis in 6<sup>th</sup>, who finished like a train and must have passed at least 5 runners in the final straightaway. Senior Gabe Leis was outstanding from the start. It was so impressive how he mixed it with the big dogs from the outset and hung on very courageously in the later half to capture 20<sup>th</sup>. His leadership and contribution to this team has been remarkable and no doubt will leave huge shoes to fill. Andy Chumich excelled in 21st running his heart out with every fiber of his being and certainly one to watch out for in the future. Battling sickness throughout the week, Conor Harris was very courageous. At a time when another might have backed down, Conor grinded and grinded to the very end to finish 44<sup>th</sup>. Joe Cardona and Adam Kinalski closed out the scoring in 48<sup>th</sup> and 61<sup>st</sup> respectively. Just a sophomore, Joe's success is all ahead of him and Adam closed

out a very impressive cross country career. These men have been worthy champions and certainly did not relinquish last year's title without a huge fight. Well done men, the coaches are so proud of you.

And so another year has come to a close with the lady knights capturing back the top spot in state cross country, while the men signaled their intentions for next season. The Cross Country Banquet will be held on Tuesday, November 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the BK Cafeteria.

Until we speak again, it's Happy Running from Coach Shanahan  
And GO KNIGHTS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

**Football** - The BK Varsity Football Team takes on Blackfoot in the State Tournament on Friday, November 6, at 7:00 p.m. at Nick Ysursa Field. Come cheer on the Knights to a victory.

Visit [www.BKfootball.com](http://www.BKfootball.com) to catch up on BK alumni and other sports-related stories.

For professional pictures of all BK sporting events, please visit [www.Flexphotography.com](http://www.Flexphotography.com) and click on photo albums.

### **Date Manager**

**Nov. 7 – Foundation Winner's Choice Dinner and Auction**  
**Nov. 9 & 10 – Freshman "Challenge Days"**  
**Nov. 11 – Progress Reports for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter**  
**Nov. 13 – No School for Students**  
**Nov. 19 – Junior Retreat @ St. Mark's, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**  
**Nov. 25 – Half-Day for Students**  
**Nov. 26-27 – Thanksgiving Holiday. No School.**

**To add, remove, or change your email address from our mailing list, please e-mail Brenda at [biazzetta@bk.org](mailto:biazzetta@bk.org).**

### **Challenge Day 2009 – November 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>**

Challenge Day is a transformational day of fun, leadership and power that can change the way people view one another forever. The goal of Challenge Day is to help stop the teasing, violence and alienation that are so deeply a part of the school experience for millions of young people every day. Through a variety of games, trust-building activities and presentations, participants will be given a unique opportunity to see themselves and the people around them through a new set of eyes.

The Challenge Days will be hosted at Our Lady of the Rosary Parish from 8:00-2:45 with half of the freshman class attending each day. **Mrs. Nagel's 1st, 2nd, 6th period classes will attend November 9th, and Mrs. Nagel's 4th, 5th, and Mr. Connor's 3rd period class will attend November 10th.** Additionally, new students to Bishop Kelly who have not had a past opportunity to attend Challenge Day will be given an opportunity if there are spaces available for additional attendees. 20-25 Junior/Senior Challenger Mentors and 20-25 adult volunteers will also attend. If you are interested in being an adult volunteer, contact Wes Worrell at [wworrell@bk.org](mailto:wworrell@bk.org) or 375-6010.

See Permission Forms on the BK website at <http://www.bk.org/today.aspx>.

## If Your Child is Absent from School

If your student is not coming to school due to illness or an appointment, parents are required to call the school's Attendance Office by 9:30 am, 377-9928. Parents may also e-mail or fax notes to Mrs. Lisa Kelly for excused absences at [lkelly@bk.org](mailto:lkelly@bk.org). The BK fax is 375-3626. If your child is going to be absent from school for an extended amount of time, please contact the attendance office as soon as possible **prior** to the absence. Pre-arranged absence forms are available from Mr. Coulter for Juniors/Seniors and Mrs. Quilici for Freshman/Sophomores. These will allow students to notify teachers and to receive homework assignments before the absence. Note: Students leaving school for professional appointments must notify the Attendance Office **before** school, when they leave, and again when they return. They will be asked for verification of that appointment upon returning to school. \*\*\*All students are required to sign in and out when coming late or leaving early.

## How Can I Access My Child's Grades?

You can access your student's grades and other information on the Internet. You need your student's ID number and PIN number. Your child's PIN and ID are located on the class schedule they received the first day of school. The PIN number is assigned throughout our Schoolmaster Program. It's important to keep this number confidential. If you would like to get your student's PIN number, please e-mail [administrator@bk.org](mailto:administrator@bk.org) with the student's full name. Go to the BK web page at [www.bk.org](http://www.bk.org) and access Schoolmaster; use your student's ID number and PIN, and you will have his/her grades and records. Our teachers upgrade their records regularly, but not nightly. To access current grades on Schoolmaster, please follow these instructions.

1. Go to the Bishop Kelly website, [www.bk.org](http://www.bk.org).
2. Select **Schoolmaster** from the menu choices.
3. Enter your student's ID and PIN numbers in the appropriate boxes.
4. Click **Current Marks** in the list of choices.
5. If you want to see a progress report and more detailed information, follow steps 1, 2 and 3, then select **Schedule/Progress** from the list of choices. Teachers update these marks approximately every two weeks. Some teachers may update more frequently than others.

## 2009 Thanksgiving Food Drive

# What can YOU Give?

## Food Drive Item Suggestion List

Cans up to 16 oz. = 1 item

Cans above 16 oz. = 2 items

4 ramen packages = 1 item

Regular box of cereal = 3 items

Mac & Cheese, Rice-a-Roni, etc. = 1 item per 2 boxes

Pasta / rice = 1 item per 8 oz

10lb Bag of Potatoes = 4 items

Box of instant potatoes = 3 items

Condiments = 2 items each

Small Peanut Butter = 3 items

Large Peanut Butter = 4 items

Jelly under 16 oz = 2 items

Diapers per 20 diapers = 8 items

Infant formula = 5 items

- ***Think healthy***
- ***No perishable items other than potatoes***
- ***Please avoid GLASS ITEMS, they are easily broken.***
- ***We are happy with any donation but, please avoid industrial sized cans. They are impractical for families to use.***

**Thank you  
Campus Ministry**