



BK Alive – October 26, 2009

The Word of the Week: Life

This Week's Calendar:

Tues. 27	Wed. 28	Thurs. 29	Fri. 30	Sat. 31	Sun. 1	Mon. 2
College Fair @ Boise Centre on the Grove, Jrs. & Srs. released after 3rd period. Swim Meet @ West Y 5:00 pm BK Choir Concert @ old St. Mark's Church, 7:00 pm		Senior Pictures for the yearbook are due! JV F/B vs. Kuna 4:30 pm Fall Play, "Frankenstein 1930", 7 pm, Old Gym	9:00 Late Start V/F/B @ Kuna, 7:00 p.m. Hockey vs. Boise 7:00 pm State V/B @ Post Falls Fall Play, "Frankenstein 1930", 7 pm, Old Gym	State X/C @ Coeur d'Alene 11:00 a.m. Dist. Swim Meet @ West Y, 9:00 a.m. State V/B @ Post Falls Fall Play, "Frankenstein 1930", 7 pm, Old Gym	Daylight Saving Time Ends Fall Play, "Frankenstein 1930", 2 pm, Old Gym	Mass 9:30 Girl's BB starts! Booster Club Mtg. 7:00 p.m., BK Library

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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. 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 now 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.

BK Spotlight – Check out the recent episode of BK Spotlight. This week's episode features clips from our current coat drive and our visit from the Mideast students. BK Spotlight can be viewed at 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.

College Fair - The Boise National College Fair will be held on Tuesday, October 27, at the Grove. Juniors and Seniors will be released after 3rd period to attend the fair. Seniors are asked to attend an important graduation meeting in the Carley Center immediately after 3rd period and prior to leaving for the fair. Parents and younger students are encouraged to attend the fair during the evening session. Students are asked to pre-register at the site mentioned on the flier. Information regarding the fair and the fair flyer can be found on the BK website under "Upcoming Events." This will expedite the process of meeting with college representatives that day. Please note that parking can be an issue in the downtown area, so students are encouraged to carpool. If you have questions, contact your counselor.

BK Choir Concert – The BK Choir will put on their first concert of the season this Tuesday, October 27, at 7:00 p.m. in the old St Mark's Church.

Campus Ministry – Campus Ministry is currently conducting an "Outerwear Drive." Students are asked to bring in gently-used coats, boots, hats, gloves, and scarves for Corpus Christi House and Sanctuary Homeless Shelter. Please give generously so that our homeless will be warm this winter.

Friday, Oct. 30th, will be a **\$2.00 jean/costume day**. As part of Campus Ministry's month long drive, all proceeds will go to purchase new undergarments for the homeless of Corpus Christi House homeless shelter. Halloween costumes must be appropriate. If you choose to wear jeans rather than a costume, you must have a collared shirt. Please be generous in your support of this very worthy cause. Thank You!

Sacred Heart Halloween Carnival – Join us for Autumn Fun! The Sacred Heart School Halloween Carnival will be held on Friday, October 30th from 6-9 pm. The carnival is a safe, fun-filled evening for families, young and old. Enjoy dinner at the 8th grade Chili Feed from 5-7 pm in the Faith Hall and then head on over to the carnival for Bingo, games, and prizes! Tickets will be available for pre-sale starting Thursday, October 15th at SHS, as well as at the door on Carnival night. Call SHS at 344-9738 for more information. Volunteers are needed. Volunteers may contact Tom Holdridge at 573-3895 or Jerri Woodworth at 327-5549.

BISHOP KELLY FOUNDATION CORNER WINNER'S CHOICE DINNER AND AUCTION, NOVEMBER 7th!

Thanks to those of you who have sent in your RSVP's! We are absolutely still taking reservations if you missed last Friday's "deadline" (it does help us to get them in by that date, but it's more important that you attend). If you are on the fence about attending, please do come! It's a spectacular evening of fun and generosity for a very good cause, and we need all of you who are able to join us there.

If you can't attend this wonderful event, we encourage you **to check out the online auction via the BK website or directly at bk.auctionfrogs.org/auction/**. This is a smaller scale auction, but a way that everyone who wants to can participate. We are adding a few new items daily and will until the last few days it is open (November 14), so keep checking back! We have some fun items on it...gift certificates, an iTouch, Senior-Out-to-Lunch in a Limo for 6, Sutcliffe Baseball Clinics, Gonzaga tickets, and more.

Many of our families depend on the proceeds of this auction for assistance to attend Bishop Kelly; and all of our families benefit by our annual grant, so we encourage you to attend or support this event if at all possible. We have been humbled and gratified by the generosity of so many who believe in this special place, our students, and our faculty. Thank you!

As always, if you have any questions, contact Rita Franklin or Jeannie Kranz at 323-4789 or rfranklin@bk.org.

Monday, November 2nd, is our All Soul's Day liturgy (mass). All of our BK faithful departed will be remembered in our celebration. Please plan to join us. At mass we will kick off our Annual **Thanksgiving Day Food Drive**, which will continue through November 25th. Suggestions for what you can give are listed at the bottom of this newsletter and on the BK website at <http://www.bk.org/today.aspx>. Thanks to all who have supported our outerwear drive.

Challenge Day - Challenge Days are approaching on November 9th and 10th. 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 9th, and the other half of the freshman family groups will attend on November 10th. **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), 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. Permission Forms for this day can be found on the BK website at <http://www.bk.org/today.aspx>.

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

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. 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.stmaryscatholicsschool.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 -- 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. This is the only way to order the 2010 book. For more information, please check out the BK website at www.bk.org.

YEARBOOK OCTOBER REFUNDS: We hit a few snags in the new yearbook ordering process with Jostens. If you order online prior to October 29, the price will display as \$66.00 instead of the previously announced \$57.40. Send a copy of your receipt for \$66.00 to me, and we will refund the difference between the two prices. Remember, this refund ends on October 28, and the \$66.00 price will be in effect on Oct. 29. Thank you for your patience,
Carol Nagel, Yearbook Adviser

Senior pictures for the yearbook are due on October 29th.

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 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. Save 30% off the cost by purchasing your video by **October 29th**. The discount price is \$27.50. See the form in the front office, or check out the BK website.

Sports

BK Hockey – The Varsity Hockey team will play Boise this Friday at 7:00 p.m. This will be an important game; come and cheer on the team. The Junior Varsity plays Boise on Saturday at 5:15 p.m. All games are at Idaho Ice World. Remember that the Hockey team is selling Steelhead tickets and Tully coffee gift cards.

District Cross Country - Varsity Girls win 8th Straight District Crown, Boys 2nd Straight

Congratulations to the BK cross country teams on their excellent displays of cross country running at the 4A district 3 championships. Sophomore standout, Emily Nist, was again rampant and went on to capture her second successive district title. Nist led a brilliant 1-2-3 charge with the ever-reliable senior team captain, Lara Tuthill, performing magnificently in the runner-up spot and newcomer, Rebecca Lassere, with a tremendous effort in 3rd. ,Marvelous team packing by Camille Fery, Briana Tiffany and Erin Kelly in 6th, 7th and 8th sealed the deal for the Knights. Erin Gordon rounded out the scoring for the knights with an impressive effort in the 14th position.

Dan Williams came from behind with 200m to go to annex his first individual crown, and in the process led the Knights to their 2nd successive district championship. Travis Milburn was very courageous in 3rd and Andrew Chumich and Conor Harris, who were in the lead group throughout, battled brilliantly to finish in 8th and 9th. Senior Captain, Gabe Leis, was the 5th knight to score with a very gutsy 5km trip and 15th place. Adam Kinalski in 23rd and D.J. Corisis in 30th ran their hearts out and did all they could to guide the Knights to a win over the Kuna Kavemen.

In the JV girl's race, sophomore Ashlynn Curnow was once again at her brilliant best, with a dominating display of front running tactics to lead the Knight charge and another team district crown. Curnow has had a fantastic season and certainly one to watch out for in the future. A marvelous BK team battle ensued with Jillian Petterborg, running the race of her young career, Amanda Thompson and Kat Stidham vying for the major placings. Back and forth they went until at the end it was Petterborg outstanding in 2nd, Thompson in 3rd and Stidham in 4th. Christina Gado returned from sickness to record a superb effort in 5th, Tori Milburn was a delight in 6th and senior team Stephanie Souza, who has been a pillar of strength and tremendous leader all season was brilliant in 7th. Others to impress with hugely dialed in displays and terrific improvements were Anna Kinalski 13th, Reid Frechette 14th, Isana Urquidi 16th, Hanna Rollinger 17th, Bailey Russell 18th, Lauren Letsinger 20th, Amanda Loewen 21st, and Leslie Kelly 22nd. Jessica Lukasik was again outstanding in 24th, as was Andi Oden 25th, Mariana Osuna in 28th and Kelsey Hanna in the 31st position. Our JV runners, who are the future of our program, have been a model of consistency all season and are to be highly commended for their terrific efforts.

And finally, the JV boys were once again in fantastic form. They packed superbly with 21 seconds separating the top 5. Joe Cardona excelled in the runner-up spot, as did Ben Fujii in 3rd; Matt Goodwin again gave his very best in 4th, John Burlile had his best race in 5th, and the very consistent Zach Klein finished a very creditable 6th. Jim Harrison who has shown tremendous improvement from a year ago was 8th, Neal Maguire much improved in 12th, Blake Batman impressed in the 13th spot, and freshman Joey Carmona was outstanding in 14th. John Patrick Tavelli ran very courageous in 18th, Jack Currie was very solid in 22nd, Matt Burke fighting sickness all week ran his heart out in 28th and Parker Jones ran very aggressively in 29th. Wonderful displays were also turned in by Chris Cunningham in 38th, R.J. Bracken 42nd and Robert Scanlon in 48th. Karl Schutz excelled in 50th, Levi Drauszewski captured 51st, Andy Choi 56th, Miguel Alvarez and Cody Mallet ran strongly in 59th and 60th, and Jeremy Li, Tim Crawford and Robert Thomas had excellent showings and recorded personal bests in 66th, 69th and 72nd place.

The JV team finished their season at districts. The varsity teams will finish their preparations this week and make the long trip to Circling Raven Golf Course in Worley, Idaho for the Idaho State Cross Country

Championships on Saturday next. The girl's race is off at 11 a.m. with the boys to follow at noon. Tune in the following week for a report. And GO KNIGHTS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Until next week, it's Happy Running from Coach Shanahan

Visit 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 and click on photo albums.

Date Manager

Oct. 27: College Fair @ Boise Centre on the Grove

Oct. 27: BK Choir Concert, 7:00 p.m., old St. Mark's Church

Oct. 29: Senior pictures for the yearbook are due!

Oct. 29 – Nov. 1: Fall Play, *Frankenstein 1930.*"

Nov. 2 – Mass Day, 9:30 a.m.; Booster Club Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Library

Nov. 7 – Foundation Winner's Choice Dinner and Auction

Nov. 9 & 10 – Freshman "Challenge Days"

Nov. 11 – Progress Reports for 2nd Quarter

Nov. 13 – No School for Students

To add, remove, or change your email address from our mailing list, please e-mail Brenda at biazzetta@bk.org.

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. 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 with the student's full name. Go to the BK web page at 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.
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.

College Application Help Sessions



3:15 - 4:00 p.m.

October 29

Bishop Kelly Library

One of the Bishop Kelly Counselors will be available in the Library Computer lab to help seniors with the college application process.

These will be working sessions, so please come with essays to proofread, questions about applications and/or scholarships, and log on information for online applications.

Challenge Day 2009 – November 9th-10th

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 or 375-6010.

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

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**