

Education That Works!

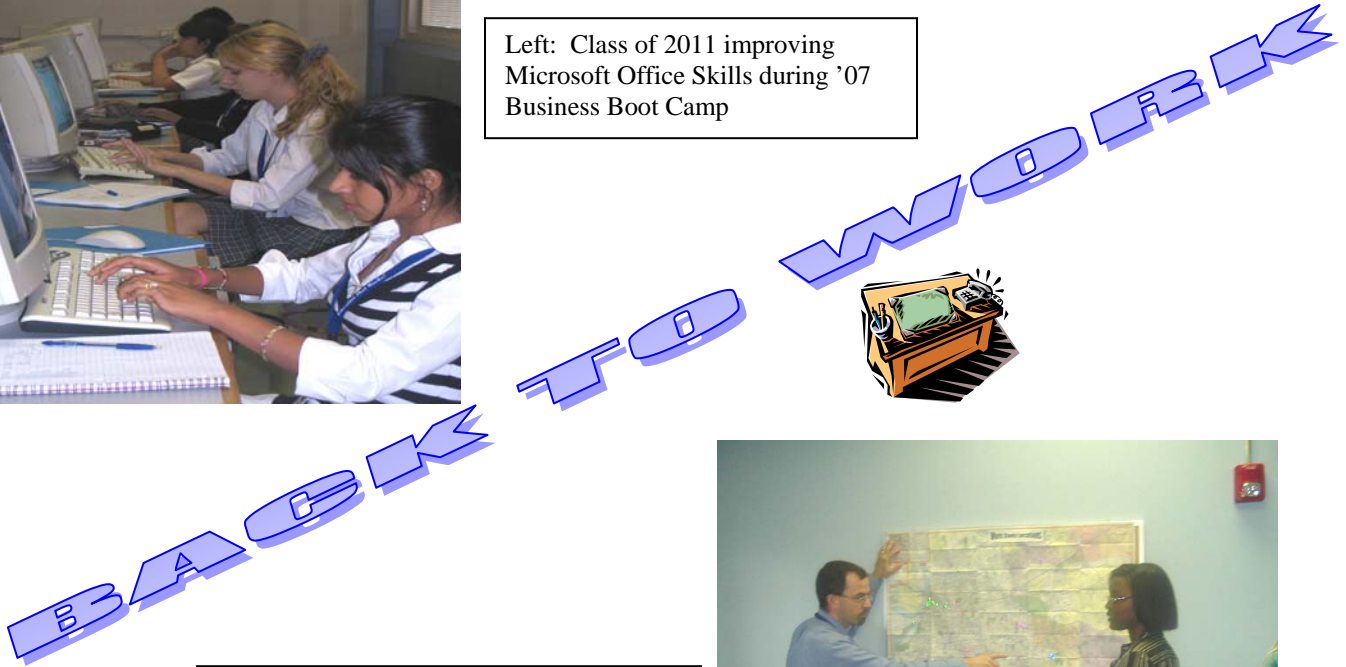
Memphis Catholic High School

Charging into the Future

September/October 2007



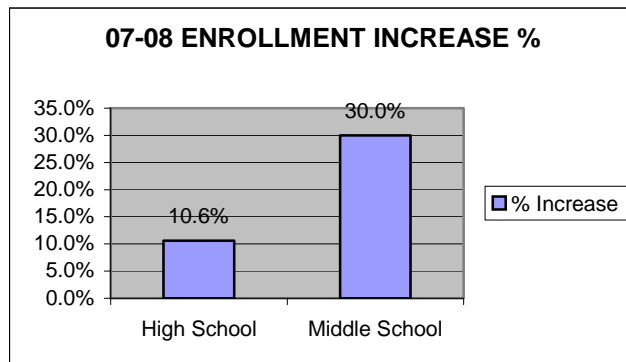
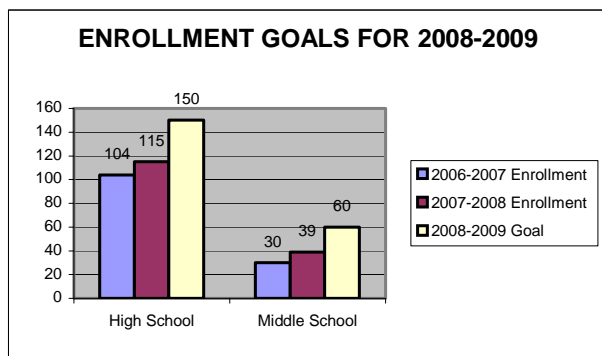
Left: Class of 2011 improving Microsoft Office Skills during '07 Business Boot Camp



Right: Work Study directors Ted Schreck and Jessica Henderson planning Bus routes for Memphis and Shelby County Sponsor sites



2007-2008 ENROLLMENT STATISTICS AND GOALS



YOU CAN STILL HELP for 2007-2008! See articles regarding monetary donations to sponsor a student, technology donations and Golf Tournament involvement!

Send donations/correspondence to:
 Memphis Catholic High School, 61 N McLean Blvd, Memphis, TN 38104
 Find out how to sponsor a student(s):
 Phone: 901.276.1221, Fax: 901.725.1447, Email: tschreck@memphiscatholic.org

Business Boot Camp for STUDENTS held August 1-16!



With the experiences of the inaugural year behind us and the hope for a great year with our 50 NEW students and 65 RETURNING students, the Administration and Staff of Memphis Catholic welcomed its 2007-2008 student workers to the Business Boot Camp beginning on August 1st. Boot camp this year was very successful with emphasis placed on the lessons learned from 2006-2007. Courses were held which included role-play, lecture and interactive training in:

- Business Etiquette
- Communications
- Computer Excel/Word
- Critical Thinking
- Dress Code
- Filing
- Office Operations
- Personal Hygiene
- Resume Building
- Safety/Rights in the Workplace
- Teamwork
- Transition to High School
- Typing
- Workplace Dynamics
- 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens

SPECIAL THANKS GO OUT TO THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WHO GAVE OF THEIR OWN TIME TO FACILITATE COURSES DURING BOOT CAMP!

- **Julie Yancey** (Consultant)
- **Kim Brown** (Mid-America Apartment Communities)
- **Steve McBride** (Southeastern Asset Management)
- **Debra Moser** (EEOC – Memphis Office)
- **Tom Karson** (Univ of Arkansas – Little Rock)
- **University of Tennessee Dept of Medicine Students**
- **MCHS Faculty**
 - **Chris Robbins**
 - **Dawn Rose**
 - **Loretta McGrail**
 - **Nick Green**

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2007-2008 SPONSORS
Returning Sponsors Noted with *

Community Organizations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *Associated Catholic Charities • *Catholic Diocese of Memphis • Collierville Animal Shelter (Sponsored by AT&T) • *Junior Achievement • *Youth Villages
Consumer Services
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Residential Services (ARS)
Education
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Southwest Community College
Financial
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Independent Bank • *Morgan Keegan • *Southeastern Asset Management • Southland Capital
Hospitality
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *Memphis Convention and Visitors Bureau
Industrial
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bluff City Steel • nexAir

Legal
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *Pietrangelo Cook Law Firm
Logistics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *AIMS Logistics • *FedEx • *Pathmark Transportation • *RE Transportation
Medical
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *Baptist Healthcare • *Church Health Center (Sponsored by David Wedaman) • *Methodist Healthcare • *St. Francis Healthcare
Print Media
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commercial Appeal
Real Estate
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *Mid-America Apartment Communities
Retail
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *AutoZone • Kroger
Utilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Memphis Light Gas & Water

Is your Industry on this list??? You can add it!!! Contact Ted Schreck, Director of Work Study, at 901.276.1221 ext. 16 or email tschreck@memphiscatholic.org to learn how to get involved!



MCHS Welcomes New Faculty Members for 2007-2008



Mr. Rhinesmith
ACE Program
Notre Dame



Ms. Reif



Ms. Aganga-Williams
ACE Program
Notre Dame



Ms. Whitacre
LANCE Program
CBU



Mrs. Thompson

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Grants Allow MCHS to Invest in Computer Assessment Tool



Student workers can now be more effectively assessed on their Microsoft Office and Typing skills with Assessment software from Prove It! During the Student Business Boot Camp, students began using the Microsoft Excel (Normal User) assessment to help the work-study staff assess the base level of competency for students using the spreadsheet program. Teachers and work-study staff alike will provide additional training as needed based on the assessments. Also, high school and middle school students have begun using the software to assess their typing skills. The tool allows the students to take the assessment on one of five laptops, which were donated in 2006-2007 by Mid-America Apartment Communities, and their results are uploaded automatically to the Administrative site on the Internet.



MCHS Introduces Financial Management to Students in Advisory Period



High School and Middle School students are being introduced to a variety of self-development courses during their mid-day advisory period. Courses cover a wide range of topics including ACT Prep, Library Utilization, Vocabulary Builder and much more. Additionally, students in grades 10-12 will participate in a Financial Management course from NEFE (National Endowment for Financial Education), which was introduced to the school by the UT Federal Credit Union team.



2008-2009 New Student Recruitment for Education That Works Kicks Off in October

Why choose Memphis Catholic?

Because the *decisions made* and *habits formed in high school* have a significant *impact on the rest of your life*, our mission is to educate students with *Christian love and fellowship that extends beyond the classroom*. We are committed to providing **Education That Works**. Every student who passes through our doors has the opportunity to *sharpen intellect, enhance civic involvement, grow spiritually, and develop a strong work ethic*. All of which are invaluable assets as students grow from childhood into adulthood and make their own way as beacons of *Christian light to their community and the world*.

High School Admissions Open House for New Students Schedule for 2008-2009 School Year

October 30, 2007 (Tuesday) 530pm-630pm
November 6, 2007 (Tuesday) 530pm-630pm
November 10, 2007 (Saturday) Time TBD

Program starts on Tuesday evenings dates at 5:30 pm sharp and attendance is mandatory to receive an Admissions Packet!

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Second Annual "Education That Works" Golf Tournament



September 30, 2007
1:00 pm Shotgun Start



Stonebridge Golf Course
Lakeland, TN

Join us for a fun afternoon of golf benefiting the Education That Works Program at MCHS!

Dani Ray Barton, Tournament Director
901.276.1221 ext. 22
or email drbarton@memphiscatholic.org

Tournament Schedule

Registration **12:00 Noon**
Shotgun Start **1:00 PM**
Dinner **6:00 PM**

Presentation of awards will immediately follow dinner.

Tournament Fee is \$100 per person.
Includes green fees, cart, free drinks, and dinner.

Hole Sponsorships: \$150. Includes signage and recognition of participation at the Awards Dinner.

Mulligans for sale (2 for \$10)

Contest and Prizes

Each Tournament player will receive a goodie-bag. In addition, prizes will be awarded for the following:

Team Prizes for:

- **First Place**
- **Second Place**
- **Third Place**
- **Last Place**

Individual Prizes for:

- **Longest Drive**
- **Closest to the Pin**

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Golf Tournament Registration Form

Name _____
Company Name _____
Contact Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone () _____
Fax () _____
Email _____

Please assign me to play with a team.

Please assign me to play with the following individuals:

Please make checks payable to:
Memphis Catholic High School

Mail with this form to:
Memphis Catholic Golf Tournament
61 N. Mclean Blvd
Memphis, TN 38104

Enclosed is \$ _____ for _____ players.

I can't attend, but enclosed is my donation in the amount of \$ _____

I will sponsor a hole for \$150. (Please email logo to Dani Ray)

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