



**The Pharr Oratory Of St. Philip Neri School System**  
2011-2012 Calendar of Events

Date	Event (Tentative Dates: Subject to change as year progresses)
Aug. 1- Nov. 5, 2011	High School Football Season
Aug. 8, 2011	Teacher Manuals and Computers checking out/Supplies credit card/Keys from 9:00-4:00 p.m.
Aug. 10, 2011	New Teacher Orientation from 10:00-1:00 p.m.
Aug. 11-12, 2011	Classroom Organization
Aug. 12, 2011	Algebra Readiness Test for incoming 8th graders Lecture Hall 9:00 a.m.
Aug. 15, 16, 2011	Inservice
Aug. 17-19, 2011	Faculty/Staff Training
Aug. 17, 2011	First Communion Meeting Grade 3 Room 312 at 10:00 a.m.
Aug. 18, 2011	Orientation Gr. PK from from 2:00-7:00 p.m A-K
Aug. 19, 2011	Orientation Grades PK3 from 2:00-7:00 p.m. L-Z / Meet the Teacher Gr. K-12 from 2:00 -7:00 p.m.
Aug. 20, 2011	Diocesan New Employee Workshop
<b>Aug. 22, 2011</b>	<i>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL Academy First Quarter/Athenæum Fall Trimester</i>



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Sept. 1, 2011	<i>Grade 12 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast /PK Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria/Primary Cloister 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Sept. 2, 2011	Diocesan Teacher Inservice No School
<b>Sept. 5, 2011</b>	Labor Day - No School
Sept. 6 - Dec. 3	Flag Football Season Gr. 1-8
Sept. 7, 2011	Protecting God's Children Parent Workshop (Spanish) Lecture Hall 8:00 a.m. Protecting God's Children Parent Workshop (English) Computer Lab 8:00 a.m.
Sept. 8, 2011	<i>Grade 9 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m..</i>
Sept. 9, 2011	<i>Grade 5 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Sept. 13, 2011	Student Council Information Meeting Grades 6-12 Lecture Hall at 2:30 p.m.
Sept. 15 -30, 2011	Candle Sale PSIA fundraising
Sept. 16 2011	<i>Grade 8 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>
Sept. 16 2011	Student Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m./Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m.(Faculty/Staff Workshop)
Sept. 23, 2011	<i>Grade 1 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>
<b>Sept. 26, 2011</b>	Student Council Speeches Grades 6-12 Cafeteria at 9:00 a.m.
Sept. 29, 2011	Student Council Swearing (Tentative) Cafeteria at 9:30 a.m.
	HESTEC Robotic Day / The University of Texas-Pan American
Sept. 29, 2011	First Holy Communion Practice Grade 3A St. Jude's Church from 7:45 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.
Sept. 30, 2011	First Holy Communion Practice Grade 3B St. Jude's Church from 7:45 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.
	Reconciliation Grade 3B St Jude / Reconciliation Grade 3A Oratory Campus 8:30 a.m.
Sept. 30, 2011	<i>Grade Kindergarten Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>



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Oct. 1-21, 2011	High School Soccer Registration			
Oct. 1, 2011	First Holy Communion	St. Jude Church Grade 3A 10:00 a.m. /Grade 3B		12:00 noon
Oct. 3, 2011	Book Fair Meeting with voluteers	Library from 10:00-11:00 a.m.		
Oct. 4, 2011	"Camino de Santidad y Sabiduría" Europe Senior Trip Meeting	Lecture Hall at 4:00 p.m.		
Oct. 6, 2011	Christmas Musicals Try-outs	Gr. 9-12	Lecture Hall from 4:00-5:40 p.m.	
Oct. 4-14, 2011	Pre-LAS Exams PK3/PK4 English/Spanish			
Oct. 5, 2011	Individual Picture Day			
Oct. 6, 2011	Christmas Musicals Try-outs	Gr. 1-4	During school day	Lecture Hal
Oct. 7, 2011	Christmas Musicals Try-outs	Gr. 5-8	During school day	Lecture Hall
Oct. 7, 2011	<i>Grade 11 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>		<i>Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
Oct. 10-14, 2011	Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday
"Semana de la Hispanidad"	<i>Botas</i>	<i>Rebozo y Jorongo</i>	<i>Paliacate</i>	<i>Sombrero</i>
Oct. 10-21, 2011	Hearing Test Gr. PK4/K/1/3/5/7 New students: Gr. 2/4/6/			
Oct. 14, 2011	St. Jude Trike-A-Thon Grades PK-K	West Playground from 8:00-10:00 a.m.		
Oct. 15, 2011	Test/National Merit Scholarship (Qualifying Test)	Gr. 10/11 Lecture Hall from 9:00-12:00 noon		
Oct. 21, 2011	Student Early Release	Grades PK at 11:00 a.m./Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m.(Faculty/Staff Workshop)		
Oct. 24-28, 2011	Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday
Ribbon Week	Hands off Drugs! Hand prints in a blanket.	Stay Drug Free! Tie ribbons on trees,	Kick Off Drugs! Wear red accessory.	Don't Fall for Release red
Oct.1- Feb.29, 2011	High School Soccer Season			
Oct. 24-Nov. 11, 2011	Vision Test Gr. PK4/K/1/3/5/7 New students: Gr. 2/4/6/			
Oct. 26, 2011	<i>Academy 2nd Quarter</i>			
Oct. 28, 2011	Faculty/Staff Fall Festival Final Preparation	(Assignmnets will be provided)		from 4:00-5:30 p.m.
Oct. 29, 2011	Fall Festival (Saturday)	from 1:30-8:00 p.m.		



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Nov 1-11, 2011	Vision Test Gr.PK4/K/1/3/5/7 New students: Gr. 2/4/6/
Nov. 1, 2011	All Saints' Day Parade Gr. PK-5 from 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Nov. 1-5, 2011	PSIA Candles will be passed to parents. from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
Nov. 4, 2011	<i>Grade 2 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Nov. 7 - Nov. 11, 2011	Basketball Registration Gr. 1-8
Nov. 7 2011	Camp Allen Meeting Eighth Grade Parents & Teachers Lecture Hall 3:00 p.m.
Nov. 7-11, 2011	Book Fair from 8:00-4:30 p.m.
Nov. 11, 2011	<i>Grade 4 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Nov. 16, 2011	<i>Athenæum Winter Trimester</i>
Nov. 18, 2011	<i>Grade 7 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast South Cloister 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Nov. 18, 2011	Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. / Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m. (Faculty Meeting)
Nov. 21-22, 2011	Diocesan Inservice/Local Inservice (Retreat) No school
Nov. 23-25, 2011	Thanksgiving Holiday No school
Nov. 28- Dec.9, 2011	Christmas Musicals Practice.



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Dec. 2, 2011	<i>Grade PK Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>			<i>Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Dec. 5-9, 2011	Spinal Test (as required by the State of Texas): 6 & 9 Grades			
Dec. 5, 2011 - Mar. 3, 2012	Basketball Season Gr. 1-8			
Dec. 9, 2011-Jan. 9, 2012	Year Book Sale			
Dec. 9, 2011	<i>Grade 10 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>			<i>Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
<b>Dec. 12, 2011</b>	PK-K	Gr. 1-4	Gr. 5-8	Gr. 9-12
	"Peregrinación Virgen de Guadalupe" Gr. PK/K 9:00 a.m.	Practice 7:30a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Regular Schedule	Regular Schedule
	Regular Schedule	12:00/ Bus to school		
		12:30-3:35 Regular Schedule		
<b>Dec. 13, 2011</b>	PK-K	Grs 1-4	Gr. 5-8	Gr. 9-12
	Practice	Early Release	Early Release	Early Release
	7:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m.	11:30 a.m	11:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
	<b>5:00 p.m. Christmas Musical</b>	<b>7:00 p.m. Christmas Musical</b>		
<b>Dec. 14, 2011</b>	PK-K	Grs 1-4	Gr. 5-8	Gr. 9-12
	Regular Schedule	Regular Schedule	Practice 7:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Regular Schedule
			12:00/Bus to school	
			12:30-3:35 Regular Schedule	
<b>Dec. 15, 2011</b>	PK-K	Grs 1-4	Gr. 5-8	Gr. 9-12
	Early Release 11:00 a.m.	Early Release 11:30 a.m.	Early Release 11:30 a.m.	Practice 7:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
			<b>5:00 p.m. Christmas Musical</b>	<b>7:00 p.m. Christmas Musical</b>
<b>Dec. 16, 2011</b>	Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. /Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m.			
	Faculty/Staff Christmas Lunch			12:45 noon
<b>Dec. 19, 2011-Jan 2, 2012</b>	Christmas Break			



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Jan. 6, 2012	"Rosca de Reyes" Snack Primary Cloister 8:00 a.m.	
Jan. 6, 2012	<i>Grade 6 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
Jan. 10, 2012	Science Olympiad and PSIA Team Practice	
Jan. 10, 2012	Try Prayer! It Works! Organization	Lecture Hall Religion Teachers 4:00 p.m.
Jan. 11, 2012	Year Book Sale Due Date	
Jan. 13, 2012	<i>Grade 11 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
Jan. 13, 2012	Math-A-Thon Grade 2	
<b>Jan. 16-20, 2012</b>	Religion Grades K-12	Prekindergarten
Try Prayer! It Works! Catholic Week Project	Prose/Art/Poems - Holy Cross Family Ministries Contest	Class In-school Project
Jan.14, 2012	Father and Son Retreat Grades 4-12 Oratory Campus from 8:30-12:00 noon	
<b>Jan. 16, 2012</b>	2011-2012 Year Book Committee Selection Grades 10/11 Library 9:00-10:00 a.m.	
<b>Jan. 16, 2012</b>	<i>English/Math Benchmark</i>	
January 18, 2012	<i>Group Picture</i>	
Jan. 19, 2012	<i>Academy Third Quarter</i>	
Jan. 20, 2012	Try Prayer! It Works! Due date	
Jan. 20, 2012	<i>Grade 9 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
Jan. 20, 2012	<i>Field Trip Gr. 1/ Rev. 6/14/2011</i>	
<b>Jan.23</b> -Feb. 10, 2012	Re-enrolment	
Jan. 27, 2012	<i>Grade 8 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast South Cloister 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
Jan. 27, 2012	Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. / Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m./Faculty Meeting at 1:00 p.m.	
Jan. 27, 2012	Spirit Award Banquet	
Jan. 30-Feb. 3, 2012	Catholic Schools Week Try Pray! It Works! Exhibition	



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Jan. 30-Feb. 3, 2012	Catholic Schools Week Try Pray! It Works! Exhibition
February 2, 2012	Walk-A-Thon T-shirt - Sizes collection (Staff/Faculty/Students)
Feb. 3, 2012	<i>Grade 3 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Feb. 3, 2012	<i>Field Trip Gr. 5/6 Sea World San Antonio, TX</i>
Feb. 5, 2012	Catholic Schools Mass St. Jude's Church 9:30 a.m. (Sunday)
Feb. 6 - Feb. 10, 2012	Soccer Registration Gr. 1-8
Feb. 7-10, 2012	<i>Camp Allen Grade 8 Departure 5:30 a.m.</i>
Feb. 10, 2012	<i>Grade 5 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
<b>Feb. 13, 2012</b>	New Student Registration
Feb. 17, 2012	<i>Grade 12 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Feb. 17, 2012	<i>Field Trip Gr. 2-4 Chorus Christi, TX</i>
	PSIA District Event
Feb. 20-March 2, 2012	High School Track Registration
February 21, 2012	Mardi Gras PK-5 8:00 a.m.
February 22, 2012	Ash Wednesday & Lent Time Decorations
Feb. 24-March 30, 2012 <i>Via Crucis</i> (every Friday)	Primary & North Cloisters (Own Cloister)
<i>Via Crucis</i>	South & High School Cloisters (Chapel)
Feb. 23, 2012	<i>Grade 1 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
Feb. 24, 2012	Early Release Grs. PK at 11:00 a.m. /Grs. K-12 at 11:30 a.m. /Teacher Retreat
Feb. 27 - May 26, 2012	Soccer Season Gr. 1-8



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March 2012 <i>Via Crucis</i>	Primary & North Cloisters (Own Cloister)			
(every Friday)	South & High School Cloisters (Chapel)			
	NAEP Test Gr. 4			Lecture Hall 8:45 a.m.
March 1, 2012	Faculty Mandatory ITBS Teacher Prep		Only Proctors Gr. K-11 from 4:00-5:30 p.m.	
March 1, 2012	<i>Grade 7 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>			<i>Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
	Science Olympiad District Competition STC Pecan Campus			
March 1, 2012	<i>Athenæum Spring Trimester</i>			
March 1, 2012	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Vocation Day		Basilica of Our Lady of San Juan del Valle from 9:30-1:00 p.m.	
March 2, 2012	<i>Border Fest Gr. 1-8</i>			
March 5, 2012	Mother/Daughter Retreat		Oratory Campus from 8:30-12:00 noon	
March 5-May 5, 2012	High School Track Season			
March 5, 2012	<i>Field Trip Gr. PK/K McAllen International Museum</i>			
March 6-16, 2012	ITBS Tests Gr. K-11 (tentative dates)			
March 8- March 22, 2012	<i>Seniors Europe Trip "Caminos de Santidad y Sabiduría"</i>			
March 8, 2012	<i>Grade PK Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>		<i>Primary Building 9:00-9:30 a.m.</i>	
March 15, 2012	<i>Grade K Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>		<i>Primary Building 9:00-9:30 a.m.</i>	
March 17, 2012	ITBS Test Shipping Date			
March 22, 2012	<i>Grade 4 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>			<i>Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
March 25, 2012	<i>Field Trip Gr. 5/6 Sea World San Antonio, TX</i>			
March 22, 2012	<i>Academy Fourth Quarter</i>			
March 24, 2012	<i>"Noche de Alegría"</i>			
March 26-April 16, 2012	High School Football Registration Day			
<b>March 26-30, 2012</b>	Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday
Texas Week	<i>Cowboy Hat Day</i>	<i>Boot day</i>	<i>Buckle &amp; Bandana Day</i>	<i>Bolo Tie Day</i>
March 29, 2012	<i>Grade 2 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast</i>			<i>Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>
March 30, 2012	Easter Egg Hunting PK/K Texas Week		8:30 a.m.	
March 30, 2012	Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. / Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m./Faculty Meeting at 1:00			



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April 2-13, 2012	Rev. 6/14/2011	No School
April 18 2012	Protecting God's Children for Students	
April 20, 2012	THEA	Grade 10 Lecture Hall from 9:00-2:00 p.m.
April 20, 2012	<i>Grade 6 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
April 23, 2012	World Book and Copyright Day	
	PSIA State Competition	
April 23-27, 2012	Administrative Office Week	
April 24, 2012	Protecting God's Children Parent Workshop (Spanish)	Room 401 from 6:00-8:00 p.m.
April 24, 2012	Protecting God's Children Parent Workshop (English)	Room 105 from 6:00-8:00 p.m.
April 19, 2012	<i>Grade 10 Walk-A-Thon Breakfast Cafeteria 8:00-8:30 a.m.</i>	
April 19-22, 2012	<i>Field Trip Gr. 7 Washington D.C.</i>	
April 26, 2012	Walk-A-Thon - Walk Gr. PK-5	8:00-9:00 a.m.
April 27, 2012	Walk-A-Thon - Walk Gr. 6-12	8:00-9:00 a.m.
April 27, 2012	Staff/Teacher-Student Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m.	
Abril, 2012	Relay For Life	
April, 2012	Science Olympiad State Competition TBA	
April 30, 2012	Noche Cultural Internacional (Fine Arts Department)	



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May 2, 2012	Kindergarten Graduation Practice
<b>May 2-13, 2012</b>	Pre-LAS Exams PK3/4 English/Spanish
May 7 - 18 , 2012	AP Exams Grades 11/12
May 7-11, 2012	Nurse Week
May 8, 2012	No school for: Gr. 6th-10th and 12th Spanish Language Test (Gr. 11)
<b>May 8, 2012</b>	Algebra Readiness Exam (Gr. 7th) /School Uniform <span style="float: right;">Lecture Hall 8:00 a.m.</span>
May 10, 2012	Mother's Day Mass
May 14, 2012	First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation Parent Meeting <span style="float: right;">Lecture Hall at 10:30 a.m.</span>
May 14-18, 2012	Shareable Wearebles
May 18, 2012	First Reconciliation Grade 2 - During school day
May 21-23, 2012	ACRE (Assessment of Catholic Religion Education) – During Religion Class Grades 5/8/11
May 29, 2012	<i>Math/English Math Benchmarh Gr. K-11</i>
May 25, 2012	Solemnity of St. Philip Neri Mass & Spirituality Award Ceremony - Mass Uniform - St. Jude's Church 6:30 p.m.
May 25, 2012	Rally of Joy (Athenæum) / St. Philip Neri Fest
May 25, 2012	Early Release <span style="float: right;">Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. / Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m.</span>
May 25, 2012	Talent Show Gr. 6-8
May 29, 2012	Award Ceremony Gr. Kindergarten <span style="float: right;">Lecture Hall 8:00 a.m.</span>
May 29, 2012	Seniors Cerificates Ceremony <span style="float: right;">Lecture Hall 9:00 a.m.</span>
May 30, 2012	Sports Banquet <span style="float: right;">7:00 p.m.</span>
<i>May 30, 2012</i>	<i>Last Day of School Grade 12</i>
May 31, 2012	<i>Baccalaureate Senior Class</i> <span style="float: right;"><i>St. Jude's Church 7:00 p.m.</i></span>



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Rev. 6/14/2011	<i>Talent Show 3B-5</i>			
June 1, 2012	Kinder Graduation Practice		Senior Graduation Practice	
	UTPA Student Union Theatre from 8:00- 11:00 noon		UTPA Student Union Theatre from 12:00-1:00 p.m.	
June 2, 2012	Senior Graduation Ceremony			
	UTPA Student Union Theatre at 7:00 p.m.			
June 2, 2012	Kindergarten Graduation Ceremony			
	UTPA Student Union Theatre at 9:00 a.m.			
June 4, 2012	<b>Awards Ceremonies</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Location/Grade</b>
Books Pick-up & Grades		8:00	Lecture Hall	Grade PK3
		9:00	Lecture Hall	Grade PK4
		10:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 7
		11:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 9
		12:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 10
		1:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 4
		2:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 11
June 5, 2012	<b>Awards Ceremonies</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Location/Grade</b>
Books Pick-up & Grades		8:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 1
		9:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 6
		10:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 2
		11:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 5
		1:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 3
		2:00	Lecture Hall	Grade 8
June 6, 2012	<b>LAST DAY OF SCHOOL</b>			
June 6, 2012	<i>Talent Show PK-3A</i>			
June 6, 2012	Early Release Grades PK at 11:00 a.m. / Grades K-12 at 11:30 a.m. /Teacher Workday			
June 7, 2012	Faculty/Staff Workday			



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July 9-20, 2012	Office/School Closed for Vacations
July 24/25, 2012	Parker Uniform Sale