

Thursday, October 8, 2009

Dear Parent(s),

The Little Caesar's pizza orders will arrive tomorrow! The pick-up time will be 2:45 – 5:30 pm at the Parish Hall.

The raffle tickets will need to be turned in to the school office by Monday, November 2nd.

We are four weeks away from the seventh annual auction. The auction cannot be a success without your participation. We need you your help in three areas:

- 1. Please remember to sell and turn in your tickets for the motor scooter raffle. If you are in need of more tickets, please call the school office.***
- 2. Please prayerfully consider purchasing tickets for the auction and joining us for what should prove to be an entertaining evening. There are still plenty of tickets available and the cost is still only \$25.***
- 3. Consider donating an item or service to the auction.***

During the previous six auctions we have raised over \$180,000 to help benefit the church and the school. Please, please help us to make this auction as successful as the first six.

Upcoming dates to remember:

Sunday, October 11 – the Junior Choir will sing at the 10:00 am service; Booster Club Dance at the Parish Hall from 6:30 – 9:00 pm for Grades 5-8

Monday, October 12 – NO SCHOOL –Columbus Day

Thursday, October 15 – end of the 1st Quarter

Friday, October 16 – EARLY DISMISSAL at 1:25 pm for Kindergarten through Grade 8. Preschool/Extended Care and After School Care will run their regular schedule.

Sunday, October 18 – the Primary Choir will sing at the 10:00 am service

Tuesday, October 20 – report cards will go home with students

Thursday, October 22 – EARLY DISMISSAL at 1:25 pm for Preschool – Grade 8. There will be 3 year-old preschool in the morning but NO 4 year-old preschool in the afternoon.

Friday, October 23 – NO SCHOOL – Parent/Teacher Conferences

Sunday, October 25 – the Junior Choir will sing at the 10:00 am service

Monday, October 26-30 – PDR Boys B-team Basketball Tournament

Wednesday, October 28 – FULL DAY of school – NO afternoon bus

Thursday, October 29 – Girls basketball vs Steeleville Public away 5:30 pm

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 10 at 6:30 pm – Lindsay Hammel and Christopher Lang

Sunday, October 11 at 7:45 am – Jaclyn Colvis and Katelyn Rader

Sunday, October 11 at 10:00 am – Jacob Lochhead and Ellen Blechle

CHAPEL OFFERING FOR OCTOBER

The Chapel offering for the month of October will be given to the Make a Wish Foundation.

BOOSTER CLUB NEWS

The Booster Club will be sponsoring a dance on Sunday, October 11th from 6:30 – 9:00 pm. Please remember parents that have signed up to work at the dance. If you have any questions, please contact me (Judy) at home 826-3186 or at work 826-4581 ext. 1336.

Thanks to everyone that placed orders for the Hornet “Spirit Stuff”. Unfortunately, we ran out of the car decals. At this point, we will vote on ordering more at the first Booster Club meeting. We have several requests for possibly selling hats and sweatshirts. This will be on the agenda for discussion at the Booster Club meeting.

We have 9 chenille emblems available for purchase. These go on the back of the letter jackets. The price is \$26.00. Please make your check payable to St. John Booster Club if you are interested.

Softball and baseball players please return clean uniforms to the school office by Friday, October 16th.

SCRIP ORDERS

Don't forget Scrip orders can be turned in by Thursday and will be sent home the following Thursday. If you need another order form, please call the school office or send a note and we can send one home!

SUNDAY SCHOOL HAYRIDE

There is a flyer attached for a Sunday School hayride. You need to RSVP to the church office (826-3545) by October 23rd!

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent-Teacher Conference sheets have been sent home today with all students. Please return the sheet by October 13th or 14th. Your scheduled time will be sent home in the envelope with your child's report card on Tuesday, October 20.

There is EARLY DISMISSAL on Thursday, October 22 at 1:25 pm for all students. There will be Extended Care/After School Care. The 3 year-old preschool class will have class Thursday morning, but the 4 year-old class will be cancelled due to Parent-Teacher Conferences. There is NO SCHOOL on Friday, October 23, due to the conferences.

Have a great 3 day weekend!

Christopher Urquhart