

Thursday, September 18, 2008

Dear Parents,

Just a few dates for September:

Friday, September 19 – 1st Quarter mid-term

Sunday, September 21 – Primary choir will sign at the 10:00 a.m. service

Monday, September 22 – PTL Book Fair and Ice Cream Social at the Parish Hall 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 24 – Chapel choir will be the 1st grade

Wednesday, September 24 – 1st Quarter mid-term reports go home with students (Grades 1-8)

Thursday, September 25 – Little Caesar pizza pick-up and the candy pick-up at the Parish Hall 2:45 – 5:15 p.m.

Friday, September 26 – Early dismissal 12:10 p.m. for K-Grade 8. Preschool/Extended Care and After School Care will run their regular schedule.

Sunday, September 28 – Junior Choir will sing at the 10:00 a.m. service

Acolyte Schedule

If you are unable to acolyte please try to find someone to fill your time.

Saturday, September 20 at 6:30 p.m. Megan Brockmeyer and May McBrien

Sunday, September 21 at 7:45 a.m. Dustin Lilley and Joshua Bierman

Sunday, September 21 at 10:00 a.m. Sarah Liefer and Madison Kueker

Booster Club News and Sports

Mark your calendar!! Booster Club Dance will be Sunday, October 12 at the Parish Hall from 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. The dance scheduled on Friday, September 26th is cancelled due to a home football game.

Games:

Thursday, September 18 – Softball and Baseball at Pinckneyville 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, September 23 – Girls will play their 1st game of the regional tournament at Elkville City Park against DeSoto at 4:30 p.m. The boys will play their 1st game of the regional tournament at Cohen Field against DeSoto at 4:00 p.m.

In the event of a rain out or game canceled – you can look on the www.stjohnchester/school site and click on Principal's Page and there is a scroll across the page and we will update as soon as we receive the information. Also you can check the calendar at calendar.yahoo.com/stjohnhornets

PTL PIZZA SALES

The pizzas will be ready for pick-up on Thursday, September 25 from 2:45 – 5:15 p.m. A flyer was sent home today with the profit amounts and when and where to pick up your order. A BIG thank you to Jane James and Valerie Blechle for such a great job!

5TH-8TH GRADE CANDY SALES

The candy will arrive and be ready for pick up on Thursday, September 25 from 2:45 – 5:15 p.m. This is the same time as the pizza pick-up for your convenience.

BOOK FAIR/ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Don't forget the Annual PTL Book Fair/Ice Cream Social. Flyers went home today with a few of the books that will be available at the Book Fair and information about the first PTL meeting. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. at the Parish Hall. But please come early to browse through the Book Fair!

BOOSTER CLUB CHICKEN AND DUMPLING DINNER

The St. John Booster Club will have their Chicken and Dumpling Dinner on Sunday, October 5th. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend! Don't forget to send back the work sheet if you are able to help. Lisa Briggs will be grateful for your help!

ST. JOHN FALL HARVEST FESTIVAL

November 1, 2008 is the date for the sixth annual St. John Fall Harvest Festival and Dinner Auction. We are asking for your help in two ways:

1. Please consider making a donation to the auction. We are looking for donations of services that may be auctioned off, collectables, sports memorabilia, tickets to sporting event, etc. If you do not have anything that you wish to donate, perhaps you would consider a monetary donation to help purchase something for the auction.
2. Please consider supporting the school by purchasing tickets and attending. Tickets are still \$25 per person and may be purchased through Anne Ebers in the church office (826-3545).

I have been informed that the First Baptist Church will again be providing free tutoring services for any students from grades 3-12. This program is called "Helping Hands". If you are interested in making use of the service you must first contact our office in order to obtain an application and contact form. The program will begin on September 30th.

Have a great weekend!

Christopher Urquhart