



Shamrock Newsletter

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Upcoming Dates

Nov. 15: Progress Report Cards

Nov. 21-25: Thanksgiving Holiday

Nov. 29: Early Dismissal

Spaghetti Dinner

THANK YOU TO ALL the parents who helped with preparations on Friday and/or worked the **Spaghetti Dinner** on Saturday. We could not have done it without your willingness to help and positive attitudes. ~ Mary and Jon Yarger

Fall Carnival

Thank you to all our Home Room Parents and parent volunteers who decorated the booths and gym, and who worked the various booths for the Fall Carnival. Thank you also to all our parents for the donations of candy, soda, food, and supplies. This event is not possible without all your help. **THANK YOU.** ~Natalie Williams

Thank You

A BIG **THANK YOU** goes out to **Mary and Jon Yarger** for a delicious and nicely decorated **Spaghetti Dinner** and to **Natalie Watts Williams** for a fun-filled, most enjoyable and well decorated **Fall Carnival**. Both events were a huge success!

After School Sports

After School Sports has "kicked off" and is held Mondays from 2:45 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. Students not picked up at 4:00 p.m. will be sent to After Hours Care. Participants should bring a pair of shorts, a t-shirt, tennis shoes, and a drink bottle for water. Third through sixth graders are eligible to register to participate. If any parents would like to **volunteer to assist** Coach Munn, please contact the school office at (601) 482-6044.

Kids Cans

We have three more days to bring in canned goods for the 7th Annual Kids Can Canned Food Drive to benefit Wesley House Community Center. This organization provides many services to the residents of Lauderdale County, including food during the holiday season for those less fortunate in our community. Please give what you can. All schools in the area have been invited to participate. A letter was previously sent home explaining the program. Prizes will be awarded to schools collecting the most cans.

NO PARTIES or BIRTHDAY INVITATIONS

PLEASE refer to page 9 in the Parent/Student Handbook for our regulation regarding class parties and invitations. **NO** birthday parties (including birthday snacks) are permitted for grades PK-3 through sixth grade. **NO** birthday invitations will be distributed to students from the classroom or anywhere on campus by either teachers or parents. A copy of student addresses for your child's class can be given upon request for mailing purposes.

Box Tops for Education Contest

The contest begins tomorrow! In today's green folders you will find a letter explaining the contest (please read it carefully). Also is an envelope for each child to turn in to his/her classroom teacher (names are on each envelope). Continue to clip and save your Box Tops at home. *Some box tops appear in some strange places such as: Avery Office supplies, Boise Paper Packs, Hi-Lighter Brand Highlighters, and Marks-a-Lot Markers.* Look in our newsletter each week for more products. Our goal is to earn \$1,000.00 this year with one \$.10 Box Top at a time!!

MORE IMPORTANT NEWS ON BACK

The Book Fair is Coming!

The Scholastic Book Fair is coming soon! Set up will take place this Thursday, November 3rd and Friday, November 4th. Volunteers are needed to help make decorations and help students fill out their wish lists for parents and grandparents. Volunteering to help set up or working during the book fair is an excellent way to earn volunteer hours. The profits from the book fair will be spent on new books for the library. Contact Mrs. Donna Polizzi to volunteer. Mark your calendar for **Book Fair Family Night** to be held **Thursday, November 10th from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.** Regular hours of the fair will be 7:45 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. daily. See green folders today for more information.

Cooler Weather Attire

The chill is in the air --- Fall is here! Time for outerwear. Remember to label with your child's name all items that could be left behind so we can return it to you.

Christmas Play

The Christmas Play is less than two months away! Preparations are being made and we have a list of items that we could use. Please let us know if you have any of these items to donate or allow us to borrow. Thank you.

Hula hoops; Barbie dolls; Pink plastic Flamingos; Yo Yo's; Frisbees; Mr. Potato Heads; Silly Putty (containers); Risk, Yahtzee; Candyland; Matchbox Cars; Slinkies; Play-doh; Beanies with Propellers; Rolling Corn Poppers; Hats with Mouse Ears; 45 RPM Records; Cardboard Boxes

School Store Sale

The School Store is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 7:15 a.m. until 7:50 a.m.

We are having a **sale** on the following item:

Monster Stress Balls ½ off **\$1.25**

Featured Items:

Mini Mechanical Pencils
Lead and Eraser Refill Kits

Coke Rewards Website

Please go to the Coke Rewards website at www.mycokerewards.com for more information regarding this simple and free fundraising program.

Visit our New Website

Check out our school's new website at www.stpatrickcatholicsschool.org.



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