



Sacred Heart School

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Mr. B's Buzz

This week at our All School Mass we will welcome Father Gabriel Francois from our sister parish and school in Haiti, St. Rafael. Father will also be visiting at all the weekend Masses at Sacred Heart and St. Augustine. As we continue to celebrate Red Ribbon Week, our focus has not only been on living a healthy life style by being drug and alcohol free, but our students are also practicing peacemaking with our acts of kindness and compassion. Our fifth grade students, with the help of their teacher, Mrs. Ginn made flavored cotton candy and ice cream cone cupcakes to sell at all the lunch periods. The proceeds from their sales will be sent to St. Rafael. Our newly formed Student Council organized our can food drive for the Center for Lay Ministries – Food Pantry /Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation Services. It is inspiring to see that level of kindness and understanding in students when they are at the age where society will tell us that they are totally egocentric. Their willingness to practice acts of charity certainly gives me reason to be optimistic about the future!

We will recognize our students' efforts and hard work in academics, behavior, and attendance this Friday, October 28 at 8:00 AM before Mass.

Congratulations to all the students who participated in giving their speeches and running for Student Council. This year's officers are: Olivia Fisher (President), Addie Rose Scott (Vice-President), Megan Lenfert (Secretary), Jacob Harbeson (Treasurer), and Sara Sharp (Directory of Publicity & Fundraising).

The class representatives for Student Council are:

4th Grade: Colt Brockwell, Christopher Bartley, Abi Turner, Emme Harris, Kaleb Weber

5th Grade: Juliana Vales, Rachel Wilcox, Jaesynn Davis, Cady Ferguson, Lisha Crowder

7th Grade: Caelen Durbin

8th Grade: Molly Lenahan, Kenzie Pfund, Bradley Pendleton

Did you know that SHS staff gathers each morning to pray for our students and the SHS community? This week we have been praying the Rosary. October is often referred to as the month of the Rosary. The beautiful prayer that honors Mary and speaks to us of all the miraculous life events of our Savior, Jesus Christ. As we close out this month, this weekend is an excellent opportunity to pray the rosary as a family.

We are Anchored in Christ,

Frank Barlag

Sacred Heart of Jesus, Have Mercy on us.

Live Jesus in our hearts, Forever!

SPIRIT DAY: Sacred Heart School will have a Spirit Day on **Monday, October 31**. In addition to the Description of Exceptions, we are asking all students to wear a Sacred Heart t-shirt or a Halloween t-shirt that is appropriate. Parents and students should consult page 20 of the Student Handbook - Descriptions of Exceptions. At the end of the day, students may change into their Halloween costume (see Halloween guidelines) for the parade.

HALLOWEEN COSTUME GUIDELINES: A reminder about Halloween costume guidelines, we like to encourage creative costumes that promote healthy imagination and fun. Since we will be walking around, students **will not be permitted to wear masks**. We also ask that **no weapons of any sort, including plastic look-a-likes, be brought to school**. Costumes should be **carried to school in a bag or backpack**. All students (and adults) are encouraged to participate

YEARBOOK NEEDS PHOTOS: We are currently in need of photos of fall's sports (including team photos), Walk-a-Thon and SHS clubs. You can email them to cday@sacredheartschool.us, or send a flash drive into school to the attention of Mrs. Day. Thank you for your support!

PRESENTATION FOR PARENTS ABOUT PARENTAL SELF-REGULATION: As a parent or guardian of a child, you know there is little time to focus on your own well-being and emotional state. Research shows that teachers, parents, and caregivers that have good self-regulation, can control different situations with more effectiveness. Please take the time out of your busy schedule to make a night for you. Your kids will thank you later!

Take a night to check yourself . . . you deserve it!

ATHLETIC NEWS: Anyone in grades 5 through 8 interested in cheerleading for SHS basketball season should contact Mrs. Evancyk.

PSTS NEWS: The next SHS Night Out is Monday, November 7 at Rocky's. Look for a flyer coming home next week.

The PSTS is excited to announce that Sacred Heart's team will be sponsoring a parent education night, Parental Self-regulation on Tuesday, November 15 at 7:00PM in the school's cafeteria.

Please join our School Counselor, Mrs. Michelle Frossard, LCSW, RN in the PAC at 7:00PM on November 15. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mrs. Frossard at mfrossard@sacredheartschool.us

BOOK FAIR NEWS: Profits and rewards (Scholastic Dollars) for the book fair totaled \$2014.39. All classrooms, from preschool through 8th grade, special groups and the library received reading materials! We would like to thank the following volunteers for making the Book Fair possible: Eric Wilcox, Mary Frey, Missy Polston, Charity Smith, Beth Johnson, Molly Knigge, Sue Boyd, Greg Braitling, Norma Isgrigg, Patrick Lockhart, Danielle Bundrent, Brandon Johnson, Denise Vales, Amanda Braitling, Jennifer Baquerizo, Kathryn Daly, Susan Harrington, and our Book Fair Chair: Mary Jane Crowder!

HOLY CHILDHOOD (SISTER LORETTO): Please have all donations turned in by Friday, November 18th.

BREAKFAST WITH ST. NICK: We will have our Breakfast with St. Nick on Saturday, December 3rd from 9:00AM. to 1:00PM in the gym.

