



Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter
September 4, 2019

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

I hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable Labor Day weekend! Our Back-to-School Night for grades K-8 will begin in the gym at 6 p.m. on Thursday, September 5th. Additionally, tonight is our first Skyline Eat-Out-Night of the 2019-20 school year. If you are able to attend, make sure to present the Skyline flyer or share that you're from Saint Agnes.

~ Erin Cappy

SCHOOL NEWS

Academic Team (6th Grade): Mrs. Winter will have an informational meeting on Thursday, September 5th at 7:10 a.m. for any 6th grade student interested in participating and learning more about the 6th-grade season. Practices will be at 7:00 on Tuesday mornings beginning Sept. 10. This will allow those students who have after school obligations to participate. Email Mrs. Winter at lwinter@saintagnes.com with any questions.

Scholastic Book Fair: Mark your calendars for September 13-20: It's going to be one COOL event! Look for more information next week. Go cash-free! [Set up a student eWallet.](#) (Available Aug 29 - Sep 20.) Thanks for supporting our library and classrooms!

SCHOOL CALENDAR

September

- 4 Skyline Eat-Out-Night
- 5 Back-to-School Night (6-8 p.m., Gym)
- 6 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church)
- 8 Youth Evangelization Mass (10:30 a.m., Church)
- 9-25 MAP Testing Session #1
- 12 Lifetouch Picture Day
- 12 Confirmation Parent Mtg. (7 p.m., Church)
- 13 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church)
- 13-20 Scholastic Book Fair
- 15 Smiles & Miles 5K
- 20 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church)
- 22 Confirmation Enrollment Mass
- 24 4th Grade Trip to Frankfort
- 24 Marco's Pizza Night #1
- 25 Marco's Pizza Night #2
- 26 Spirit Wear Day
- 27 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church)
- 27 11 a.m. Early Dismissal (Oktoberfest)
- 27-29 Oktoberfest

SCHOOL NEWS (continued)

Lifetouch School Pictures: Picture day is Sept. 12th. Order forms were sent home with students yesterday. You can return the order form or order online at mylifetouch.com using picture day ID: EVT83GBBT. If you need an additional order form, contact the school office. Students may be out of uniform on picture day - please have your child wear appropriate clothing that aligns with our out of uniform policy in the student handbook.

Spiritwear: Don't miss out on the first of three on-line spirit wear sales. Use this link to place your order: <https://stagnesbacktoschool1920.itemorder.com/> The ordering site will be open from now through Sept 15th. All orders will be sent to school and home with student indicated on the checkout/payment option. Please note that tanks and fleece PJ pants cannot be worn on school spirit wear days. Also, spirit wear items sold at the Meet the Teacher night are still available. The performance short sleeve shirts (available in royal blue and hot pink) are \$15 or 2/\$25, stainless steel water bottles (\$10) and fleece beanie hats (\$10) in stock. Contact Stephanie Lonnemann kenning.stephanie@gmail.com or via SA FB page for these items and they'll be sent via kidmail. Thanks!

Parent/Student Directory - This is just a friendly reminder to parents that the parent/student directory can be found on Sycamore. If you need to contact other parents or send invitations, this is the place to look. If you need help with your log-in, contact Mindy in the office: msucher@saintagnes.com

Volunteer opportunities: We have lots of opportunities for parents to help out, including APPLE program volunteers, lunch volunteers, playground volunteers, and lunch 'n learn food signups. Here is the link to sign up <https://signup.com/go/GpYmNi>

PTO NEWS

Skyline Night: Our first eat-out-night at Skyline Chili is tonight, September 4th. Just be sure to show them the flyer or tell them you are from St. Agnes, and St. Agnes will get a percentage of the sales.

BOOSTERS NEWS

Basketball Registration for 2019-2020 Season: Basketball Registration is now open through 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, September 15. Saint Agnes offers basketball for students currently enrolled at St. Agnes in grades (2-8). We will also host a 6 to 7 week instructional basketball session for boys and girls in K-2 (This is held on Sunday afternoons starting in late October or early November). Registration for both programs is now open at the Boosters website: <https://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters> (Click on "Registration Info"). For any additional questions about the basketball programs, contact Rob Lynch at robert@lynch.net (link sends e-mail) for boys, contact Ken Schneider at kwschneider@gai.com (link sends e-mail) for girls, and contact Chris Lantz at lantzcm@gmail.com (link sends e-mail) for K-2 Instructional Basketball.

Mission Statement of Saint Agnes School

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2019 Smiles & Miles 5K: The 2019 “Smiles & Miles 5K Honoring Maria Schaffstein”, hosted by Saint Agnes, will be held on Sunday, September 15th, 2019. The event will begin at 4:00 p.m. and is open to individuals of all ages and fitness levels. Our annual Katie Stewart Memorial Frog Hop will take place after the race and will be available to all children ages 6 and under. This special event is lots of fun for the little ones and has been very well received since it began in 2016! For those who would like to “stay behind” during the race or enjoy some friendly community time after the race, we will have food vendors and assorted drinks will also be available! Online registration information for the 5K can be found at www.runningtime.net

PARISH NEWS

Oktoberfest: Our annual Saint Agnes Oktoberfest is almost here!! (September 27 -29, 2019) As you know, we need a lot of help for this to be a success! If each school family volunteers for at least one shift, our festival is on the right track for success. Remember, your volunteer hours from Oktoberfest qualify for the school service requirements, and the proceeds from Oktoberfest come right back to our school. Please provide your full name and email address when signing up at this link: <http://bit.ly/saintagnesoktoberfest2019> Please feel free to contact Lisa Mosley (859) 468.7465 - lisaanmosley@hotmail.com if you have any questions about volunteering!

Oktoberfest Student Volunteers Needed: Student volunteer shifts are also available for sign-ups. Students in grades 6 and above can volunteer for the children's booths. Sign-ups can be found: <http://bit.ly/saintagnesoktoberfestjunior2019>. (Please note an adult Supervisor is also needed for the Kids games.)

Thank you so much for your support to make this the best Oktoberfest!

COMMUNITY NEWS

Attention Future Pandas: The NDA Soccer team invites all grade school girls to come and see them play tonight , Wednesday, September 4th. Cheer on the Soccer Pandas as they take on Ryle beginning with Junior Varsity at 5:00 p.m. and Varsity at 6:30 p.m. It will be an evening of food, fun and prizes. Don't forget to wear your grade school spirit wear for free admission to the games!

Saturday Art Classes at The Carnegie: Looking for hands-on arts programming for students ages 7 to 12? Check out The Carnegie's ARTSTOP classes beginning on September 21. This fall, students can register for 2 different, six week, visual arts programs – Wizard's Chest, running Saturdays from 9 to 10:30am and Wearable Art, running Saturdays from 10:45 to 12:15pm. For more information or to register online, check out The Carnegie's Education page at <http://www.thecarnegie.com/afterschool.php>

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The Catechist Day of Reflection: All School Teachers and Parish Catechists are invited to join us on Saturday September 14th, 9:00-3:00p.m., at the Curia Office Building, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium. The day will begin with an optional Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption at 8:30a.m. It will be celebrated by Father Ryan Maher. Our theme this year is "Called to Teach". If you work in a Catholic school or Parish preparation programs, you are welcome. This day counts as maintenance hours in your religious certification programs, and is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on your faith journey in your role with our young people. For more information please contact Carol Lense - clense@saint-timothy.org.

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