



Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter
November 6, 2019

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

First quarter report cards will be posted to Sycamore Wednesday evening, and conference sign-ups will go live on Friday. For information on how to view report cards and sign-up for conferences, please select the links located under school news.

~ Erin Redleski

SCHOOL NEWS

Conference Sign-ups and Report Cards: Parents will need to log into Sycamore for both of these. If you need help with your log-in, contact Mrs. Sucher, msucher@saintagnes.com. Click the link here for detailed instructions on [conference sign-ups](#) and how to view [report cards](#).

Kindergarten Registration: If you have a kindergarten student for the 2020-21 school year, it is time to register. Registration information can be found here <http://school.saintagnes.com/admission/> Priority registration for current school families and parish families is through November 8th. If you need help with the registration process or your Sycamore login, contact Mrs. Sucher, msucher@saintagnes.com.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

November

- 4-8 Treats for Troops
- 8 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church-7th grade)
- 11-15 Veterans' Week
- 12 BOCE Meeting (7 p.m., School Meeting Rm.)
- 13 PTO Meeting (7 p.m., Library)
- 14 Confirmation (7 p.m., Church)
- 14 Out of uniform day for Veterans' Week
- 15 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church-6th grade)
- 18 Lunch 'n Learn
- 21 Spiritwear Day
- 22 School Mass (9:20 a.m. Church)
- 26 11 a.m. dismissal;
Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 27-29 Thanksgiving Break

December

- 4 Late Start (8:45 a.m.)

Treats for Troops: The Junior High Service Club is still collecting candy to send to our soldiers. Share some of your Halloween candy by bringing it to school the week of Nov 4-8. All candy will be donated to the Yellow Ribbon Center which sends care packages to soldiers. Let your sacrifice show that you appreciate their sacrifice.

Veterans Day 2019- This year, Saint Agnes will celebrate our veterans the entire week of November 11th. We will honor the Army on Monday, Navy on Tuesday, Marines on Wednesday, Air Force on Thursday, and Coast Guard on Friday. The flags of all five military branches will be on display, and we would also like to display the names of family members/family friends who are veterans. Please send in names as well as which branch of the military in which the person served to vsmith@saintagnes.com or estoeckle@saintagnes.com. Additionally, we would like to invite all veterans of Saint Agnes family and friends to attend our school Mass and sit in the annex on Friday, November 15th.

Out of Uniform on 11/14 for Veteran's Day: In honor of Veterans Day, students, faculty, and staff may come out of uniform on Thursday, November 14th wearing items to represent any branches of the military, camo, or red, white, and blue clothing. Please donate at least \$1. Student Council will be using the money raised to purchase necessities for the Veterans that visit the Parish Kitchen each day.

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. Below is the link to sign up.

<https://signup.com/go/GpYmNi>

PTO NEWS

Open House at the Gruff : The Gruff Night Out event has a few changes... kids are welcome! We hope that you can support our school and our children on Friday, Nov. 8 from 6pm-10pm at The Gruff, 129 East 2nd Street, Covington. Your donation provides you with a pizza and salad buffet from 6pm-9pm and a drink ticket. Additional drinks are available for purchase and The Gruff will donate \$1 of any drink purchased back to the school. Kyle Knapp from the TURKEYs will play for our entertainment. Donation: \$20 per adult (includes buffet, salad and a cocktail/beer/soda), \$10 per child (Buffet, drink and a treat) or \$50 for a family of 4 (receive all mentioned.) Larger families should contact Meg Koehl or Heather Randolph, the party hosts. Kidmail donations to Meg Koehl c/o Charley Koehl 4L. Please RSVP by Thursday: <http://evite.me/6yrnhhMtug>

PTO Meeting: The next PTO meeting will be on Wednesday, November 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the school library. All are welcome! We will discuss upcoming events and volunteer opportunities. We are looking for volunteers for a number of fun committees. If you have questions, items to discuss, or an interest in committee positions, please email Amy Lantz at amykilgore18@hotmail.com

Mission Statement of Saint Agnes School

Saint Agnes School exists to provide excellence in Catholic education while inspiring and empowering our students to live the Gospel message of Jesus Christ. As compassionate and faithful Christians, we continue to pursue our spiritual journey, achieve our highest academic potential, and be stewards of the Catholic faith to others.

Big Blue Bash Meeting: Join us on Tuesday, November 19th at 7pm in the school library for the next Big Blue Bash meeting. The Big Blue Bash is Saint Agnes School's annual dinner and auction event to support the PTO. This event is the largest fundraiser for our PTO and is crucial to funding classroom enhancements for our students and teachers throughout the school year. Save the date: this year we will celebrate 20 years of The Big Blue Bash on March 27th, 2020! We need everyone's support to make this our best year yet! There are many ways to help, big and small. Come join us to see how you can help. For additional information contact the BBB committee at saintagnesbigbluebash@gmail.com

Stella and Dot Fundraising Party: Sip some refreshments while perusing the latest from Stella & Dot's new holiday collection! Join us at Laura Mauller's home, Friday, November 15 at 7 PM to start early on your holiday shopping... or just treat yourself! We will be collecting a minimum \$20 gift card donation or we would like to ask a \$25 minimum jewelry purchase. (Party "credits" from the evening will allow the hosts to create a Stella & Dot basket for the BBB and the gift cards likewise will be utilized in BBB Baskets). Appetizers and beverages will be supplied by your hostesses: Julie Burns, Rebecca Gearing, Amy Mando, Katie Rawe, Sarah Stallard, and Laura Mauller. Join us for a girl's night of fun and shopping! Please RSVP to Bling it On! Jewelry party for BBB <http://evite.me/uz6YZNTMpp> If you can't make the party but would still like to purchase, use this link: <https://www.stelladot.com/ts/5e1ab>

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

Girls' Golf: Congratulations to the Girls Golf team for winning 1st place in their tournament this Saturday! Also, congratulations to eighth grader Lexi McMillin for winning 1st Place Individual in the tournament!

Girls' Soccer: Congratulations to Coach Graham, Coach Holbrook, and Coach Zinga's U10 soccer team for winning the Independence Fall Classic. The girls won the first two games then played the Independence Fusion team. They lost that game 1-6 but came back in the finals to beat the same team 2-1. This was adversity at its finest, and it says a lot about their character and the pride they have in their school. Coach Holbrook, Coach Graham, and Coach Zinga couldn't be prouder of these 3rd grade girls!

Girls' Soccer: Congratulations to Coach King's U10 soccer team. They participated in the State of Kentucky Commonwealth Cup this past weekend in Elizabethtown and came home champions!

Volleyball: Congratulations to the 8th/7th Grade Volleyball team who won the Blessed Sacrament Tournament last week. The team consisted of Heidi Abeln, Marisa Bloemer, Jamie Collins, Anna Cruse, Riley Herald, Taylor Hill, Abby Hugenberg, Paige Summe, Tessa Schulte, Riley Wald. They were league and tournament champs. Great job!

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Eagle Scout Blood Drive Project: Sun Nov 17 9a-3p at Ft. Mitchell City Building. Luke Curry, Covington Catholic senior, is organizing a blood drive for his Eagle Scout Project. Please consider being a donor for this wonderful cause. To sign up to donate blood, click the following link: https://donateblood.uc.edu/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/36685. If you are unable to donate blood but are willing to help, monetary donations are also being accepted at this link: <https://foundation.uc.edu/give>, just make sure to put Troop 820 under additional info.

Part time Teacher Assistant Position: Prince of Peace Montessori School is seeking candidates for the part-time position of Instructional Assistant. Hours would be Mondays 8:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., and Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The instructional assistant will assist the teacher in classroom duties; lead/monitor small group and individual classroom work; and monitor recess. Interested individuals may contact Mr. Tony Barkley, Principal, at 859-431-5153, or email a letter of interest and a brief descriptive resume to tbarkley@popcov.com

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