



Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter

December 11, 2019

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

If you have not yet had an opportunity, please take our Saint Agnes [Community Connection Survey](#). The survey will take less than five minutes! Also, students of families who have completed and logged at least half their family service hours into Sycamore for the 2019-20 school year by December 31st will receive a spiritwear day scheduled for a date in January.

~ Erin Redleski

SCHOOL NEWS

Advent Food Drive: Student Council is sponsoring a food drive to assist BeCon in helping provide "Fuel Packs" for kids who experience food insecurity. We will be collecting non perishable food items from 12/4 to 12/17. Please see the [attached list](#) for grade level collection suggestions.

Junior High Play Meeting: All 7th and 8th grade parents and students are invited to attend an information meeting about this year's musical next Wednesday, December 18 at 6:30PM in the cafeteria. Hope to see you there! -Michelle Schulte and Becky Russell

SCHOOL CALENDAR

December

- 12 K-3 Christmas Program (7 p.m., Church)
- 13 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church-3rd grade)
- 14 High School Placement Test (HSPT)
- 18 Kindergarten-Breakfast with Santa (8 a.m.)
- 18 Jr. High Play Meeting (6:30 p.m., cafeteria)
- 19 Spiritwear or Christmas Shirt Day
- 20 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church-2nd grade)
- 20 Smiles & Miles T-shirt Day
- 20 Early Dismissal (11 a.m.)
- 23 Christmas Break
- 24-25 Marco's Pizza Nights
- 24 Christmas Eve
- 25 Christmas Day

January

- 6 Back to School
- 6 Skyline Eat-Out Night
- 8 Late Start (8:45 a.m.)
- 10 School Mass (9:20 a.m., Church-8th grade)
- 14 Chipotle Eat-Out Night (5-9 p.m.)

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

Men's Basketball League: St. Agnes is starting a men's 30 and over basketball league open to parish members. If you are looking to get some exercise this winter while enjoying the company of fellow parishioners, please come join us. Click on the [attached flyer](#) for more information.

PTO NEWS

St. Agnes Christmas Shop: The Christmas Shop will be open next week - starting on Monday 12/16 - Friday 12/20! We need a lot of volunteers to make this event successful. If you can volunteer some time please use the link to sign up for a shift: <https://signup.com/go/giwfUDt> You can sign up for as many shifts as you like. If all the spots are full but you still want to volunteer please feel free to stop by, we will not turn down help! Students will be coming home with a letter this week. It explains the shop and will have their homeroom shopping date on the letter, along with the money envelope the students need. If you have any questions please reach out to Stacey Moorhead (staceyscully4@aol.com).

COMMUNITY NEWS

Welcome Weekend Retreat: A special opportunity for St. Agnes School moms & dads. Retreat from the seemingly never-ending hustle of daily life and spend a day and a half with other school parents and friends. It's an incredible experience that will help you discover what might be missing in your life and what to do about it. Whether you want to connect with other men or women of the parish or just take a break from the craziness of everyday life to have fun, you will find what you are looking for ... and more! Men's Weekend: February 8 - 9, 2020 / 8 AM Saturday - 4 PM Sunday. Women's Weekend: February 22 - 23, 2020 / 8 AM Saturday - 4 PM Sunday. Held in St. Agnes School w/ overnight stay in the Convent. For more information contact Jake Thamann (513-703-1926) / Paul Finke (859-814-4979) or Annette Ward (859-760-6341) / Lisa Mosley (859-468-7465)

Northern Kentucky Screening of the movie, *Miss Virginia*: Monday, December 16 at the Ft. Wright Civic Club. 6:00 PM Dinner/ 6:30 PM Movie. The film is based on the true life story of a parent who took on the status quo in a fight for her child's future. The goal of the event is to inform, inspire and empower local families and advocates for educational choice. RSVP: Click [here](#). Dinner and gift bags will be provided for all attendees.

Last Chance for Cell Phone Recycling: Cell Phones are being recycled by Jacob Schulte (CCH Senior and 2016 St. Agnes grad) to help prevent mining for cell phone components in the Congo, which is causing gorillas to lose their habitat. Cell phones for 2019 will be turned in for recycling so please get yours in before Christmas Break. Cell phones collected in 2020 can be sent to Tessa Schulte in 8B. For more information about this recycling project, please email Jacob at schulte1650@gmail.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.