



Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter

March 24, 2021

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Thank you to our sixth grade students and teachers on their thoughtful planning and performance of *Stations of the Cross*. The video of this prayerful meditation will be posted to the Saint Agnes Parish website in the coming days!

~ Erin Redleski, Principal

SCHOOL NEWS

Out of Town/Easter/Spring Break Trips: For any overnight trips outside the Northern Ky/Greater Cincinnati area please fill out the attached [travel form](#). This information will help us plan accordingly for instruction after the Easter break. Here are [current travel guidelines](#) from the Diocese.

Lenten Almsgiving: Our collection for St. Julie's School in Uganda continues with one more out of uniform day. Tuesday students can celebrate Opening Day in Cincinnati Reds attire.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

March

- 25 Spiritwear Day
- 26 Big Blue Bash Virtual Event
- 30 Out-of-Uniform (\$1, Cincinnati Reds Opening Day)
- 31 Q3 Report Cards posted to Sycamore
- 31 Raising Cane's Eat Out Night (Florence location)

April

- 1-9 Easter Break
- 5 Skyline Eat Out/Drive Thru Night (Ft. Wright 3pm-9pm)
- 12 School Resumes
- 13 BOCE Mtg. (6 p.m., virtual)
- 14 Late Start (8:45 a.m.)
- 29 Spirit Wear Day

PTO NEWS

Raising Cane's Eat Out Night: Mark your calendar! On Wednesday, March 31 from 4-10pm Raising Cane's Florence location is hosting another fundraiser since we had bad weather on the original date. St. Agnes will get 15% of sales if you say you are with St. Agnes.

Big Blue Bash Optional Party To-Go Kits Still Available and Pick up Instructions: The party to-go kits are going fast and preorders are still available on our website. These are optional kits that can be picked up at school next Thursday or Friday. The kits include your choice of wine (most will include a 1/2 bottle of Red and 1/2 bottle of White) or 4 bottles of Stella Artois, sweets to enjoy during our online program, a golden scratch-off ticket that may be a winner, and surprises from our party to-go kit sponsors: Sweet Elm, Victory Mortgage, and Scratch Hand-Crafted Desserts! (Hint, Hint: They may or may not contain an oatmeal cream pie!!!!). Order now on our Website: www.bbb2021.givesmart.com There will also be a few available for sale during the below times for \$50. *Exact change or proof on purchase on the website will be required.* Thank you to those who have ordered the Big Blue Bash Party to Go Kit. Kit pickup will be on Thursday (3/25) and Friday (3/26). This will happen during morning student drop off or in the evening. Sign up [Big Blue Bash Party to Go Kit Pick up – Signup Sheet | SignUp.com](#) to let us know when you will arrive. We will need your name, email as well as the make, model and color of your car. If picking up in the morning after dropping of your students, pull to the left near the white Scouts trailer, we will deliver your kit. We will be there from 7:15 – 7:45am. If picking up in the evening, park in a spot facing the parish office. Stay in your car and we will deliver your kit. Pick up times will be Thursday 5:30 – 7:00pm and Friday 5:00 – 6:00pm. Any questions, please email saintagnesbigbluebash@gmail.com

Big Blue Bash First Pick Raffle: There are still tickets available but not many! The winner of this raffle will be able to choose their prize from our many Silent Auction items! Each Ticket is only \$20. You can purchase your First Pick Raffle tickets online at bbb2021.givesmart.com. We only have 47 chances left as of 3/23/2021. The winner will be drawn on Friday, March 26th at 8:00 am and will be live on our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/saintagnesbigbluebash/>. Winner will be contacted via phone and will have until 5PM March 26th to choose their prize. First Pick Raffle excludes CEI Sports memorabilia, class gifts, Raffle prizes, and special "night of " premier auction items. Some additional exclusions may apply. For questions about the First Pick Raffle or any other Big Blue Bash information, contact the BBB Committee at saintagnesbigbluebash@gmail.com

Big Blue Bash Silent Auction is LIVE: We are adding items daily. If you haven't yet dropped off donations, please drop off at the office by Thursday 3/25/2021 to be added to the website. To make special arrangements, contact Jenn Fariello at jennfariello@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 Raffle Tickets: Now is the time to turn in those final CASH, CASH, CASH raffle tickets! Please have all paper tickets turned in by Thursday 3/25/2021. Tickets can also be purchased on the event website www.BBB2021.givesmart.com. The students in each family that sells 10 tickets will be treated to a special ice cream treat (date TBD) and the students in the top three selling families will get to silly string Mrs. Redleski! The top 3 family sellers are: Nienaber (86), Dickman(60) and Brown (45). The Lyons family is not far behind (42). The following families have sold at least 10 tickets: Alcantara, Asman, Averdick, Bacigalupo, Banham, Barczak, Behymer, Berger, Bishop, Blettner, Bloemer, Bosse, Brown, Browning, Brungs, Burns, Carothers, Carter, Cartwright, Conner, Crane, Cruse, E Davis, Davidson, Dickman, Dirheimer, Ditrick, Dixon, Dougherty, Doyle, Dunn, Eckhardt, Edmondson, Egan, Espel, Everett-Osborne, Fariello, Faris, Fink, P.Finke, Forgiel, France, Fullenkamp, Garrison, Gastright, Gearing, Graham, Haaser, Hail, Harmeling, Hasselbeck, High, Hoffer, Holbrook, Holland, Hopkins, Hugenberg, Hunter, Huss, Jordan, Kathman, King, Klosinski, Koehl, R Kreutzjans, T Kreutzjans, Kruze, Lambert, Lander, Lantz, Lawrie, Lindloff, Link, Lonnemann, Lynch, Lyons, Mando, Martinkovic, Mauller, McClure, McGonigal, McGraw, McHugh, McNeely, S. Melching, Menetry, Meyer, Minardi, Moening, Moorhead, Moriarity, D Nienaber, S OHara, O'Neill, Osterhaus, Quandt, Ramsey, Randolph, Rawe, Reardon, Rensing, Resing, Rohlman, Rosing, Russell, Schneider, Schoborg, Schuler, Seibert, Seither, Simon, Speed, Stahl, Steedman, Stevens, Sweet, Tainter, Tappy, N. Teppe, Terrell , P. Thamann, VonHoene, Wagner, Weitzel, Wilder and Williams. If you have any questions, please reach out to the Big Blue Bash at saintagnesbigbluebash@gmail.com.

BOOSTERS NEWS

Coaches: If you plan on coaching and haven't done so already please sign up and take the Play Like a Champion (PLAC) class. This is a requirement to coach. Contact Eric Dickman with questions ericd18@twc.com

PARISH NEWS

Doghouse: Father Keene no longer needs the doghouse that is located under his deck by Mulloy Drive. It is free to a good home. If you are interested, contact Rick Wolking at school maintenance@saintagnes.com to make arrangements for it.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Seeking Lower Tuition Payments?: Parishioners of St. Thomas (POST) is a non-profit group based in St. Thomas Parish, Fort Thomas, that provides opportunities to school families to reduce tuition costs or for parish members to meet personal tithing goals by working Reds and Bengals games. Any family member of a Diocese of Covington parish or school is eligible to participate. Training is necessary. Currently we are looking for anyone interested in working Reds games. Opening Day is April 1! For more information, email Oak Martin at poststthomas@gmail.com.

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