



# **Saint Agnes Newsletter**

Family Newsletter January 19, 2022

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

National Catholic Schools Week (CSW) is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. This year we are celebrating our Saint Agnes students, families, and teachers with many fun activities. Please be sure to read about it below and send back all forms so that we can plan accordingly. It is sure to be a fun week full of faith and fellowship!

~ Erin Redleski

### **SCHOOL NEWS**

**Registration for 2022-23:** Today we will send home re-registration forms for our current students. If your child is returning to Saint Agnes School next year, please fill this out and return it to the school office by February 4th.

**Middle Grades Governor's Cup**: Congratulations to Sam Thamann who placed 2nd in Science at the Governor's Cup competition last Saturday.

# SCHOOL CALENDAR

#### <u>January</u>

- 19 PTO Meeting- 7:00 p.m. virtual meeting (link below in newsletter)
- 27 Spiritwear Day

#### Jan. 31-Feb. 4 Catholic Schools' Week

- 31 Family Breakfast (7:15-8:15 a.m. Murphy Hall)
- 31 Open House (7:15-8:30 a.m. school classrooms)

#### February

- 1 Movie for students at AMC and Skyline lunch for students
- 4 CSW Early Dismissal (11 a.m.)
- 7 Skyline Eat-Out Night (Ft. Wright Skyline 3-9pm)
- Dewey's Fundraiser Night (Crestview Hills 4-9pm)
- 21 No School Presidents' Day

**COVID-19 Update**: We currently have 14 students/staff quarantining at Saint Agnes. If your child is exposed to COVID and has any cold-like symptoms, please have them tested and let the office know. Here are the current <u>Diocesan</u> <u>policies</u>. Thank you for all you do to keep Saint Agnes healthy!

Catholic Schools Week- Monday, January 31 - Friday, February 4: Catholic Schools Week is quickly approaching and the students are getting excited. Below you will find the Catholic Schools Week agenda. The students may be in St. Agnes Spirit wear all week long, except on Wednesday which is a special dress day detailed below. We are in need of volunteers for Monday's breakfast and Tuesday's Skyline lunch. Please sign up on the Sign Up Genius links below.

# Monday- Open House and Breakfast (rsvp required for breakfast - this is for St. Agnes students and their parents only)

- Breakfast will be served in Murphy Hall from 7:15-8:15 Volunteers link
- Open House will be from 7:15-8:30 a.m. in the school.
- In the afternoon, students will have a CSW pep rally.

### Tuesday- Sing 2 Movie and Skyline lunch (please return permission slip and lunch order form)

- Students will be seeing Sing 2 at AMC Theaters in Newport
- Skyline lunch If you are able to help with the lunch please sign up on this volunteer link

## Wednesday- Diocesan Mass at Cathedral/ All School BINGO/ Wacky Tacky Wednesday

- The administrators and selected students will be going to the Cathedral for Mass.
- In the afternoon, students will play school wide BINGO
- On Wednesday, students may dress in a Wacky way. Some examples are: crazy hair, hats, socks, mismatched
  outfits, backwards outfits. No costumes, wigs, hair dye or face painting. Outfits must be school appropriate.
   Spirit wear may also be worn.

### Thursday- Teacher Turn Around Thursday/ Get up and Move.

- Teachers will be swapping classrooms during the day.
- Different times throughout the day, music will come over loudspeakers and students will DANCE!

### Friday- Mass/ 8th Grade Faculty Volleyball Match/11:00 Dismissal

- All school Mass 8:00 a.m.
- 8th Grade/Faculty Volleyball Game 9:30 a.m.
- Early Dismissal 11:00 a.m.
- Students may wear any Catholic School Spirit wear with their gym uniform pants (ex. CCH, NDA, St. Henry, Xavier, etc)

### PTO

**PTO Meeting:** Tonight's PTO meeting will be a virtual meeting at 7:00. If you would like to join us, please use the link <a href="meet.google.com/hwq-ggtm-tni">meet.google.com/hwq-ggtm-tni</a>. We will be discussing events scheduled for the remainder of the year. We are in need of volunteers for the upcoming events. We are also searching for a President and Vice President for next year. If interested or have questions about the roles, please contact Amy Lantz (amykilgore18@gmail.com).

#### **Mission Statement of Saint Agnes School**

**APPLE Volunteers**: The APPLE Program has been in place since 1999 and will return again this school year. For those of you unfamiliar with this program, APPLE stands for Appreciative Parents Providing Little Extras. It is a volunteer program that parents sign up for to provide little treats for our teachers. It is especially for those parents who would like to help out with volunteer activities but are unable to sign up for most committees due to time constraints or because they are working. Sign Up Here. If you have questions, please email Heather Randolph, harandolph06@gmail.com

**Big Blue Bash Updates:** Don't forget to send in your Cash, Cash, Cash raffle tickets! If you sell out of the 10 that came home with your student and need more, email SaintAgnesSchoolPTO@gmail.com or send us a message on Facebook. Also, now accepting any and all donations for the Silent Auction! Gift Cards from your favorite local spots, services from your business, stays at your AirBnB, a pair of tickets to your favorite team...whatever you have lying around! Email us for pick up, send something thru KidMail C/O Big Blue Bash or drop it off in the school office. For more information about the Big Blue Bash and how to help click here!

Thank you to everyone who has sold Cash Cash Cash raffle tickets. Please return the entry portion of the tickets along with payment to the office. Tickets can also be purchased electronically at <a href="BBB2022.givesmart.com">BBB2022.givesmart.com</a>. Students in families who sell 10 or more tickets will receive a treat later in the spring. The top selling families will have an opportunity to Silly String Mrs. Redleski in the spring. The families who have sold at least 10 tickets through 1/14/22: Branham, Forgiel, Fullenkamp, Huss, Kreutzjans (O & H), Lantz, Lyons, McDermott, Ortwein, Ruwe, Schroeder, Seitz, Tainter, Terrell, Weidner

### **BOOSTERS**

**Soccer Directors Needed:** The Boosters are currently looking for boys, girls, and U6 Soccer Directors or Assistants to start learning the program under the current director. If interested, contact Tim McHugh at <a href="mailto:timemchugh@gmail.com">timemchugh@gmail.com</a>

**Baseball**: There's nothing like the game of baseball. Even better, there's nothing like PLAYING baseball; especially when playing for the Wildcats with your friends and classmates! For 2022, St. Agnes will offer Instructional & Kid-Pitch baseball for all ages from boys and girls entering Kindergarten in 2022 to the 4th grade. With growing interest, we hope to sponsor 2 girls softball teams (10U & 13U) this spring as well. Outdoor practice begins around March 15 with the season ending around June 20. Fees are held to a minimum (\$35 - \$90 in most cases) and cover league fees, umpire pay, field maintenance and uniforms. Register on-line NOW at: <a href="http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters">http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters</a>. If you have any questions before registering, please contact Paul Finke 859-814-4979 / <a href="mailto:paulf@willismusic.com">paulf@willismusic.com</a>. We're looking forward to an amazing season!

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Spring Soccer Registration is now open: Saint Agnes offers soccer for students ages 4-13. Play games and practice at Saint Agnes Fields. Play with your classmates. Our U6 "under-6 instructional program" for ages 4-6 with a combined practice and game on Sundays from 2-3 p.m. at Saint Agnes. Our "Recreational U8 – U14 program" plays in the Northern Kentucky Soccer League (NKSL) and has weekday practices at Saint Agnes and Saturday games at various locations in Kenton County. Shirts are provided for the U6 program. Uniforms for the recreational program must be purchased during the registration process (if needed). Registration for both programs is now open at the Boosters website: <a href="http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters">http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters</a> (Click on "Registration Info").

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