



Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter
January 5, 2022

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

What a great first week back to school! The students have been excited to share all the fun they had over Christmas break with family and friends. May God continue to bring blessings to your family as we begin the new year.

~ Erin Redleski

SCHOOL NEWS

Registration for 2022-23: Our registration for new students (kindergarten and grades 1-8) for next year is now open. This is only for new students (not our current students.) Please [click here](#) for information on the enrollment process or go directly to the [registration link here](#).

7th/8th Grade Girls - BLAZE Youth Program: BLAZE is a Walking with Purpose ministry for young girls and is coming to Saint Agnes! The BLAZE Youth program is geared toward young women rooted in faith who can participate in games, fun, scripture, and prayer; it's an opportunity to share and build community with one another. BLAZE sessions will be held after school on Mondays from 3:15-4:15 p.m. from February 7 to May 23. 7th and 8th Grade girls interested in participating in the program can complete the [registration](#) and submit the \$25 registration fee by January 19 to the Saint Agnes school office.

COVID-19 Update: We currently have nine students quarantining at Saint Agnes.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

January

- 11 Poinsettia Sale; Out-of-Uniform ([family list](#))
- 12 Big Blue Bash Planning Meeting (7 p.m., library)
- 17 No School - MLK Jr. Day
- 19 PTO Meeting

February

Jan. 31-Feb. 4 Catholic Schools' Week

Volunteer Opportunities in the Library: Are you looking for flexible service hours? The library is in need of volunteers to laminate new books. You can laminate books in the library on Mondays or Fridays, or materials can be sent home to laminate at your convenience. Volunteers are also needed to check out books and help reshelve books during library classes on Mondays and Fridays. Please contact Mrs. Egan for more information! negan@saintagnes.com

PTO

Poinsettia Sale Out-of-Uniform: Thank you to all families who supported the poinsettia sale. Your support helped raise \$4,350 for the PTO/school. Students of [families](#) who sold five or more poinsettias may be out-of-uniform on Tuesday, January 11.

Big Blue Bash Cash! Cash! Cash! Raffle is Back: The CASH, CASH, CASH Grand Prize Raffle is returning. Tickets will come home today with the youngest member of each school family. If each family sells at least 10 tickets, it will help us reach our goal of \$25,000! For more information about the CASH, CASH, CASH raffle, Big Blue Bash in general, how to help and why we host it, click [here!](#)

Save the Date - Father/Daughter Winter Wonderland Dance: This year the dance will be held in Murphy Hall at St. Agnes. It will be on Saturday, January 29th from 7pm-10pm. More information to follow. Order tickets through givesmart at this link. <http://wildcats21.givesmart.com/>

Save the Date - Big Blue Bash is April 1, 2022: This year, Big Blue Bash is Back for the Future! Planning is underway and we are looking for committee members to assist with decorations, silent auction and more. The next meeting will be in the school library on January 12 at 7pm. Anyone is welcome to join! This is a great way to fill your school service hours and all help is welcomed. For more information about the Big Blue Bash, how to help and why it is such a Big Blue Deal, click [here!](#)

Wildcat Social: Get Ready Ladies! The next Wildcat Social event, "Hangover Christmas" is right around the corner on Friday, January 7th from 7pm until (?)! This will be a great get-together for all Saint Agnes moms with lots of spirits, food, and fun! The price of admission will be \$25 per person (via GiveSmart link below). Alcohol and food will be provided, but if you have a favorite, bring it along. Additionally (and optional) we will be collecting any gift cards, alcohol, or anything you have left over from the holidays to be used at the Big Blue Bash. The party will be held at Rebecca Gearing's house (791 Riverwatch Drive, Crescent Springs) with the help of hostesses: Julie Burns, Emily Edmondson, Laura Mauller, Eliz Frederic, Julie Sweet, Stephanie Lonnemann, Jodi Doughery, Katie Rawe, Heather Randolph, and Stephanie Fieler. Please register <http://wildcats21.givesmart.com/> Any questions, contact Stephanie Lonnemann at Kenning.Stephanie@gmail.com

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COMMUNITY

Girls Middle School Track: Notre Dame Academy will be offering middle school track and field for 6-8 grade girls this spring. If your daughter is interested, there will be an information/sign-up meeting at NDA in the cafeteria on Tuesday, January 25 at 6:00 p.m. If you cannot attend the meeting, please email coach Tony Barczak at tbarczak@covcath.org

Open Positions: Catholic schools in the Diocese of Covington are seeking to fill a number of immediate openings. These include classroom teachers, counselors, instructional aides, and substitute teachers. Many positions need to be filled beginning in January through the end of the 2021-22 school year. Visit the "Employment" page on the Diocesan website, www.covdio.org/schools/employment, under "Teacher Openings" and "School-Related Openings", to view the postings and for information on how to apply. Questions may be directed to skoplyay@covdio.org.

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