



Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter

February 9, 2022

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Can you believe this winter weather? Hopefully everyone stayed safe last week as ice and sleet came through the area. Student and staff safety is always a priority when making weather related decisions regarding school. Currently, we are using snow/calamity days built into our school calendar to account for school closures. Let's hope the rest of our winter season remains mild.

~ Erin Redleski

SCHOOL NEWS

COVID-19 Update: We have 3 students quarantining. 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 [Diocesan policies](#). Thank you for all you do to keep Saint Agnes healthy!

Spirit Wear Days: Please make sure your child(ren) is following our spirit wear dress code ([handbook pg. 13](#)). Friday, February 11 will be a Bengal's spirit wear day (orange and black), and Tuesday, February 15 will be a Valentine's spirit wear day (red, pink, purple). Regular uniform or gym uniform bottoms must be worn.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

February

- 10 2nd Gr. Field Trip to Children's Theater
- 11 Bengal's Spiritwear Day (orange and black)
- 11 K/1 Field Trip to Children's Theater
- 14 No School - Super Bowl (Who Dey!)
- 15 Gr. K-4 Classroom Valentine Parties (1:45 p.m.)
- 15 Gr. 5-8 Classroom Valentine Treat
❖ (treat dropped off in office, sent to classrooms)
- 15 Valentine's Spirit Wear Day (red, pink, purple)
- 15 Dewey's Fundraiser Night (Crestview Hills 4-9pm)
- 21 No School - Presidents' Day
- 21 Boosters Meeting 7:30 pm church conference rm.

March

- 1 Last day of 2nd trimester
- 2 Late Start (8:45 a.m. start time)
- 7 Skyline Eat-Out Night (Ft. Wright Skyline 3-9pm)
- 18 No School - Teacher In-service Day

Governor's Cup Help Needed: Saint Agnes is hosting the Governor's Cup Elementary District Competition on Saturday, February 12, and we need your help to make this event a success! Please click on the [Sign-up Genius](#) link to volunteer for this school-sponsored event. It's a great way to volunteer and earn family service hours. Whether you bring some soft drinks or chips for our hospitality room or help show students/parents from visiting schools where to go on the day of the competition, your participation is greatly appreciated.

Middle School Governor's Cup: Congratulations to Sam T. in the 8th grade who earned third place for the Science Written Assessment at the Middle School Governor's Cup Regional Competition!

Family Service Hours: Don't forget to log your service hours in Sycamore. Please review the [Video instructions](#) on how to log your family service hours on Sycamore.

PTO

Dewey's Pizza Give Back Night: Next Tuesday our school is partnering with Dewey's Pizza Crestview Hills location for our Give Back Night on, February 15th from 4-9pm. Your family can Dine In or make Carry Out orders, along with online orders to participate in this event, just make sure to say you are with St. Agnes School. When placing an online order mention "GBN" at step 3/3 of checkout under *Order Note*. Please note that DoorDash delivery will not count towards our fundraiser. Our school will get 20% of all food purchases that are connected to our fundraiser, so make sure to tell them you are with St. Agnes. Please share this with family, friends and coworkers. We look forward to seeing everyone at Dewey's!! Thank you for your support!

Big Blue Bash Updates:

Cash! Cash! Cash! raffle tickets - Please return the entry portion of the tickets along with payment to the school office. Tickets can also be purchased electronically at BBB2022.givesmart.com. The list of families who have sold 10 or more (as of Feb 6): Adkins, Aho, Asman, Barczak, Bishop, Branham, Butler, Costin, Dailey, Dickman (Avery), Dirheimer, Ditrick, Doyle, Forgiel, Fullenkamp, Garrison, Graham, Hail, Hasselbeck, Huss, Jordan, Kinzer, Kramer, Kreutzjans (Owen), Lantz, Lyons, McDermott, Minning, Ortwein, Randolph, Riney, Ruwe, Schroeder, Seitz, Speed, Tainter, Terrell, Weber, Weidner, Wilson, Woolley.

Big Blue Bash Raffles: We have some amazing new prizes this year in our Raffles including a \$500 tuition credit to your Saint Agnes FACTS account! Click [here](#) for all the info!

Sponsorships: Questions about Sponsorship levels? Click [here](#)! NEW SPONSORSHIP LEVEL AVAILABLE - Table Sponsor! We will offer a limited number of reserved tables of 10 for \$600 - includes 10 tickets to the event so you and your crew are guaranteed to sit together! Email with questions: SaintAgnesSchoolPTO@gmail.com.

Mission Statement of Saint Agnes School

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BOOSTERS

St. Agnes Mike Moffitt Basketball Tournament: The tournament is being held February 12-26 for the 6th/7th/8th Grades for both boys and girls. With over 54 games in 12 days (games are on Wednesday through Sunday) we need volunteers to help make this tournament successful. This tournament is a major fundraiser for scholarships for the 8th grade students (4 scholarships worth \$2,200 in total), the Booster Basketball Programs at St. Agnes, and St. Agnes School. It also allows our 6th/7th/8th grade boys and girls basketball teams to play in their home gym at least once a year.

- For adults, use this Sign-up <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F44A8A72BA4FEC61-stagnesmike1> . We need parents to volunteer to help run the clock, keep score, and be a floater to help as needed. These duties do not require any prior knowledge. We will go over how to do each of them and provide any assistance.
- For students in the 7th and 8th Grade who need volunteer hours or just want to volunteer their time to help their school, please sign-up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f44a8a72ba4fec61-stagnesmike>

So please come out and support St. Agnes. Thank you, and we look forward to seeing you at the tournament. St. Agnes Mike Moffitt Tournament Committee: Josh Randolph, Alex Edmondson, Chris Lantz, Jeff Moffitt, and Ken Schneider

Boosters: The Boosters are currently looking for new members. Our next meeting is Monday, February 21st at 7:30PM in the Church Conference Center. Everyone is welcome. We are looking for fresh ideas, suggestions, and input. We are also looking to fill the following positions:

- Boys soccer director
- Girls soccer director
- U6 soccer director
- Booster President Elect

Even if you aren't sure about committing, feel free to come with questions or just to learn more about the Boosters. Hope to see some of you there. If you have questions, contact Eric Dickman ericd18@twc.com. Thanks.

Baseball: Don't delay - registration deadline is February 13th. 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. If you have any questions before registering, please contact Paul Finke 859-814-4979 / paulf@willismusic.com. We're looking forward to an amazing season! Register on-line at: <http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/saintagnesboosters>.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Bible Study Schedule with Father Timothy Schehr: These workshops will provide adult learners an in-depth understanding of these biblical books. This will be a wonderful opportunity to learn, know and understand more about the Catholic Bible. The cost is \$35 per Bible Workshop. Register at [CovDio.org/register](https://covdio.org/register). Everyone is welcome to attend! All workshops are on Saturdays, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium (Curia building) 1125 Madison Ave. Covington, KY 41011. More information at covdio.org/oce/catholic-bible-study or call (859) 392-1529.

Schedule:

The Book of Job – March 19 & April 9, 2022, 9 - 11:30 a.m. (2 part workshop)

The Book of Psalms – Sept. 10, Oct. 1 & 29, 2022, 9 - 11:30 a.m. (3 part workshop)

The Book of Proverbs – Nov. 19, 2022, 9 - 11:30 a.m.

The Book of Wisdom – March 18 & April 22, 2023, 9 - 11:30 a.m.

NDA Softball for 7th and 8th grade girls: Softball tryouts for NDA JV team will be on 2/15 at CovCath gym 5:00-7:00, 2/16 at NDA gym 6:30-8:30, and 2/17 at CovCath Schott building at 6:15-8:00. These tryouts are open to any 7th or 8th graders in feeder schools who will be attending NDA in the future. KHSAA physicals and St. Elizabeth trainer release forms must be brought to the first day of tryouts. Forms can be found here ndapandas.org/athletics/forms. Any questions, contact Coach Stephenson stephensonj@ndapandas.org

Preschool Information: Are you looking for an exceptional pre-school experience for your four or five year old child? Julie Learning Center, located at St. Joseph Heights in Park Hills, Ky., is now registering for the 2022/23 school year. Find information on our website at www.julielearningcenter.com. Open House is on Feb. 23, 2022 at 11:30 am.

CCH Spaghetti Dinner: The CCH Parents Club would like to invite you and your family to the annual Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, February 27th from 4pm-6:30pm. This event includes performances from the Chamber Choir at 3:30pm in the auditorium and Jazz Band (throughout the evening), displays of artwork and photography pieces and demonstrations presented by the Robotics Club. Pre-order by February 23rd at www.covcath.org/dinnertickets. Tickets include dinner, salad, bread, dessert, and beverage. Tickets will also be available at the door. Hope to see you there!

Call to Action - KY School Choice Bills: House Bill 305 and Senate Bill 50 have been filed and would expand educational choice for Kentucky families. Please call or email your State Representative and Senator today and ask them to support and co-sponsor these bills. You can call 1-800-372-7181 and the operator will leave a message for your State Representative and Senator based on your home address. Education Opportunity Accounts are privately funded by citizens and businesses who donate to non-profit Account Granting Organizations (AGOs). The AGOs then use the donations to award needs-based funding to eligible families. Funding can be tailored to a student's specific needs and used for K-12 non-public school tuition and fees, online learning programs, tutoring services, therapy programs, transportation to and from school, and more.

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