

School News, Events and Reminders October 30, 2015

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Peek at the Week: 11/2-11/6

Mon. - All Soul's Day, Mass, 8am Tues. - El Toro, Food For Thought, 5-8pm

Wed. - No Mass

Open Youth Room, 2:15-4:30p Home & School Mtg, 6pm

Thurs. -

Fri. -

Living Out Our JOY Theme

What is our JOY box? Students and staff catch others doing kind deeds and nominate them for the JOY award. They simply write the name of the student and the kind deed they witnessed. Names are randomly selected each week.

IOY students this week- 7th grade girls for planning Mix It Up Day, Cadence Haines, Betsey Olson, Gable Thissen, Alex Keltgen, Elena Mercado, Entire 5th grade, Avena Fromayan, the volleyball team, Anna Wolf, Olivia Thomas, Claire Harty, Anna Schmid, William Clark, Eli Hippen, Amelia Thissen, Mark Thibault, 3rd-4th-5th graders, Addison Harty, Jason Broin, Parker Hutchinson, Carolina Hammer, Donny Johnson, Mrs. Jandl, Mac Murphy, Owen Svien, Lucy Gregoria, Maisy Southerling, Evan Ewert, Ellen Antoine, Anastasia Jaimes, Swaretta Swaray

Fr. Pedersen will be conducting **Altar Server Training** for students interested in becoming new servers. Students in grades 4 through 8 are welcome to enter this important ministry. The training sessions will be held on Saturday morning 10/31/2015 or 11/7/2015 at 9:00 AM. Training lasts one hour and fifteen minutes. One session is sufficient. Contact Bette Wolf at wolfden05@q.com to register.

Principal's Corner Happy Halloween!

Thank you to our middle school students for planning annual All School Halloween party today. Each middle school advisory group planned an activity in the gym for the younger students such as musical chairs, hockey shoot out, face painting, bowling, Halloween contest, treats, etc. Our JOY theme was evident today watching the smiles on our students' faces as they celebrated Halloween and the pride this brought our older students. What goes around comes around—and with kindness it really does. Research shows that being kind to others increases our own level of happiness as well as theirs. What's more it has a knock-on effect—kindness is contagious, so it makes our Sacred Heart community a nicer place to learn and play.

Marathon 2015 - We Walk-We Pray Our school goal: \$40,000

We want to extend a big thank you to all students and families for collecting pledges for our marathon. Even though we did not meet our goal, we are proud of our marathon amount that came in----\$33,042.68!

Some families are still sending in pledge money, so keep sending in remaining money. Marathon T-shirts were ordered today. So if your child brought in \$150 or more, a T-shirt has been ordered. If money comes in next week, we can still order your child a T-shirt.

Our top 3 Marathon students are the following:

- 1. Jack Barry---\$600
- 2. Austin Chernosky-\$475.00
- 3. Raymond Hrbacek-\$430.00

All three names were entered in a drawing **and the winner was Raymond Hrbacek!!** He won an item from our spirit wear selection.

On page 3 of our newsletter, you will find a list of those students that contributed above and beyond the required \$150.00 pledge amount. Thank you to all students for supporting Marathon 2015.

The extra recess with Ms. Bursey will take place on a warm day in the next few weeks.

Our C-STEM program is evident in our building the month of October.

- •All grades have experienced C-STEM activities in the classroom from making observations and drawing in their science engineering notebooks to designing and building planes for flight, to crafting bridges and snares, to observing caterpillars.
- ●Through donations received, we have purchased some STEM materials from Fat Brain Toys to be used in classroom centers and hands-on activities. Some of these items include: Keva blocks, Squigz, Super Fun Marble Run, Domino Pack, Citiblocks, Straw Connector sets, plus much more. Fat Brain Toys make great gifts for students that encourage creativity and critical thinking skills.
- •The old science room has been renovated for grades K-5 and materials organized and ready to go for classes.
- •New C-STEM web page on school site. A listing of STEM age appropriate web sites and free Apps have been added so your child can use at home.
 - •New bulletin boards around the school promoting STEM.
- Teachers incorporating "Growth Mindset" into the classroom. What does this mean?
 - Learn more by watching this short three minute video.

https://youtu.be/E4KEQzOW3ps?list=PLU_DKLEHvBtFe14PcaYhC1T oBL4SVfSM

Sacred Heart Catholic School Mission Statement

Sacred Heart Catholic School is dedicated to educating children through high academic and moral standards in a faith-based setting. We achieve this goal through collaboration with our families, parish and local community.



Athletic News: RAM Pride! Games:

Varsity Volleyball Tournament at St. Al's Friday, October 30th at 6:30p.m. Good luck to our varsity girls!

Congratulations to the Girls JV volleyball team on their 3rd place finish in the tournament last weekend. Check out the trophy outside the office.

A special thank you to all the volleyball and cross country coaches for a fantastic season.

Gala News:

This year we were able to purchase a set of girls' volleyball shirts and shorts and a set of girl's basketball shorts with money we received from the Gala. Thanks so much to those who donated!!

Steak, it's what's for dinner! On November 11th Sacred Heart Athletic department is partnering with the Crystal Lions and Crystal VFW to host our first annual steak dinner to benefit Sacred Heart. Tickets are on sale at the School or Parish office for \$11.

Members of the SHCS 15-16 Cross Country Team

"Hard Running and Big Hearted!"



Kids Club will be open the following non-school day: Nov. 9th

Please sign up at Kid's Club or by email by Nov. 1. The cost is \$32/day or \$20 for a half day (4 hours):

kidsclub@sacredheartschoolrobbinsdale.org

Looking ahead

Nov. 9 No School (Kid's Club open) Nov. 11 Steak Fry to benefit Athletics

Nov. 12-Operation Christmas Child begins

Nov 25-27- No School

Volunteers Needed—Access

VolunteerSpot using the icon at the bottom of our web site---- Santa's Workshop, Junior Achievement, Art Class parent helper

Meet The Staff: Lori Jandl, Third Grade Teacher, SHCS Athletic Director



This is my 8th year teaching here at Sacred Heart School. Besides teaching 3rd grade, I am the Athletic Director for SHCS and you can occasionally find me on the sidelines as a coach, or as a referee for the volleyball games. When I am not at Sacred Heart, I am a mom to three teenagers. All three attended Sacred Heart prior to attending Cooper High School. I am very active with my three kids as they are involved in volleyball, basketball, track, cross country, lacrosse, and private singing lessons. We did get our third car this summer so that the older 2 can drive themselves to functions! Now we are in the process of looking into colleges and next steps! I truly enjoy spending time with the kids here at Sacred Heart and I am fortunate to be able to do a job that I love!

Marathon EXTRA reward winners:

0 - \$190-\$234

Jameson Dempsey Sofia Gates Brayden Sazama Benicio Trujillo Eli Antoine Keira Haines

Parker Hutchinson

Aidan Laue Emma McGill Jake Worthington Ellen Antoine Thomas Heifort Joseph Silva Owen Svien Ben Classen **Cadence Haines** Andreas Laue

Lydia Svien Delaney Murphy Grace Sticha Teresa Miller Emma Ward

Javier Trujillo Kiera Laney Anna Schmid Mary Svien

Isaac Classen

Y - \$235-\$349

Annaliese Harty Ashlynn Johnson Parker Olson Adelia Hazelmyer Henry Prilaps Jordan Wordlaw Olivia Berry Anna Cephus Peter Gooley Donny Johnson **Matthew Gerding** Addison Harty Andrew Thibault Damien Jones **Edward Moore** Hilaire Mulcahy

Madeline Misiewicz-Henderson

Sophia Satterfield Claire Harty Elizabeth Olson Eli Hippen Jack Mulcahy Macallister Olson

AJ Pauly

JOY - \$350+

Adeline Loosbrock Raymond Hrbacek Catherine Thibault James McNeil Jack Barry Marin King Austin Chernosky

Ellen Wolf Caden Wall Brooke Ball Emma Jennings