



SACRED HEART AREA SCHOOL HEART TO HOME NEWSLETTER

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- April 16-20 MCA Testing Gr. 3-5
- April 20 Slumber Party & Dance
- April 23-27 Triple A & Book Fair
- April 25 Triple A Performances
- April 27 2 Hour Early Dismissal
- April 29 First Holy Communion (grade 2)
- April 30 Mid-Quarter 4
- May 5 Spring Blast
- May 9 Last day of Religious Ed.
- May 18 Hooked on Fishing—4th grade only
- May 22 4th & 5th grade field trip to cities
- May 28 No School— Memorial Day
- May 29 All school field trip to Zoo
- May 31 Last Day of School (1/2 Day)** This date is a change from May 30th due to our recent snow day. Note: No afterschool care this day



Preschoolers are inviting their Dad/ Grandpa/Uncle/Friend for donuts on April 19 & 20th at 2:15 pm.

Principal's Message Jim Opelia

MCA Testing

All of our students and teachers have been striving to achieve at the highest possible levels this year, with the Minnesota State Standards. Next week, our 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students have the chance to show what they know, by taking the MCA (Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment) test in math and reading/language arts, and science (grade 5 only). Please, be sure your child is well rested and has breakfast on the morning of these tests. Also, discuss with them, how important it is to do their best with this or any other school test. We want the test to measure what they have achieved, rather than how much they valued the test, or how they felt that day. Just do your best, boys and girls!

Plan on Fun

Next Friday night, April 20th at SHAS is Family Appreciation night. Pizza will be served at 6pm followed by the dance at 6:30pm. At 8:30 we will have popcorn and a movie. We look forward to our overnight slumber party as well. If your child is not spending the night, we ask that you pick them up by 10pm, and for those spending the night to be picked up by 7am on Saturday morning.

A Helping Hand for His Creation

Please consider helping with our **Adopt a Highway roadside cleanup on April 23rd** (If the snow is gone ☺) Let us know if you are willing to help with this event (must be at least 12 years of age to participate).

A Chance to Win \$1,000 for Tuition

The 1st Annual \$1,000 Tuition Raffle, in Memory of Dodie Nelson, will take place at Spring Blast this year. Along with many fun, delicious, and entertaining activities, this raffle stands to make it a night you won't want to miss. One lucky person will win a voucher of \$1,000 to go toward their choice of student's or family's 2018-2019 tuition (including preschool) at our school. Chances are \$10 each/no limits. The drawing will be held at the end of the evening. Keep in mind that participation in the auctions, and raffles of this evening requires a bidding number received with the purchase of a \$30 Spring Blast ticket, which includes dinner.

Spring Blast Auction Items

We are already receiving some neat items for our live auction on May 5th, including; decorative fire rings, handsome, rustic themed bars, and beautifully designed barn quilts. We are looking forward to the fun of the evening. Tickets are available at the school.



decorative fire ring



beautiful barn quilts



rustic bar for the cave

Third Grade

Third Grade News

Math - This week we challenged our brains even harder by finding a fractional part of a group such as finding $\frac{3}{4}$ of 12. Then we used what we learned to solve word problems that require multi - steps in order to get the answer. It was awesome to see the progress that was made and to know that each of the students took pride in being able to accomplish the process it took to be successful!

Reading - Our story this week was called, "Suki's Kimono". It told the story of Suki who decides to wear her kimono on the first day of school. In the end, she learns that it is okay to be herself and to do the things she likes the best. We also learned 3 Japanese words and used context clues to understand their meanings. Obachan = grandmother, obi = sash, and geta = wooden clogs.

* To prepare for MCA tests next week - we used the chrome books to check out the testing site. There we found student tutorials on what to look for and how to use the keys that will appear on the screen during testing. The students also had the chance to look at item samples in both math and reading.

-Mrs. McIlravy and the 3rd graders



Spring Blast May 5, 2018

Kentucky Derby

Ticket for sale \$30 each

Mass: 4:00 pm

Mint Julep Mingle with cash bar: 5:00pm

Supper: 6:00pm Catered by Detloff Custom Catering. (Sliced ham, fried chicken, au gratin potatoes, green beans, coleslaw, cornbread and dessert.

Run for the Roses Live Auction following supper. Silent auction will begin at 5pm.

Show up in your derby best for a chance at a prize.



If you have anything you would like to donate for either the live or silent auctions we are in need of the following:

- * Large items for our live auction –Examples: furniture, trips, dinners, services, quilts, etc. If you would like specifics, please inquire.
- * Items or gift baskets for our silent auction
- * Gift certificates, concert and event tickets
- * Cash donations to help purchase supplies

Also, a letter was sent home about the Liquor and Pantry Wagons. Please donate according to your oldest child at the school. Grades 2,4, and 5 should donate to the liquor wagon & grades Pre-k, k, 1, and 3 should donate to the pantry wagon. If you have any questions feel free to call the school.

We look forward to a great evening, and with your support "The Kentucky Derby" will be a great success!



THIRD QUARTER ACCOMPLISHMENTS

DISCIPLESHIP AWARD	Abiri Ziegler	Isabel Cole	Millinda DeWald	Carson DeWald
Aro Edwards	Marleigh Jensen	Eli Greenwaldt	Gabe Gibson	Drake Holmberg
Lily Brichacek	Roxy Mertens	Jameson Harvey	Emitt Hageman	Carolyn Hoppe
Abby Brichacek	Kaylee Perius	Avery Japke	Danika Holmberg	Chloe Larson
	Taylee Reese	Skye Larson	Alex Leach	Clara Maros
GOOD SAMARITAN AWARD	John Schotzko	Alexis Opelia	Daniel Reese	Kana Reese
Brennen Sonenstahl	Sawyer Story	Andrew Paklonsky	Alex Dolezal	Haydn Ziegler
Stella Daniels	Grace Dalquist	Riley Reese	Brooklyn Winter	Isabelle Becker
	Alexa Dolezal	Eli Rutten	Ava Birkholtz	Hannah Cole
	Lauren Dolezal	Sam Zimmermann	Isabel Cole	Mabel Haehnel
ACHIEVEMENT AWARD	Leah Greenwaldt	Jacob Becker	Eli Greenwaldt	Marquise Poncelet
Lily Brichacek	Cooper Voeltz	Jade Story	Jameson Harvey	Rose Zimmermann
Oskar Doll	Mabel Haehnel		Avery Japke	Axel Mertens
Piper Hanson	Maddock Harvey		Skye Larson	TOP AR AWARD
Lucy Maros	Tessa Jensen	Lily Brichacek	Alexis Opelia	
Jack Norris	Ronnie Noska	Oskar Doll	Andrew Paklonsky	Ian Tappe
Charlie Noska	Joey Opelia	Lucy Maros	Riley Reese	Kaylee Perius
Angelina Paklonsky	Madison Perius	Jack Norris	Sam Zimmermann	Clara Maros
Ben Rutten	Marquise Poncelet	Charlie Noska		
Brennen Sonenstahl	Katelyn Schotzko	Brennen Sonenstahl	IMPROVEMENT AWARD	Katelyn Schotzko
Ben Stevens	Gavin Stevens	Ben Stevens	Piper Hanson	Miranda Schotzko
Ian Tappe	Rose Zimmermann	Ian Tappe	Angelina Paklonsky	
Joshua Winter	Ava Birkholtz	Joshua Winter	Ben Rutten	
	Abby Brichacek	Isaac Cole	Abiri Ziegler	



The Spring Blast is approaching fast. We need lots of help to pull this event off. A sign up sheet was sent home last week, please fill it out and return to the school by Friday, April 28th. Besides helping the night of the event, we will be setting up @ 1:30 on Friday, May 4th. This is a huge job and we need everyone's help!!!

