



# SACRED HEART AREA SCHOOL HEART TO HOME NEWSLETTER

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- UPCOMING **EVENTS**
- April 23-26 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



## Principal's Message Jim Opelia

### Its Here!

It is finally here, the overnight slumber party! This is one of the favorite events for SHAS students, having the opportunity to spend the night at the school playing games, dancing, and watching movies. Be sure to bring your family for pizza at 6pm, stay for some music and dance, and fellowship with friends. We do ask that you **let us know how many are coming for pizza** and how many are staying overnight. This way we have plenty for all without waste, and we can do a better job of keeping track of youngsters. Mrs. Przybilla, Mr. O. and a few parents will be staying overnight as well. We ask parents to have your children **leave their electronic devices at home**, to experience good old fashion interactions with their friends. **Don't forget your favorite board games, blankets, pillow, and pajamas!** 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.

### Arts and Academics Awards Week

Next Wednesday night, be sure to join us for AAA performances at the SHAS gym. Keep in mind that judging will be taking place Monday & Tuesday. Students should bring projects into school Monday morning and/or be ready to perform for judges. The book fair will be available next week as well. *It is at this meeting every year that we also vote for Home and School Officers. If you are interested in becoming an officer please contact Jill Perius.*

### Important Events

Congratulations to those confirmed in the Church last Tuesday! May God bless you always as an adult member of the Church! Next week-end will be special and very busy for many of us. On top of Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> being the Staples-Motley Prom Night, our second graders will be receiving First Communion, Sunday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at the 8:30AM Sacred Heart Mass. We are excited for the boys and girls to receive this most special sacrament for the first time. We hope they continue to do this throughout their lives, and to always follow Jesus.

### Fairy Tale Performances

The First Graders performed Little Red Riding Hood and the Three Little Pigs for other grade levels last Friday afternoon. They had a lot of fun and were very entertaining.



### A Busy Scheduled Month

The month of May will be very busy, as usual, for our Sacred Heart Area School family. Here are some **important dates** to start putting on your calendars

- April 29<sup>th</sup> - First Communion
- May 5<sup>th</sup> - Spring Blast (*we will need help*)
- May 7-11 Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 22 -4th & 5th grade State Capitol Field Trip
- May 24<sup>th</sup> - Kindergarten Graduation
- May 25<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation
- May 29<sup>th</sup> - Pre-K-5<sup>th</sup> Hemker Zoo Field Trip
- May 31<sup>st</sup> - Last Day of School / Picnic

### A Chance to Win \$1,000 of Tuition

As stated last week, the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual \$1,000 Tuition Raffle, in Memory of Dodie Nelson, will take place at Spring Blast this year. 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.

# FOURTH GRADE

Holy Moly!! The time is flying by way too fast! We have so much to learn yet here in 4<sup>th</sup> grade, but the year is coming to an end. We have been learning the Works of Mercy in religion, and we know there are 7 Corporal and 7 Spiritual Works of Mercy. There are many things we can do to accomplish these steps left by Jesus, but if we are not physically able to do something, we can always pray.

We have been learning many things in math lately, such as algebra, multiplying many digits, multi-step long division, and now, we are learning the order of operations. Some things come pretty quick to us, while others take a few days, but we always come out with the light bulb shining brightly.

We continue to do our reading selections every week. We have read about a boy detective named Encyclopedia, a family that called a cargo ship home in the late 1800s, The Lost City of Machu Picchu, and this week's story is about Amelia Earhart and Eleanor Roosevelt. We continue to learn from these stories, and we dig a little deeper on Thursdays, using the Chromebooks, to learn even more about the topic. We love reading these stories.

Some things we want you to know: There are 28.5 days left of school, we have 4 field trips in May, we only have one more class mass left, and we also took the first of our MCA tests this week. Wow!

-Mrs. P and the 4<sup>th</sup> 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!*



**BOOK FAIR**  
**April 23rd-26th**  
Located in Miss Kelly's Pre-K room before school, after school, during lunch & Wednesday night during AAA performances.

**IT'S OFF THE LEASH!**  
SCHOLASTIC

AAA projects need to be in by Monday, 4/23, morning. Projects will be judged on Monday & Tuesday.



Don't forget to bring in your liquor and pantry wagon items for the Spring Blast!!!



The Spring Blast is approaching fast. We need lots of help to pull this event off. A sign up sheet was sent home a couple of weeks ago, 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!!!

## FRIENDLY REMINDER

Please turn in your completed 2018-19 enrollment forms. It is very helpful to have these when preparing for the upcoming school year. Thanks!