



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER October 13, 2017

Dear Families –

This week, we completed the necessary mandated drills (fire, intruder, and tornado) as required for all schools. With the new addition occupancy at the end of the semester, we will be redoing our Crisis Plan to accommodate new classroom locations and will practice these drills again in January/February due to the new locations of classrooms. We appreciate the students being responsible and following procedures for these drills.

Parent/Teacher Conference forms went home this week. Just a reminder they are due on October 18th. Thank you!

Congratulations to our Cross Country team on a great season. Also, congratulations to Audrey Huffman, Anna May, and Kohen Hoots who all advanced to IESA state. They will compete on Saturday at Maxwell Park in Normal, IL. Good Luck! Also, congratulations to our ILMEA participants on Mondays performance and special congrats to Maili Kemple as she advanced and will perform for all-district choir on November 4th at Western. Go Shamrocks!

Parent Club form went home this week asking parents if they are willing to have their name printed in the Parent Club directory. This tool helps other parents to contact each other for classroom parties, etc. The date on the form indicated 10/13 as a due date. The school held the forms until this week and therefore the due date is a week later – 10/20/17. Please complete and return as soon as possible. Thank you.

The Sports Banquet for baseball, softball, cross country, and golf will be held Thursday, October 19 at 6:00 p.m. at the KC Hall. Hamburgers will be provided. We are asking each sport to contribute the following item for the potluck: baseball and golf – dessert and softball and cross country – a side dish. Drink and hamburgers will be provided.

Shamrock Scramble Wrap-Up

The 2017 Shamrock Scramble, The Pat and Mike Garde Memorial Golf Tournament, was once again a great success. Mother Nature tried to steal the show by providing a beautiful day for golf, but the stars of the day were all the people who participated as golfers, hole sponsors and supporters of the outing.

This year, we fielded 21 teams for the golf tournament, 6 more than last year. In addition, we generated over \$1200 in hole sponsorships. Overall, the 2017 Shamrocks Scramble raised just over \$4000 for the Pat and Mike Garde Athletic Account.

I would like to thank all of our hole sponsors for their generosity. In addition, a huge thanks goes out to Butch Wood (Charlie's 19th Hole) for feeding the golfers on the course and to Keith Ward (The Links Golf Course) for all the behind the scenes help with the outing. A special thanks to the Knights of Columbus for the meal after the tournament and to Ross Chumley and Dick Anthony for being the grill masters.

In conclusion, the 2017 Shamrock Scramble was a great event due to the kindness and generosity of everyone involved. Thanks again for the support. Next year's tournament will be on Sunday, October 7th. See you at the Links!

Parent Club is having their annual holiday pie sale. This fundraiser helps fund many activities throughout the year for the students and staff. Pie delivery will be November 17th. Contact Missy Naeve for any questions at 371-2120.

The RCHS/OSS Sports Boosters would like to invite all parents of Our Saviour School athletes to join them. They meet the 1st Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. at the KC Hall. If you have any questions, please call Mari Moore at 473-6343.

As a reminder, students should **not** be bringing coffee, hot chocolate, juice, or other beverages to the gym in the morning. Water bottles are allowed in some classrooms and those are acceptable.

THANK YOU to all those who collect Boxtops! We have used these funds recently for many items needed in the building renovation/addition. We have bought multiple whiteboards for our classrooms, Prek supplies, cork to make tack

boards out of the old chalk boards, a new water fountain for the primary area, and new nameplates for the classrooms. We couldn't have made these many purchases to upgrade our building if it weren't for our Boxtop Collectors! THANK YOU!

Please see the Cub Scout information attached to this week's newsletter.

The thought this week continued to be from 1 Peter 5:7 - "Cast all your worries upon him because he cares for you."

Have a wonderful fall weekend.

Blessings,

Mrs. Stevie VanDeVelde

SERVER SCHEDULE:

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| 7 a.m. - Mon-Tue: | R. Beeley & A. Laumakis |
| 7 a.m. - Wed-Thurs: | K. Little & C. Marshall |
| 8:20 a.m. - Fri: | E. Bruere, B. Gilmore, & A. Coop |

Dates to Remember:

October 18 – Skate Night
October 19 – Sports Banquet for baseball, softball, cross country, and golf – KC Hall – 6:00 p.m.
October 20 – End of 1st Quarter. Day of Prayer for Life
October 22 – Children's Choir performs at 10:30 Mass
October 22 – 27 – Red Ribbon Week
October 25 – No PM bus
October 26 – Advisory Board – 7:00 p.m. – Upper Convent
October 27 – Report Cards home
October 27 – SIP day – 11:30 dismissal. No PM bus
October 28 – Fall Fellowship – Trunk or Treat
October 31 – Halloween Parade – 2 p.m. – More information to follow

Come and Join
Cub Scout Pack 113
Open House & Cookout
Sunday October 22nd 4:00 PM
Nichols Park Pavilion
For boys 1st – 5th grade

Scouting is a year-round program uniquely designed to meet the needs of young people and their families. The program offers fun and challenging activities that promote character development and physical fitness. Family involvement is an essential part of the program, and parents are encouraged to play an active role in making the most of the short time they have to impact the lives of their children.

Scouting is designed to be experienced outdoors. Hiking, camping, mountain biking, skateboarding, BMX, mountain climbing, kayaking, whitewater rafting--these are just some of a Scout's outdoor experiences.

Cub Scouts are broken into a small group called a pack. Each pack has dedicated leaders and volunteers who are tasked with teaching Cub Scouts both fun and valuable lessons that will help them progress in the program and in life. But what makes Cub Scouts truly unique is the opportunity it gives the entire family to be involved in each child's development. From volunteering with the pack to leading activities at home, parents can take full advantage of the extra time they'll have participating in their Cub Scout's life.

Cub Scouting is the foundation of our organization. And while it is designed for youth in the first through fifth grades, this program really involves the whole family as parent's pitch in to plan and deliver activities. Cub Scouting is affirmative and fun focused. There are currently 1.3 million Cub Scouts and 395,000 adult volunteers in the United States.

