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Notes from St. Patrick School Office week of January 28, 2019

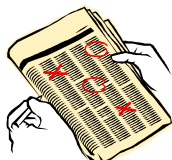
PLEASE NOTE – EARLY DISMISSAL ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2019 AT 11:30, NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2019



St. Patrick School Financial Aid – Very Important For families who will apply for financial aid from St. Patrick School, an application must be completed on the FACTS website before March 1, 2019. In order to receive aid, families must complete 20 volunteer hours, attend the “Protecting God’s Children” class, and apply for Empower Illinois and FACTS.



Mark your calendar – for Saturday, March 30, 2019 for the St. Patrick School Auction at the K of C Hall with dinner beginning at 6:30pm. We need your presence to make this event a winner for St. Patrick School. Tickets will be sent home in a few weeks and are the same price as last year at \$25.00. Please attend or sell to family or friends.



Advertising for Annual Auction – If you know of a business or company who might advertise in our Auction Ad book, please call the office with this information and they will be contacted – or you are welcome to make a direct contact. The ad form is included in this week’s packet. Money raised from ads goes toward keeping tuition affordable.



Kindergarten Screening- Please share information with friends that St. Patrick School has Kindergarten Screening for **2019-2020 School Year on Tuesday, February 12, 2019**. Please call the school office at 423-4351 to make an appointment.



BLOOD DRIVE – There is still time to register for the annual St. Patrick School – Central Illinois Blood Center Blood Drive. Call the school office at 423-4351 to register for Wednesday, January 30, 2019 from 2:30 until 5:30pm.

Volunteer Hours for those who have completed Protecting God’s Children:



1. Workers are needed to help with the auction. It’s a great way to get volunteer hours. Call the school office 423-4351.
2. Buy quilt raffle tickets and dinner auction tickets to earn hours.
3. Get a new ad. A new ad equals 1 volunteer hour.
4. Volunteers are always needed for library, playground supervisor, door greeter, selling raffle tickets and dinner tickets after Masses. Please save aluminum cans, box tops, and ink cartridges and bring them to school.

Each family must acquire 20 volunteer hours this school year to qualify for the 2019-2020 tuition discount of \$200.00. **Protecting God’s children and a background check are required before any volunteer work can be done.** Many families have already completed their volunteer hours. Our thanks to them and all volunteers. There will be a PGC class at St. James on April 30 at 6:30pm at St. James Parish House.

Our thanks to Home & School for providing volunteers for the Book Fair during Catholic Schools Week.

FastDirect – Students' grades are updated every Sunday evening by midnight. If you do not have access to a computer, our school library or lab is available.

Monday, January 28, 2019

- ✠ Pastries with Parents 6:45 to 8:00am
- ✠ Open House 8:00am to Lunch.
- ✠ Book Fair and Science Fair
- ✠ Scholastic Bowl practice 3pm
- ✠ Bingo Macon County Fairgrounds 5:30pm

Tuesday, January 29, 2019

- ✠ All City Catholic School Mass 10:00am at OLOL, grades 2 to 8
- ✠ Book Fair and Science Fair
- ✠ Handcrafted cards for Parish shut-ins

Wednesday, January 30, 2019

- ✠ Assembly "Switchback" 8:15am
- ✠ Blood drive with bloodmobile present 2:30 to 5:30pm
- ✠ Book Fair and Science Fair
- ✠ Pre-K 3/4 Open House 8 to 9:30am
- ✠ Father John's birthday

Thursday, January 31, 2019

- ✠ Mass, 8:00am for grades K to 5
- ✠ Animal Tales 9:00am assembly
- ✠ Book Fair
- ✠ Science Fair

Friday, February 1, 2019

- ✠ Science Fair
- ✠ Assembly, 1:30pm, Solve a Mystery – Professor Steve

Saturday, February 2, 2019

- ✠ Pasta Dinner, presented by the K of C at St. Teresa 5 to 7pm. Carry out available. This is to help with scholarships for St. Teresa.