



ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENT BULLETIN

April 1, 2022

St. Augustine Catholic School nurtures children in their God-centered faith journey, while promoting academic excellence, individual growth, and life-long service inspired by the Gospel.

St. Augustine does not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, ethnicity, religious affiliation, English proficiency or disability.

PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

I am very excited two of our students will participate in the Solo & Ensemble Contest on Saturday. Good luck Alistair and Evan! Thank you, Mr. Barnasy for preparing our students and Mrs. Miller for accompanying them!

Next week our Kindergarten through 8th grade students will take the Spring Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) test. The MAP test is a computerized adaptive test offered in Reading, Language Usage, Math and Science providing St. Augustine educators with information to improve teaching and learning. The difficulty of each question is based on how well a student answers all the previous questions. It is important to understand that the MAP test is one test, at one point in time. It does not measure intelligence or a student's capacity for learning. Please help make their testing experience successful by encouraging an early bedtime and a healthy breakfast!

2022-23 REGISTRATION

Remember to complete and return your application paperwork soon. Their early return helps us in ordering supplies for next year. **Forms and fees are due by April 30th.**

EDCHOICE EXPANSION APPLICATION

The EdChoice Expansion Scholarship window is open for the 2022-23 school year for all children entering Kindergarten through 8th Grade. Please send your forms and documentation to Mrs. Minnick as soon as possible. Feel free to call the school office with any questions.

ST. PAT'S DINNER AND AUCTION

Thank you to all who put so much time and effort into this year's Dinner and Auction. Many hours and talents were contributed to this annual event, making it the success that it was.

2022-23 KINDERGARTEN SCREENING

Our Kindergarten screening will take place on Wednesday, April 13th from 9:00-11:00 am. Reservations are required. Packets were mailed to those of you who have already reached out. We admit children to our Kindergarten class if they are 5 years old by September 30, 2022. Call the school office if you have any questions. And refer your friends!

RIGHT TO READ RESULTS

Our students did a terrific job in accumulating minutes of reading last week! The daily school totals, in minutes, were as follows:

Monday- 1,773
Tuesday- 1,234
Wednesday- 1,556
Thursday- 1,060
Friday- 1,253

Total- 6,876

Because students surpassed their goal of 5,000 minutes for the week, they were rewarded with watching the movie "Horton Hears A Who", along with popcorn and drinks. Also, the book bracket winner was *The Legend of Rock, Paper, Scissors* by Drew Daywalt.

GYM DAY CHANGE

Please note: There is a change in our gym schedule for next week. Gym will be held on Thursday, April 7th, rather than Wednesday, April 6th.

RICE BOWL REFLECTION

For more than 45 years, Lenten alms given through CRS Rice Bowl have supported programs that prevent hunger and poverty around the world. Seventy-five percent of gifts help support CRS's work in more than 100 countries. Twenty-five percent of gifts remain in each U.S. diocese where they are given to support hunger and poverty alleviation efforts in those communities.

Remember, we ask that your family's rice bowls be returned to the school office when we return from Easter break.

ENTRÉES FOR THE WEEK OF April 4, 2022

This may be viewed on FastDirect under "Cafeteria"

MONDAY - Hot Chicken Sandwich
TUESDAY - Walking Tacos
WEDNESDAY -Hamburger
THURSDAY - Baked Potato w/toppings
FRIDAY - Pizza Hut cheese pizza

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

This may be viewed on FastDirect, "Planner", under Mrs. Majewski's calendar

4/1/22	5:00-7:00 pm Drive-Thru Fish Fry (from the back of school)
4/2/22	Solo & Ensemble Contest
4/4/22	Dress Down Day MAP testing begins
4/5/22	3:15-4:15 pm Drama Club Full Cast rehearsal
4/6/22	5:00 pm Parents Club meeting
4/7/22	3:15-4:15 pm Drama Club Full Cast rehearsal
4/8/22	8:45 am School Mass 5:00-7:00 pm Drive-Thru Fish Fry School Staff will be serving

