

August 30, 2021

Saint Ann School News

- **Reminder:** Parents, there is no supervision for students before 7:15 AM at school. Students may be on campus at 7:15 AM. ***Any child on the school grounds before 7:15 AM must be supervised by parents/guardians.***

Emergency Preparedness Kit Cover Letter, Information Form, and Baggie

*The information on the form and in your child's kit is extremely important for responding to an emergency at school. Please return this emergency form and the kit to your classroom teacher no later than **Friday, Sep. 3rd**

- **Picture Day is September 1st**- Order forms will be in Monday envelope. Please have your child bring the order form in on Picture Day with payment. Students will wear their school uniforms only, **no spirit wear**. If you would like to order pictures, be sure to send the Lifetouch School Portraits order envelope and money with your child(ren) on Wednesday. **Please send separate checks and separate order forms for each individual student.** Extra order forms are available in the school office. Note: If your daughter is wearing a headband, keep it simple and colors need to be solid red, gray, white, black or school plaid.
- **Parade of 1000 Flags is Saturday, Sept.11th** - Saint Ann is assigned 20 flags (2 rows). Please contact the office if you are interested. Wear your Saint Ann polo or spirit wear and meet behind the Sierra Lanes Bowling Alley. See the flyer attached in today's electronic Monday Newsletter for more information.
- **SCIENCE CAMP** – Time to start planning for Science Camp for current 6, 7, & 8 graders. We are looking for a lead and support to help guide fundraisers. Please call or stop by the office if you are interested. ****At this time, the diocese will not allow field trips that require students to stay overnight. We can tentatively plan on a date for the Spring of 2022, but COVID cases and protocol could change our ability to attend the Science and Nature Camp this school year****
- **Volunteers-** If you would like to volunteer at the school you will need to do the Safe Environment online training, finger prints, TB screening and sign the Code of Conduct. The paperwork is available in the school office. If you want to drive for Field Trips, we will also need a copy of your Driver's License, Registration and Insurance Declaration showing that you have coverage for \$100,000-\$300,000 liability and also sign a Volunteer Driver statement (available in the school office). **All of this must be on file in order to volunteer in the classroom and or drive for a field trip.**
- **World's Finest Chocolate Bars fundraiser** – Your oldest child will be sent home with a box of candy Friday, Sept. 10th. For **MOU students**, please stop by the school office to pick up your box. Each box only has 60 bars and they are sold for \$1 each. (Extra boxes are available in the school office once you have sold your first box) Each family has 4 weeks to sell their box (es) and all money is due by Thursday, September 30th. There will be prizes for the top three sellers so please support our school and sell as many boxes as you can.
- **Parent/Student Handbooks-** Parent/Student Handbooks will be sent electronically. There is a form to sign stating that you received it and have read it (pg 60). Students in grade 5-8 need to sign it also.

- **Lunch Vouchers** – They will be in your child’s Monday envelope if you ordered them. Vouchers are still available for purchase throughout the year. The value of each voucher is \$3. If you would like more than one item for hot lunch, please submit 2 vouchers.
- **Hot Lunch** starts this week on Thursday September 2nd. The pink order slips are in the Monday envelope. The slips and the money are due back tomorrow. If you are using **vouchers**, please attach to the pink slip. (Vouchers are still available for purchase in the school office)
- Hot lunch is pizza-provided by the Kindergarten class.
- **Money:** It has come to our attention that some students are bringing an excessive amount of money to school, especially on Wednesdays when ice cream is sold at lunch. Please ensure that your child is bringing no more than \$1 and your permission to buy an otter pop or an ice cream. Some students are bringing \$10 or more.
- **Toys:** Please ensure that your child is not bringing toys, especially Pokemon cards to school. This causes a distraction during the school day, and if toys are lost or damaged, this creates another situation entirely. In particular, Pokemon cards have created an issue. Mrs. Sherrick spoke with the students last Friday to let them know those cards need to remain at home; if students bring them on campus, Mrs. Sherrick will hold onto them until a parent can come to pick them up. Thank you for your assistance with these matters.
- Reminders:
 - Remember to place your **scrip pre-orders** on-line by Tuesday at 8:30 AM for pick up on Friday. Register by going to: shopwithscrip.com, then enter your e-mail address and enrollment code 25L431848721.
 - We are looking for SCRIP sellers (counts as parent fundraiser hours) on Fridays before and after school. If you’re interested, please contact Abby Nazeck at scrip@parishofsaintann.org

Upcoming Events

Mon. Aug. 30.....STAR Testing Begins thru Sept. 17
 Wed. Sept. 1.....Picture Day
 Thurs. Sept 2..... Hot Lunch-Grade K (Pizza)
 Fri. Sept 3.....School Mass; Grade 6 Leads
 Fri. Sept. 3.....**Minimum Day; 11:30 AM Dismissal (Accreditation)**
 Mon. Sept. 6.....**No School; Labor Day**

Have a blessed week!