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on Monday, October 30th. Many thanks to our volunteer librarians: Mrs. Virginia Blakie, Mrs. Janis Blakie, and Mrs. Jackie Bell.



For the month of October, we'll be praying a decade of the rosary in class each day; on Wednesday morning, we'll meet in the grotto (instead of the Parish Center) to have assembly/pray a decade of the rosary.

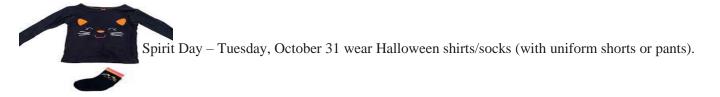




The annual pumpkin carving/decorating contest will be on Friday, October 27^h. Students should bring their pumpkins to school that morning. Pumpkins will sit on the benches in the quad for viewing all day. Winners will be announced at the end of the day. Let the carving begin!

- Snack Time Saint Ann School is selling snacks Monday Friday from 9:40 10:15 in the school office. Small snacks - .50 C / Large snacks - \$1.00
- Perfect attendance and Honor Roll certificates for 1st Quarter were presented at today's morning assembly.

Halloween Boo Grams – Please fill out the slip (s) and return with \$1.00 each in an envelope marked "Boo Grams" Grams will include a piece of candy and are due by Wednesday, October 25. There are extra Boo Grams in the office if you need more. Boo Grams will be delivered Friday, October 27.



Two Hot lunch slips are in the Monday envelope. The pink is for our regular Thursday hot lunch and the blue is for Friday. PLEASE KEEP THE SLIPS AND THE MONEY SEPARATE for each lunch. Slips AND money are due by Tuesday @ 11:00 AM. We will only accept late hot lunch slips if the student was absent on the previous day.
*Thursday- Hot lunch Tacos hosted by 2nd grade.

* Friday- Hot lunch Cheeseburgers/Hamburgers hosted by 7th grade.

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- **Lunches/Snacks:** Lunches and snacks are to be sent with students each morning. Students must eat their breakfast/drink their beverages before arriving at school. Parents are strongly discouraged from dropping off fast food or home-prepared food during the day. At most, this should be reserved as a special treat on a birthday. Soda is not allowed on campus and should not be sent in a student's lunch or snack.
- Water Bottles- all students must bring their own water bottles. There are filling stations on campus for refills. Only water in a water bottle is allowed in classrooms.



Middle School Girls' Volleyball Game Schedule Please come cheer them on! Admission is \$3 for adults, \$2 for Students. 5 years and younger are free.

Games this week are as follows:•Date: 10/25 Opponent: MojaveLocation: Saint AnnTime: 4:00 PM•Date: 10/26 Opponent: WallaceLocation: Saint AnnTime: 3:30 PM



Middle School Service Project – For the month of October – November 3, Saint Ann Middle School will be collecting mittens and gloves of all sizes to be donated to our parish food bank, who will then distribute them to those in need. Please join us in donating a pair (or two!) of mittens and gloves. Students should drop them off to their own classrooms. Thank you!

• PTG Upcoming Events & Fundraisers

- Fall Festival will be this Friday, October 27 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the quad. The PTG is asking that each family donate one large bag of candy or two small bags. Volunteers are needed to work shifts of thirty minutes at the food booth, games and cupcake walk.
- Fall Festival parent hour signup sheets are posted in the office. Please come signup for parent hours.
- Birthday Grams \$5.00

Holiday Bazaar: Dates of the bazaar are November 10, 11 and 12 at the Parish Hall. Here is an update on all the activities for the bazaar and areas where parent help is needed:

- Raffle Table Donations: We are in need of donations for the Raffle Table at the Holiday Bazaar. If you own a business and would like to donate a prize for the raffle, your help is much appreciated. Also, we would appreciate other donations such as: a homemade quilt, small kitchen appliances, toys, gift baskets etc. (these are just examples)
- Bake goods table: It is time to put on our aprons and bake up a storm! The baked goods portion of the bazaar has been very popular and successful. *Just like anything, it takes the effort of many to make this a success.* One batch of baked goods equals ½ hour of parent participation hours. Baked goods can be dropped off starting Thursday, Nov. 9th and are needed all day Friday and Saturday to restock the baked goods table.

Upcoming Events

Wed.	Oct. 25	CCD-Rosary & Benediction soup supper @ 5:00pm
Fri.	Oct. 27	School Mass led by 6 th grade
Fri.	Oct. 27	Pumpkin Carving Contest
Fri.	Oct. 27	Fall Festival
Tue.	Oct. 31	Spirit Day- wear Halloween shirts/socks (with school shorts or pants)

For any parent concerns or changes you would like to see at our school please email the Advisory Board at advisoryboard@parishofsaintann.org