

Free Throw Contest Winners

There were 40 participants in the recent Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest. Winners were:

- Boys 9 - Ethan Chung
- Boys 10 - Kevin Lillwitz
- Boys 11 - Sam Lillwitz
- Boys 12 - Connor Brenkacz
- Boys 13 - Austin Miller
- Boys 14 - Chris Cartwright
- Girls 9 - Kloie McCoy
- Girls 10 - Alexandra Powell
- Girls 11 - Abigail Vagnoni
- Girls 12 - Morgan Curley

These winners will advance to the District event at Aurora Central on February 14.

Restaurant Night

Mark your calendar for January 27. This month's restaurant fundraiser will be at *Chic-Fil-A* in Oswego. Holy Angels will receive a portion of the proceeds for all sales this day.

Homework Club

There are 30 students currently enrolled in our after school Homework Club. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to get help with their homework. We rely on the generosity of our junior high students to provide the help. Unfortunately, we had only 1 student volunteer to help for this semester. If your 7th or 8th grader is interested in helping, please contact Mrs. Williams. This is a simple way for them to earn service hours. Without additional help, we will have to cancel this after school activity.

ECHOES OF ANGELS



Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. It starts the last Sunday in January and runs all week, (January 31 - February 6) The theme for the National Catholic Schools Week 2016 is "Catholic Schools: Communities of Faith, Knowledge and Service."

The events for this year's celebration begin with an open house on Sunday, January 31 from 10:30-12:30. The Fine Arts Fair will be featured in the library. On Monday, students may dress as their favorite "soup-er" hero and bring a can of soup. On Tuesday, students may add a high school or college sweatshirt to their uniforms. Teachers are celebrated on Wednesday with a special luncheon in their honor. On



KIDS Club Candy Sale

KIDS Club is planning on hosting a candy sale the week of Valentine's Day. These students are looking for candy donations (non-chocolate and no nuts, please.) All bags of candy may be sent to the office. All proceeds will be used to service the needs of others in our community. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Generosity

We received a kind thank you from the Children's Turmor Foundation for our support of \$527 from a fall dress down day.

We also raised \$1476 for the family of Juan Torres Esparza. Thank you for your generosity for his family during this very difficult time.

Lost and Found

All lost and found items will be displayed beginning Monday until Thursday of next week. Whatever isn't claimed will be donated to St. Vincent DePaul. Feel free to come and check the tables for any missing items belonging to your children.

Education Credit

Education credit letters will be emailed home next Tuesday. Please check your inboxes for this important tax document.

Thursday, students may dress as their future self. We celebrate our school on Friday with a spirit wear day and the annual teachers vs. 8th graders volleyball game. Friday is also an early dismissal day. On Saturday, we celebrate our families with our Family Fun Fest.

Fun Fair

The Fun Fair Committee is busy making plans for the 2016 Colossal Carnival of Fun on February 6. We need volunteers! Have fun and get your PIP hours! Help is needed on Friday for set up and on Saturday for set up, working, and clean up. High school students who are need of service hours are also welcome. Please note all volunteers (over the age of 16) must have completed volunteer paperwork in the office prior to the event. Contact Mary and Dan Piecuch at mfpiecuch70@gmail.com or dmpiecuch@yahoo.com to volunteer. Fun Fair would not be possible without so many amazing volunteers!

Next Week

Monday -

Tuesday -

Wednesday - HSA Restaurant Night

Thursday -

Friday - Mass 8:15

Honor Roll Mass

Did you know...

"STEM is an acronym for science, technology, engineering and math – growing fields that many experts believe will form the basis of the global economy over the next decade.

Economic projections point to a need for approximately 1 million more STEM professionals than the U.S. will produce at the current rate over the next decade if the country is to retain its historical preeminence in science and technology.

Not enough students are graduating with STEM backgrounds to fill the open positions in the marketplace. If current trends continue, more than 90 percent of all scientists and engineers in the world will be living in Asia."

