

ST. CATHERINE LABOURE SCHOOL NEWS

April 2017

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



April 3-7

ITBS Testing Grades 3-8

April 4

5pm – PTO Board Meeting

April 6

3-4:30pm – Placement Testing for
New Students Grades 2-8

5pm-9pm – PTO Fundraiser at
Isaac's - Paxton St

April 7

9am – School Mass 3C

2:15pm – Stations of the Cross
Grades 1-4

April 8

9am-12pm – First Holy Communion
Retreat – Cafeteria

A Message from the Principal, Sister Mary Anne Sweeney

Dear Parents and Guardians,

May the love of the Crucified Christ and the joy of the Risen Jesus transform our lives and fill our hearts with peace!

The emerging beauty of nature at the beginning of Spring and the sacredness of Holy Week heighten our anticipation of the great feast of Easter. All of the Easter stories remind us how Jesus dies and rises to new life in us here and now in all the joyful and sorrowful moments of our everyday lives. Be assured of many prayerful remembrances during the final days of Lent and especially during the Easter Triduum.

We are looking forward to record-breaking attendance at our "Topper Trot" on April 22. What a wonderful way to honor our dear Monsignor Topper, along with helping those in need of Tuition Assistance and having lots of fun!

Likewise, we are anxiously awaiting our school production of "The Lion King" on April 27 and 28. It promises to be a phenomenal display of talent, creativity, and hard work. We know without a doubt that you will love it.

Have a beautiful Easter and enjoy your mini-vacation from school. Thank you and God bless you and your family. Happy Spring!

In Mary,
Lovingly,

Sister Mary Anne Sweeney, S.H.M.

Principal

Saint Catherine Labouré School Topper Trot 5K Run/Walk AND 1 Mile Fun

Lace up your sneakers! Stretch those muscles! Call your friends! The **Saint Catherine Labouré School 3rd Annual Topper Trot 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run** is coming your way! This event is in memory of Monsignor Vincent Topper. Funds raised will go towards tuition assistance for students at Saint Catherine Labouré School.



Date: Saturday April 22, 2017

Time: 10am

Location: Bishop McDevitt High School Campus
1 Crusader Way, Harrisburg, PA

To Register Please Visit: <http://sclhbg.org/school/advancement/toppertrot/>

Make sure to register by April 12 for early bird rates and to guarantee a t-shirt!

For questions please contact Kelly Rogers: krogers@sclhbg.org or 564-1760 extension 129.

Thank you for your support!

Newsletter Submissions: If you would like to submit information for the newsletter, please email information to ajbabish@gmail.com

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April 12

Whole Day of School

April 13

11:30am – Early Dismissal

April 14-17

Easter Vacation

April 14

7pm – Living Stations

April 18

School Resumes

April 20

3rd Grade Field Trip
to Whitaker Center

April 21

9am – School Mass L Homerooms
3-6pm – Pick up Topper Trot
Registration Packets

April 22

10am – Topper Trot 5K
11 am – Fun Run

April 27-28

1pm & 7pm – School Musical

April 28

9am - School Mass 1L



A Note from the SCLS PTO President, Jill Bentz

Happy Spring!

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Chili's Fundraiser in March. I hope everyone can join us for the April fundraiser at Isaac's on Paxton St.

April will bring a lot of planning opportunities for the PTO including the Royal Run and Spaghetti Dinner. Please consider signing up to help with either one or both events.

The PTO wishes everyone a Happy Easter season.

Jill Bentz

PTO Executive Board

Father Neil Sullivan
Pastor

Sister Mary Anne Sweeney
Principal

Jill Bentz
President

Erin Henderson
Vice President

Jenny Sustak
Treasurer

Alisha Babish
Secretary

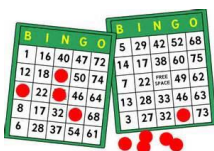
BINGO

BINGO has been an integral part of SCLS for many years. All proceeds from BINGO, which are over \$30,000 per year, are applied directly to the school budget. These proceeds assist in keeping tuition costs down for all students at SCLS. The PTO is responsible for assisting in the kitchen two and sometimes three times per month. Volunteers are asked to assist bingo workers with the setup/cleanup of kitchen as well as sale of food and beverages. Please consider volunteering by signing up at the link below.

Bingo Volunteers Needed

April - all volunteer slots filled!

If an assigned grade fills all the volunteer spots for their month, they will earn a dress-down day.



April – 2nd Grade
May – 1st Grade

<https://www.timetosignup.com/sclsvolunteers/sheet/29036/>

Happy Birthday!

April 5 – Erin Henderson

April 17 – Colleen Kovalchik

April 19 – Lindsey Jacob

April 21 – Michael Feher

April 28 – Samantha Slonac



SPIRIT WEAR

The PTO is selling SCLS Spirit Wear. If you would like to purchase any Spirit wear you may contact Jill Bentz at jmbntz39@aol.com.

Sweatshirts—\$25

T-shirts—\$10

Cinch Bags—\$5

Car Magnets—\$7

Class Mass Schedule

SCLS students celebrate Mass at 9am

Apr 7 – 3C

Apr 21 – L Homerooms

Apr 28 – 1L

May 5 – 1C

May 19 – 2L May Crowning

May 25 – 2C Ascension Thursday

Jun 2 – 8th Grade

Jun 8 – 7th Grade

Everyone is welcome to attend.

The schedule is tentative and is subject to change

Restaurant & Retail

Family restaurant and retail nights provide an opportunity for you to spend an evening sharing dinner with your family and friends while supporting SCLS PTO. Each establishment will donate a portion of your total bill to SCLS. Please join your SCLS friends and family!



April 6

Save the Date!

Royal Run and Spaghetti Dinner

The 11th Annual Royal Run will be held Thursday, May 11 and the Spaghetti Dinner will be held Wednesday, May 10. Students will walk or run a designated route around the playground (back of school) as many times as possible within a 30 minute period. This is an exciting event for the whole school. One hundred percent of the proceeds are used for the school's needs and help keep our tuition affordable. Please consider volunteering for one or both events. Thank you in advance for your participation and generosity! We hope to see you cheering on our runners.



Box Tops for Education

Clip the Box Tops from various products and send them into school. The PTO gets 10 cents for each box top submitted.



Coke Rewards

Create an account at www.mycokerewards.com Enter the Coke rewards and follow the directions to donate your rewards to SCLS. If you are unable to enter them yourself, you may send them to school for the PTO to enter them. However, each account has weekly limit of rewards they can enter.



Red Robin Royalty Program

Help our school raise money all year long with Burgers for Better Schools™! It's free to join and easy to participate. All you have to do is become a Red Robin Royalty member, select our school, and Red Robin will donate 1% of all purchases you make at participating locations. Learn more at redrobin.com/betterschools.



Community Service Project

The PTO is collecting pop tabs off of soda cans to donate to Ronald McDonald house. They use the monies collected to help the families of sick children being treated at the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center. You may send them to school or drop them off at any local branch of Members 1st.



Turkey Hill Moo Money

Send eligible product caps into school. The PTO gets five cents for every cap submitted.

Eligible Products:

Turkey Hill Dairy offers a tasty selection of healthy milk products. And for Moo Money, you can choose any of these in any size.

- Whole milk
- Chocolate milk
- 2% reduced fat milk
- Strawberry milk
- 1% lowfat milk
- Orange cream milk
- Fat free milk

Only Turkey Hill Dairy products sold at Turkey Hill Minit Markets apply. **The lids must be specially marked with a Turkey Hill Moo Money sticker.**



United Way

Did you know that your United Way donation can be designated to St. Catherine Laboure School? Please enter the code number 246052 on your United Way campaign form.

