

FALL FUNDRAISER INFORMATION

Welcome back to another year at Saint Catherine Labouré School! The PTO is starting off the year with our annual Fall Fundraiser. The Fall Fundraiser helps support our school throughout the year and benefits all of our children. We appreciate the understanding and participation of our entire school family!

You are receiving 2 different types of materials to sell, both due by **Wednesday, October 4:**

- Joe Corbi Gourmet Pizza & Mrs. Fields Cookies and Desserts/ Designer Collection gifts catalogs
- KidStuff Books, which are \$25 per book (**any unsold books must be returned to school by October 4 if you do not choose to purchase**)

Option #1: You will need to sell \$125 worth of items, per family, across the two fundraiser choices. You can add up the totals from the two fundraiser types (i.e. \$50 of KidStuff Books + \$75 from the catalog choices). If you need additional KidStuff Books, complete the total number needed on the attached form, including the one that was sent home (i.e. if you want to order 4 books total, please indicate 4 are being ordered, and you will get 3 additional books once payment is received). **If you do not want the KidStuff Book that was sent home, you must return it to school. If you keep the KidStuff Book, you MUST pay \$25 for it.**

Option #2: You can do a buyout of \$75 per family. However, this does **NOT** pay for the KidStuff Book. If you choose to do the buyout but wish to keep the KidStuff Book, the cost of the book is \$25, plus the cost of the buyout. Any buyout amounts not paid by January 1, 2018, will be raised to \$100.

Please note: You cannot crossover the two options, i.e. sell \$50 worth of items and give \$25 towards the buyout. **You must choose only one option.**

Pick up for the Joe Corbi Gourmet Pizza & Mrs. Fields Cookies and Desserts/ Designer Collection items will be Thursday, November 9 from 3:30-6:30 in the gym. The PTO is not responsible for items not picked up at this time. The majority of these items will need to be refrigerated and there is **NOT space at SCLS to do so.**

This is the **ONLY** required fundraiser, and it is **MANDATORY** that all families participate as per the SCLS handbook. It is very important that each family participates either by selling items or with the buyout option. If a family does not fulfill their fall fundraiser obligation, they will be billed with a late fee. It will be added to their tuition bill and they will not be given a re-registration packet or transfer of records for the following school year until they have met this obligation.

The PTO requests that we receive only **ONE** check from each family for the Fall Fundraiser. In the past, too many checks have been returned for insufficient funds that have been uncollectable. Therefore, after you have collected monies for the Fall Fundraiser, please make one check payable to **SCLS PTO**. In addition, please write in the memo of the check the name, grade and section for the youngest child in your family (ex. John Smith, 1L). We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. However, the PTO is charged an additional \$12 per insufficient check as well as the amount of the check which is uncollectable.

If you have any questions, please contact Erin Henderson (erinhenderson1978@comcast.net) or Katie Sullivan (katiesullivan79@gmail.com), Fall Fundraiser Co-Chairs. *Please turn over for more information.*