

SAINT CATHERINE LABOURÉ SCHOOL NEWS

October 2024

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



October 4

Grandparents Rosary 9am

October 8

PTO Sub/Pizza Orders/\$ Due

October 9

Picture Day In School Uniform

October 11

8:45am School Mass, 6L

October 14

NO SCHOOL – Columbus Day

October 18

8:45am School Mass, 5C

October 25

8:45am School Mass, 8C
Middle School Halloween Dance

October 24-25

No School Grades Pre-K-5th
All day - Parent/Teacher
Conferences
School in Session for Grades 6-8

October 28-29

No School Grades 6-8
All day - Parent/Teacher
Conferences
School in Session for Grades
Pre-K-5

October 29

2:45-4:30pm – PTO Sub/Pizza
Sale Pick Up

October 31

Halloween Parade and Parties

A Message from the Principal, Mrs. Reagan

Dear SCLS families,

We are so excited to be entering into this month of October. The start of the school year for August and September has gone by so quickly. We have been blessed with such a smooth and positive start to this school year. The students, staff, and parents have all seemed to easily adjust and work with the new schedules and expectations for this year. While September was a transitional month into the new school year, we also had a few activities to mention. We were able to conduct some of our safety drills to which the students followed amazingly well. Our STAR testing window was conducted in which the students seemed to score very well. That is always great to see as there are often the “summer slump” drops that we may see. Our Athletic Association put up new scoreboards in the gym. I stated “boards” as there was only one, but now they have replaced that one and added a second one to the other side. Our PTO held their annual Ice Cream Social which as always was a great hit. Later in the month, our Student Council held their speeches and elections for officer positions. We ended the month with a Science/Magic show presentation for the students.

Looking ahead to October, the month will start off slowly, but will pick up by the end. During the second week, we will have our picture day as well as our Disciple of the Month awards for Charity. Moving towards the end of the month, we will have our Parent/Teacher conferences, a presentation by the Attorney General's office for 4th-8th graders, and our Halloween parade/parties. Again, October is not an overly busy month, but it will go by quickly. Thank you to all for a great start to this school year. We pray to continue with such joy and positivity.

Proverbs 16:24 "Pleasant words are as a honeycomb, sweet to the soul, and health to the bones."

Peace,

Jodi Reagan, Principal

PTO SUB/PIZZA SALE



Keep Halloween “spooktacularly” simple and leave the cooking up to someone else!

Support the SCLS PTO by ordering delicious Marianna's Subs or Pizzas for the family!

Orders due: October 8th (Payment due in the form of one check made out to SCLS PTO with order form or Venmo @sclspto - be sure to include: students name, grade and “sub sale” in the notes). Order forms came home with students.

****Please include a cell phone number on the order form where you can be reached the day of pick up! **Order pick up: October 29th 2:45-4:30 pm (Pick Up Directions to follow)**

Our Goal is to sell 500 Subs!

The homeroom that has the most student participation (by percentage) will receive a special Halloween Treat!

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

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

November 1

Solemnity of All Saints Mass, 5L

Please note, for the safety and security of our students and staff, school Masses are closed to the public including parents, guardians, grandparents, etc., unless you have received an invitation by a teacher due to your student's participation in a Mass. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



Happy Birthday!

October 8

Kelsee Hower

October 14

Monica Edwards

October 26

Dustin Hutcheson

October 27

**Nina Dupes
Angela Henken**

October 28

Christina Castellano



A Note from the SCLS PTO President, Leah Adams

Happy Fall SCLS Families!

I cannot believe it is already October. We are already off to an amazing start to the year! The Dress Down Pass sale is over and did amazing. Your child should have received their "receipt" by now for their passes. If they have not, please contact the PTO and we will make sure that they have their form for their teachers. We thank you for your support and we know the kids are going to be more than happy to have 9 dress down days added to their school year! The Fall Ice Cream Social was a HIT! The addition of the food truck was a great idea! We hope everyone enjoyed it!

There is much more in store for October that we are very excited about! The Marianna's Sub and Pizza Sale is already under way! Please remember to bring in by Tuesday, October 8th. They will be delivered on Tuesday, October 29th. The School Unity Shirts have been finalized and you will receive a link to order for your students and families. The saying for this year is "Kindness Takes Courage". We would like to thank Mrs. Desiree Greene for helping design the shirt.

Grandparents Rosary will be on Friday, October 4th at 9am. We look forward to seeing all of the grandparents and special friends. The Halloween Parade and Class Parties for K-5th grade will be on Thursday, October 31st. Please be on the lookout for more information from your homeroom parents. Middle School Families - The Halloween Dance is scheduled for Friday, October 25th from 6pm to 8:30pm in Murray Hall. Please be on the lookout for more information from the committee chairs. They have so many awesome things in store for the students.

Please be on the lookout for any other restaurant and/or retail fundraisers as well. A quick reminder for homeroom parents, please contact your homeroom families with your contact information and information for the year if you have not already. With Halloween right around the corner, you will have your first party of the year.

Remember, that the school spirit wear store is open all year round. If you have any ideas about items you would like to see, please do not hesitate to contact the PTO. We will get it on there if we are able to.

Our next PTO General Meeting is on Wednesday, November 6th at 7pm in the Tech Room. Please enter through the library ramp doors.

Thank you for all your continued support!
Leah Adams

PTO Executive Board

Leah Adams
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Megan Fackler
Vice President

Janell Maglowski
Treasurer

Kelly Rogers
Secretary

Father James Lease
Pastor

Mrs. Jodi Reagan
Principal

PTO RESTAURANT AND RETAIL NIGHTS

Please come out and support the PTO for some good food and fun!!!
Watch for emails and social media postings for additional restaurant and retail events!

Stay tuned for Chick-Fil-A fundraiser!

PTO FUNDRAISER and EVENT UPDATES

Thank you to everyone who started the year off great by participating in our Dress Down Pass fundraiser! We raised \$5,600!

Please continue to support the PTO fundraisers if you can so we can continue to purchase items to improve the school for all students!

I scream, you scream we all scream.....for the PTO Ice
Cream Social!!!!

WHAT A WAY TO START THE YEAR AND GET
BACK TOGETHER!!!! THANKS TO ALL WHO
PARTICIPATED!

SAVE THE DATE!

Middle School Halloween Dance
Friday, October 25 - 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Murray Hall
Grades 6-8 - SCLS students only
DJ - Lights - Photo booth - Prizes - Fun!

Sign up here to register your student to attend, chaperone, and donate gooey goods!

[SCLS Middle School Dance](#)



SAVE THE DATE
GENTLY USED UNIFORM SALE

The Fall PTO Gently-Used Uniform Sale will be held **Sunday, November 3rd from 8am-12pm** in the school cafeteria. Gently-used uniforms for all ages will be available for sale at a reasonable price. Cash, check or Venmo accepted. Please enter and exit through the Preschool ramp. In addition to buying the items you need this is also a great fundraiser for the PTO!

If you have uniforms to donate, please drop them off at the school office during regular school hours. They should be clean and in gently-used condition. **If you want to receive credits, please include a note in the bag with your name and a list of items you are donating.**

Please contact Jamie Bufton (jbufton@sclhbg.org) with any questions or if you are able to help with set up or the sale! Volunteers are always needed, and this is a great opportunity for 7th and 8th graders to earn service hours for Confirmation!

SCLS 2024-2025 Annual Fund

Please donate today to our 2024-2025 Annual Fund and help us reach our goal of **\$55,000**. All proceeds go directly to our school and our students. We are currently at \$1,184! Donate [here!](#) **Thank you for your generosity!**

Save the date for our Online Day of Giving: November 19, 2024



September Teacher/Staff Appreciation! PTO provided fun autumn treats – apple cider and pumpkin spice!



St. Catherine Laboure School Athletic Association Update

Registration for SCLS Basketball is now open. Basketball is open to boys and girls in 3rd - 8th grade. Registration link is below.

<https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/451547>

Open gym is happening now. For the most up to date information, please join our Facebook page:

SCLS Athletic Association.

October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Tiny Saints Online Fundraiser Begins	2	3	4 Grandparents Rosary 9am	5
6	7	8 Marianna's Sub/Pizza Order & Money Due	9 Picture Day in School Uniform	10	11 School Mass 8:45am, 6L	12
13	14 No School – Columbus Day	15	16	17	18 School Mass 8:45am, 5C	19
20	21	22	23	24 No School PreK-5 th grades Parent/Teacher Conferences	25 No School PreK-5 th grades Parent/Teacher Conferences School Mass 8:45am, 8C Middle School Halloween Dance 6-830pm	26
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SCLS
Royals



THE 2024 UNITY SHIRT

<https://emeraldwebstore.company.site/products/School-Unity-Tees-c154970276>

@emeraldgraphix



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EDITION

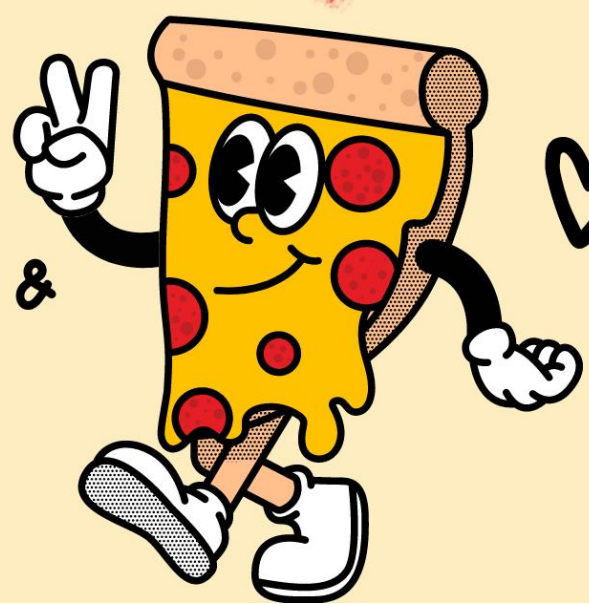


SCLS TAB WARS!

WINNING HOMEROOM
GETS THEIR CHOICE OF
PIZZA LUNCH OR A
SWEET TREAT COURTESY
OF SCLS PTO!



WEIGH IN'S
DECEMBER 11TH &
APRIL 11TH

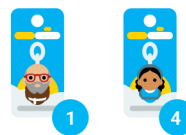


We're having a **tinysaints** **ONLINE** **FUNDRAISER!**



How will it work?

During the entire month of October 2024, all shoppers at www.tinysaints.com will have the option to select our organization from a dropdown menu during checkout. Each supporting purchase will contribute to our fundraiser. There's no heavy lifting for parents, family and friends. Just browse and buy!



Our Fundraiser (City, State) ▼

CHECKOUT

Why Tiny Saints?

With more than 200 saint charms and keychains at just \$6.00 each, Tiny Saints offers simple, affordable gifts and collectibles that are guaranteed to bring a smile. Supporters can enjoy shopping for their favorite saints, patron saints, and even learn about others for the first time while browsing!

www.tinysaints.com

BREAST CANCER

Awareness Month

PLEASE HELP TEAM "OUR ANGEL-JND" WHO WILL BE WALKING IN THE MAKING STRIDES AGAINST BREAST CANCER WALK IN MEMORY OF MRS. JILL DEMMEL, ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19TH. THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF FUN ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS, AND MAKE SURE YOU CHECK OUT SAINT ELDRED (SCLS FAMILY) ON STAGE RIGHT BEHIND THE HOMEPLATE REGION RIGHT OUTSIDE OF FNB FIELD!

SHIRTS MAY BE WORN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY'S IN OCTOBER!



<https://emeraldwebstore.company.site/products/School-Spiritwear-Store-c154971014>

FALL USED UNIFORM SALE!

Sunday, November 3rd
8am-12pm, School Cafeteria
(Enter via Preschool Ramp, follow signs)

**PREK THROUGH MIDDLE SCHOOL
UNIFORMS AVAILABLE!**

Drop gently used uniforms for sale credit to the
school office with your name and list of items!



SPIRIT WEAR

PTO is selling Spirit Wear items!

To order, please fill out and clip the bottom of this flyer and send it into the school office with cash or check (made out to SCLS PTO). You can also pay via Venmo - @sclspto. Quantities are limited - first come, first served!



Cinch Sack - \$10



Magnet - \$5



Water bottle - \$13



Beanie hat - \$15



Baseball hat - \$20



Lanyard - \$5

Name: _____ Homeroom: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Please enter the quantity requested on the line

Baseball Hat: _____ (\$20 each) Beanie Hat: _____ (\$15 each)

Magnets: _____ (\$5 each) Cinch Sacks: _____ (\$10 each)

Water Bottles: _____ (\$13 each) Lanyard: _____ (\$5 each)

Total: \$ _____