



School Newsletter

November 15, 2017

"Be joyful always, pray continuously, give thanks in all circumstances" -Thessalonians 5:16-18

Letter from the Principal

It's already time for 2nd Midterms. Reports are coming home in today's folders. Please review these with your students. They are not permanent record, but a way to see what needs to be maintained and what needs to be improved. Missing homework and late/incomplete assignments seem to be more of an issue lately. Please help us in supporting improvement in this area.

3rd and 4th will be attending "Mr. Popper's Penguins" tomorrow at the Nashville Children's Theatre. Thank you to our parent drivers.

See you at Friday's Luncheon!

Miss Patton

Thanksgiving Luncheon



Our school's Thanksgiving luncheon is this Friday, November 17th, in the gym. We are thrilled by the number of family members who will be able to come for lunch. Please note your youngest student's time below. We will call for all siblings to come over at your arrival so that you can eat as a family.

PreK & K- 11:00
1st & 2nd- 11:15
3rd & 4th- 11:30
5th & 6th- 11:45
7th & 8th- 12:00

Please note that if you choose to take your children following the luncheon, they must be signed out at the school office.

Important Upcoming Dates

- *November 17- Thanksgiving Luncheon
- *November 22-24- Thanksgiving Break
- *November 30- AdvancEd Internal Visit
- *December 1- First Friday
- *December 3- First Sunday of Advent
- *December 7- Christmas Performance 6:30 p.m.
- *December 13-15- 5th-8th Semester Exams
- *December 19- Class Christmas Party; 10:30 dismiss
- *December 20- January 2- Christmas Break

Ladies of Charity Food Collection

We will be collecting peanut butter to add to the Ladies of Charity food baskets that are distributed during the Christmas season to help the people of Nashville. **We have a goal of collecting 100 containers of peanut butter to support their efforts.** We will have a box near the front office to begin collecting tomorrow.

*****Don't forget, we will be out next Wednesday-Friday, November 22nd-24th, for Thanksgiving Break.*****

To renew all things in Christ by living, loving, and learning in the Lord

LUNCH MENU November 20-21, 2017 \$3.00 per day				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pulled Chicken On Bun, Baked Beans, Salad Fruit	Corn Dog Brown Rice Carrots Fruit	No School	Happy Thanksgiving	No School

Dismissal Safety in the Back Lot

With the students' safety in mind, we are trying to ensure that all family drivers are following our dismissal expectations. I have seen improvement with following the double row U-formation. Please do not park in a spot. You are more than welcome to exit your vehicle to assist your child in buckling, but a teacher will walk them to the car. Please **do not** exit the line until a staff member has directed you to do so. Thank you for your cooperation.

Cold Weather Attire

Please be sure that you are sending your students with jackets or coats as the temperatures continue to drop. We will have outdoor recess, and students need to be prepared.

*****Also, please be sure to label all of your children's uniform pieces. It is nearly impossible to correctly identify an owner without one.*****

Snack

Please keep in mind, snacks should be small, healthy items such as fruit, veggies, granola bar, peanut butter crackers, etc. We have been seeing large bags of chips, cookies, and snack cakes. Also, water should be the only drink.

Save the Date

Mark your calendars for February 10th when St. Pius X Parish will be hosting the 2nd Annual Casino Night. This event benefits the school and we hope to have even more school parents and other community members in attendance.

Basketball/Cheerleading 2017-2018

*****Please note that with set up for the Thanksgiving luncheon, 3rd/4th Boys will note practice on Thursday. Practice will be on Saturday time TBA by Coach Kinslow.**

Practices:

3/4 Boys T/Th 3:30-5:30



Cheerleading practices will be on Tuesdays and Fridays after school. There is still time for more sign ups. Also, if any parents would like to help the coaches it would be greatly appreciated!

Advent is quickly approaching...

Miss Olbon is heading up a Reverse Advent and will be collecting the following items for Room at the Inn:

- travel size deodorant
- tshirts (adult sizes)
- underwear (adult sizes)
- travel size mouthwash (non-alcoholic like scope)
- chapstick
- Tins/bags of coffee
- razors

*****Keep an eye out for good deals on these items in the coming weeks so we can be supportive.**

The mission of St. Pius X Classical Academy is to manifest God's love in the world through a commitment to the spiritual, moral, emotional, and intellectual development of its students accomplished through the use of a Catholic classical curriculum.