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Weekly Newsletter October 9, 2015 Volume 2, Issue 8

From the Principal's Desk...

Dear Parents,

We have had a busy week here at school. On Tuesday, we held our pep rally for all the fall sports. The girls on the run team, cross country team, and girls' volleyball team were all recognized and introduced to the school. Then the students took on the teachers in a volleyball game. It was a great time had by all! Then that night we had a parents night honoring the parents of our volleyball players.

Then on Wednesday, the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary we had an all school living rosary at 2:45pm in the church. We were fortunate enough to be able to use a real life large rosary that Mr. Zach's father made to make it even more special. The students did a great job and it was a beautiful celebration of the rosary.

We are getting closer to being able to use the new church parking lot. Please be watchful for information coming home about the proper use of the lot and the map indicating drop off and pick up. It is important that we utilize the lot the best way possible and we appreciate your cooperation in this new adventure.

The spookgetti committee has been working hard to prepare for this fun fundraiser. They have added a trunk or treat event to the already fun night. It is going to be a great time and I highly recommend you consider coming. The information can be found below under the Home and School section. Thank you to the committee who has worked so hard to get everything ready. Please be sure to turn in your ticket order forms on Tuesday. That guarantees you get a bag.

On Monday, the teachers will spend the day at Pius with all the other teachers in the diocese learning and growing. Thank you for your support of our teachers and staff. They are such a HUGE part of our success! I am so thankful to get to work with them.

Sincerely in Christ,

Mrs. Leah Bethune

We are featuring a classroom of the week each week on Facebook. Be sure to make sure you have liked our page: <u>https://www.facebook.com/saintpatrickcatholicschool</u>

School Calendar

October:

- 12: NO SCHOOL: Teacher Institute @ Pius
- 13: Home and School Association meeting@ 7pm Girls Volleyball Game@ NAM @ 6:45pm
- 16: 6, 7, and 8th grade to Seminary/CK Sisters Students whose parents attend HSA can wear jeans HSA fundraiser: Spookgetti feed: 5:30 to 8:30pm
- 20: Girls Volleyball Game@ St. John's@ 5:45pm
- 23: K, 1, and 2^{nd} to Roca Berry Farms
- 26-30: RED RIBBON WEEK
- 27: school pictures re-take day

30: End of 1st Quarter Halloween parties from 1 to 3:15pm SPIRIT DAY: Girls on the Run

November:

2: NO SCHOOL: Teacher workday 6: 1st Quarter report cards go home First Friday Adoration/Benediction@ 1:15pm 10: Home and School Association meeting@7pm 11: Veterans Day program@ 2:00pm in the gym 20: NO SCHOOL: STARS Setup **21: STARS Fundraiser EVENT** 25-27: NO SCHOOL: Thanksgiving Break **CALENDAR ERROR/CHANGES:** -There WILL BE school on Friday, October 30th. Halloween parties will be that day beginning at 1pm. -Picture re-take day has been rescheduled for Tuesday, October 27th due to a production issue. Sorry for the confusion

SPIRIT DAY:

Friday, October 30th: Girls on the Run

Pants and Leggings:

Dress Code Reminder: <u>Beginning</u> on October 15th students may no longer wear shorts until the spring time. Students will need to be in pants and/or have leggings on under their skirts.

Box Top Contest Winners:

1st Place: no uniform day: 2nd grade 2nd Place: movie: 3rd Grade 3rd Place: extra recess: 4th Grade

Box Tops: Please turn in any Box Tops you have collected by Monday, October 19 because of the expiration dates. We need to have them postmarked by November 1. Thank you!

Picture re-take day:

Picture re-take day has to be changed due to a production issue. Our new picture re-take day will be on Tuesday, October 27th to give you time to view your pictures prior to the day. Sorry for the inconvenience.

<u>Spookgetti:</u> please turn in your ticket order forms on Tuesday!

Trunk-or-Treat hosts needed!

To make Spookgetti a success, we need lots of trunks for Trunk-or Treat! Please consider hosting a trunk with your family, business, club or Church group on October 16 from 7:30-8:30! This is a fun volunteer opportunity to help the school!
Decorate your trunk and bring some treats to hand out to adorable kids in the new parking lot. Sign up at:
www.SignUpGenius.com/go/508054E
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Home and School News:

What: The Home and School Association October Fundraiser SPOOKGETTI FEED

Where: St. Patrick School GYM/STAGE

When: Friday, October 16th from 5:30 to 8:30pm 5:30 to 6:30pm: Spaghetti dinner served by Fazoli's 6:30 to 7:30pm: Haunted stage 7:30 to 8:30pm: Trunk or treat

What: There will be a meal, a haunted stage, and a trunk or treat in the new parking lot (sign up below)

 Tickets: forms to order your tickets can be picked up and dropped off in the school office. If you buy tickets to the dinner, your child will get a bag for the trunk or treat at no additional cost.

Prices: Adults \$8

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Children \$5

<u>YOUR HELP IS NEEDED:</u> Please sign up to help out at the event or set it up below:

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- Our next Home and School Meeting will be Tuesday, October 13th in the School gym at 7:00pm.
- If you come to the meeting, your child(ren) will get to wear school appropriate jeans on Friday, October 16th to school.
- Free daycare will be provided by some of the St. Patrick junior high students.
 - PLEASE JOIN US!!!!

Home and School Volunteer NEEDS:

Husker Football Game Concession Stands:

October 24th-Need 3 volunteers November 7th-Need 2 volunteers November 27th-Need 4 volunteers



https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/508054EA8AB2EA02husker1

Contact: Vicki Hansen: vickihansen88@outlook.com





4th grader Eden won 1st place with her fire prevention poster.

2nd Grade let their butterflies go this week!





12 Teacher's Institute NO SCHOOL TODAY	13 Hamburger on WG Bun Smile Fries Corn Kiwi	14 Chicken and Noodles Broccoli Carrots Banana	15 Stromboli (school made) Romaine Spinach Mix Mixed Veggies Pears	16 French Toast Sticks Egg Patty Fries Green Pepper Strips Orange Juice
19 BBQ Ribette / WG Bun Pork 'n Beans Coleslaw Banana	20 Taco Salad Green Beans Strawberries Corn Muffin	21 Chicken Strips Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Peas WG Roll/Jelly Blueberries	22 Chicken Fajita on WG Tortilla Refried Beans Romaine Salad Applesauce	23 Cheesy Pretzel Yogurt Cup Carrots/Dip Green Beans Orange Juice
26 Tater Tot Casserole Green Beans Peaches Muffin	27 Lasagna Spinach Romaine Mix Mixes Veggies Pineapple Garlic Bread	28 Turkey and Gravy on Mashed Potatoes Broccoli Banana Roll & Jelly	29 Egg Patty Tri Taters Green Beans Applesauce Muffin	30 Mummy in a Casket Boney Fingers Pirate's Booty Frozen Orbs

USDA is an equal opportunity provider. All menus are subject to change without notice. Meals are served with a choice of milk daily. Additional milk may be purchased for 50 cents per unit. Visitors are always welcome at St. Patrick. Please call the office to notify us of your plans by 9:30 the day of your visit and always check in at the office before coming to the gym. Thank you for choosing school lunch!

Milk can be purchased daily for cold lunches \$.50



Plum Creek Literacy Festival















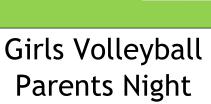


















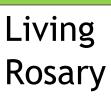




























Fall Sports Pep Rally









