



## **Campus Connection**

**Issue #06**

**October 12, 2016**

# **This Coming Week**

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- October 13,14,17,18 - No School
- October 15 - Soles for Education Walk!
- October 17 - Last day to order 4 P's for November
- October 17 & 18 - Conferences
- October 18 - School board meeting at 7:00 p.m.-SMC
- October 19 - **No Campus Connection this date due to no school**
- October 20 - SMC/SWC Super student jean day, SJC rosary at 11:00 a.m.
- October 21 - SJC Mass at 8:35 a.m., SMC Mass at 8:40 a.m., SWC prayer service at 11:10 a.m., SWC-picture retake day
- October 22 - Athletic Booster Club Bags Tournament 7-10:00 p.m. SW Gym
- October 26 - Non-uniform day, SJC/SWC picture retake day

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## **Kovaleski's "Key" Notes**

Dear Parents:

Over the course of the past year our Planning Committee has been working very hard to develop a Strategic Plan for Waukesha Catholic. Strategic planning is vital to any organization as it allows us to set a strategic direction which involves creating a plan that looks towards the next 3-5 years. Goals and objectives established within the plan will guide us in our desired direction and allow us to monitor progress. Input was received from numerous committees, parents, stakeholders, and

staff of Waukesha Catholic. The draft of this plan is in the final stages. However, before the plan is finalized it is necessary to execute the first strategic objective within our plan as it will help to determine any additional goals/objectives which we should consider.

The first strategic objective states:

*The School mission will be revised to reflect the school's current work.*

As a school it is necessary for us to review our mission and vision statements to assess whether we are making progress toward our goals, to reflect on any setbacks or concerns that may have occurred along the way, and to reconfirm/revise our commitments. If we want to continue to grow and provide an exceptional quality Catholic education, it is necessary for us ALL to work together to develop an understood, agreed-on purpose - OUR MISSION!

Therefore, on behalf of the Waukesha Catholic School Board and administration, you are invited to help develop the mission and vision statements for Waukesha Catholic. Your voice and ideas are critical in this process. Please join us!

Mission and Vision Planning Session for Waukesha Catholic  
Saturday, November 12th from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Location: TBD

Details regarding event registration and location will be in the next Campus Connection. Thank you in advance for helping to create and advance the Mission of our school.

On another note - I look forward to seeing many of you this weekend at the Soles for Catholic Education walk on Saturday at Mount Mary University. If you have not yet registered but would still like to join us it is not too late. Visit the Soles for Education website at <http://catholicschoolswalk.org/> to register or make a donation. Thank you for your support of Waukesha Catholic.

Lisa Kovaleski, Principal

# Weekly News

## ***Congratulations***

Mrs. Lynda Baumann welcomed her new grandson, William Michael Humbert, on September 29th, weighing in at 6 lbs., 8 oz., and 19" long. Also celebrating is his aunt, Miss Ashley Baumann!

## **Home & School**

Each year Home & School provides a teacher appreciation dinner during conferences. We are asking for help to assist with this much appreciated feast on Monday, October 17th! Thank you for those who have signed up to bring items! We just need a few more volunteers to help setup. If you can assist, please go to this link to help: <https://goo.gl/PR5JyL>.

### ***No School October 13, 14, 17, and 18***

No classes will be held on October 13 and 14 due to the teachers' convention. There will also be no classes on October 17 and 18 due to conferences.

### ***Fall Conferences***

Conferences will occur on October 17th and 18th. **Conferences for all campuses will be held at St. Mary Campus.**

- Conference confirmation slips for grades **K-5th** went home last week.
- **St. Mary Campus** conferences will be held in your child's classroom (home room). Please enter through the main school doors located on Newhall Avenue.
- **St. William** Conferences will be held in several classrooms. Room assignments along with a map will be posted by the main door. Please enter through the main door on Newhall Avenue.
- **St. Joseph** conferences are not scheduled. Please enter through the glass doors off the lower parking lot that leads to the lower Narthex and community room.

### ***Picture Retake Day***

If your student was unable to have their picture taken on packet turn in day, the photographer will be available for picture retakes on the following dates:

- St. William Campus - Friday, October 21st
- St. Joseph & St. Mary Campus - Wednesday, October 26th

### ***HALLOWEEN HOP Grades K3-5th***

Mark your calendars and plan to attend this year's HALLOWEEN HOP! This family fun event will be Friday, October 23rd from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. and is open to all K3 thru 5th grade students. Admission is \$5.00 per family and funds raised go to help Home and School provide events throughout the school year. Costumes are encouraged (but not required) making this dance one you and your child won't want to miss! Please see the flyer in your packet this week for more details.

We are also in need of volunteers to make this a fun event for the kids!! From snack and drink donations to helping with admissions and concessions, these events cannot take place without your help. Please consider volunteering. Sign up is easy! Just use the link below for easy access to Sign Up Genius. All adult volunteers must be safeguard trained before signing up. Middle school students are welcome to volunteer for hours as long as they are accompanied by a parent and sign up as well (no high school students please). <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4da5a92aa0fe3-halloween>

### ***Grandparents and VIP's (very important people)***

What a fabulous event! It was wonderful seeing all the VIP's at each campus last week! On behalf of Home & School, we would like to thank all the volunteers who helped make Grandparents' Day a success at each of our campus locations. We hope the grandparents, special guests, and all the students enjoyed the event! Thank you to Tina Szada, Susan Spaulding, Claire Geller, Liz Wilson, the maintenance crews at all three campuses, Mrs. Lynda Baumann, Mrs. Grace

Labinski, Mrs. Debby Dunk, Mrs. Ann Lottes, Tonia Rice, Katie Sam, Jennifer Roubik, Lisa Fournier, Bridget Panlener, Amy Schaefer, Angela Walters, Tina Minter, Laura & Aiden Spence, Therese Thomsen, Lisa Hill, Char Saber, Ashley Hernandez, Laine Soper, Brady Chyla, Angela Darling, Rachel Iacono, Lynn Klem, Lance Hill, Christine Kulinski, Mark Shillinglaw, Carol Reske, Mary Korinko, Mary Butler, Kathy Gannon, Michele Ratajczak, Stacey Pigeon, Catie Joecken, Darcie Lammers, Kristen Brandstaetter, Mrs. Chrissy Ray, Mrs. Rose Lange, Teresa Landry, the members of the St. Joe's Service Club, and the administration of Waukesha Catholic.

# Soles for Catholic Education Walk



## **We Are Almost Half Way to our Soles Walk Goal!**

If you have already donated to the Soles for Catholic Education walk, thanks so much! If not, please don't delay. This is an important fundraiser for Waukesha Catholic.

If we raise \$10,000:

- Donations will be matched dollar for dollar by the Multhauf Foundation
- We will have our very own color run and the top three fundraising families from each campus will get to spray their principal with colored powder!

In addition:

- Non-uniform day passes will be awarded to all students whose family makes or receives a donation.

Donations can be made online at [Catholic Schools Walk](#). Or, send your donation to school in an envelope marked "Walk" with the names of the students who should receive credit. Remember one donation will count towards all children in the family.

## **We Have a Bus!**

There is still room on the bus if you would like a ride to Mount Mary University this Saturday. We will leave from St. Mary's parking lot no later than 9:00 a.m. and return at approximately 12:30. For more information or to reserve your spot please contact Nancy Nadolny at 262-896-2929 ext. 1325

or nnadolny@waukeshacatholic.org.

## SCRIP

Weekly orders are placed on Monday mornings. Upcoming dates:

- Monday, October 17 - no order due to no school
- Monday, October 24 - order
- Monday, October 31 - order

## Athletics

- The Waukesha Catholic Athletic Booster Club is holding a Bean Bag Tournament. The **Battle of the Bags** will take place on October 22 from 7-10:00 p.m. in the St. William Gym. [Go to this link](#) to register for the Battle of the Bags!
- [Go to this link for information](#) on The Seton Volleyball Tournament.

## Parish & Community

### St. William Parish

Volunteers are needed for the St. William's Craft Fair. There are "TEEN" and "ADULT" opportunities for the weekend of November 4th, 5th & 6th. See the link below to sign up.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c4caeaf2ea75-artcrafts1>

### St. Mary Parish

- TRUNK or TREAT - St. Mary Parish Christian Formation program is holding a unique Trick or Treat opportunity on Sunday, October 30th from 4:00-5:00 p.m. on the St. Mary Catholic Church Lower Parking Lot. This safe trick or treat option allows children to dress up in their Halloween costume and collect candy from dozens of decorated vehicle trunks.

[Go to this flyer for more details.](#)

### **Catholic Memorial High School Information**

- The Catholic Memorial Open House is on Wednesday, October 26th from 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. [Go to this link for more information.](#)
- 9th Annual CMH Haunted House - The students of Catholic Memorial will be hosting a Haunted House on Oct. 21st, 22nd, 28th, & 29th from 7 p.m.-10 p.m. A family friendly hour will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, Oct 22nd & 29th. [See this flyer for details.](#)

### **Basketball Camp at Waukesha South H.S.**

Waukesha South and Coach Bo Richter, are hosting a pre-season basketball camp on October 23rd from noon-4:00 p.m. The camp is for girls and boys in grades 4th-12th. The cost is \$30 per student athlete. Registration can be made online at [wsbasketball.com](http://wsbasketball.com), mailed, or given to Coach Richter at school. See this flyer link form more information.

# Campus News

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## Included In This Week's Packet

*To Kill a Mockingbird* Movie Permission Grades 7th & 8th Only

## Parent-Teacher Conferences



Please remember that parent-teacher conferences for St. Joseph Campus students will be held in the Community Room and Gymnasium **at St. Mary Campus** on Monday, October 17th from 3-5:00 p.m./6-8:00 p.m. and Tuesday, October 18th, 12-4:00 p.m./5-7:00 p.m. These are **unscheduled** conferences!

## Come pray the Rosary with us on October 20

The students of St. Joseph Campus will be praying the Rosary together in church on Thursday, October 20th at 11:00 a.m. Families are welcome to join us!



## Introducing a New Sports Club!



Mr. Hanson is excited to announce the start of a Sports Club that will be meeting on Tuesday's and Friday's at 7:30 a.m. in the St. Joe's Gym. They will be playing a variety of games, such as volleyball, basketball, and nitro ball. Students will have the opportunity to help determine which activities they do each week. The Sports Club will be for 6th through 8th graders. A sign-up sheet is available in the office. **Our club begins on Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>!**



Be sure to check next month's November calendar for ALL club dates!

## Picture Retake Day Scheduled

Picture retake day for the St. Joseph Campus is Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup> from 9:00-11:00 a.m. More details will be available as we get closer to the actual date.

## Volunteer Opportunity

Volunteers are needed to help make the St William's Craft Fair a success. There are service hour opportunities for our students during the weekend of **November 4th, 5th, & 6th**. Please use the link below to sign up!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c4caeaf2ea75-artcrafts1>

# St. Mary Campus

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## Halloween Parade

Included in today's packet is a permission form for the annual Halloween parade. Please note that any student without a signed permission form will not be able to participate on Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. All forms are due no later than Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup> to your child's teacher.

## Important Reminder

Parents, it is imperative that any change to your child's transportation home (walking, car line, after-care, bus, or going home with someone else) be communicated to both the teacher and the school office. The safe dismissal of all the children is very important to us. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter!



## Looking Ahead

NO SCHOOL – Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>

Monday, Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>: Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences 3:00-5:00 and 6:00-8:00

Tuesday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>: Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences 12:00-4:00 and 5:00-7:00

Thursday, Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>: Super Student Jean Day

Friday, Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>: School liturgy, 8:40am, 5<sup>th</sup> grade

Saturday, Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>: Booster Club Bags Tournament, 7:00-10:00, SW gym

## Included in Today's Packet

Halloween Parade permission form

Halloween Hop flyer



**Waukesha Catholic – St. William Campus**  
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**Accidents**

As a school of 3, 4, and 5 year olds, we understand that bathroom accidents will occur. If your child borrows extra clothing from our supply cabinet, please return the laundered clothing back to school in a timely manner for other students that may require the spares. Thank you!

**Pictures**

- Picture retakes will be October 21<sup>st</sup>. Photos are in this week's family packet. If you feel you would like your child's picture retaken, please notify the school office. Originals must be returned to school for a photo retake.
- If your child was not present to have pictures taken at packet turn-in, please plan to have their photo taken on October 21<sup>st</sup>. This date is a uniform day for kindergarten unless they will be having their picture taken.



**Looking Ahead**

October 21<sup>st</sup> – Picture Retakes

October 24<sup>th</sup> – Monday JumpBunch Class Begins 3:45-4:30

**Included In This Packet**

Symphony permission slip (K5 only)

Halloween Hop flyer