



Campus Connection

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Mission Statement

Waukesha Catholic instills faith and inspires futures by nurturing each child's gifts with an education rooted in the Gospel values and a culture of community, compassion, and love.

This Coming Week

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November 9 - Mass at SJC 8:35 a.m., Mass at SMC 9:00 a.m., Prayer service at SWC 11:10 a.m.

November 12 - Scrip order, Principal Appreciate Day! Thank you Ms. Kovaleski, Mr. Heinecki, and Dr. Joerres! Athletic board meeting at 6:30 p.m. SJC

November 13 - Fall fundraiser ends, last day to earn a coop, bring in orders and turn in coop sheets and get a coop for each level

November 14 - Non-uniform day if you donated to Soles for Education walk (**coupon required**)

Kovaleski's "Key" Notes

Congratulations to the 8th grade girls and boys volleyball teams that participated in the **Seton Volleyball Tournament** last week. The teamwork, sportsmanship, and talent displayed by all four teams was amazing. So proud of all our players!

*'For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me, **naked and you clothed me, ill and you cared for me, in prison and you visited me.**'*

*Then the righteous^s will answer him and say, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink? **When did we see you a stranger and welcome you, or naked and clothe you? When did we see you ill or in prison, and visit you?***

And the king will say to them in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.'

Matthew 25:35-40

Catholic Community of Waukesha Food Pantries: Please help to stock the parish food pantries. We will be collecting donations through November 19th. Items of need are:

- Cereal / oatmeal
- Tuna & Hamburger Helper
- Canned ravioli/spaghetti
- Coffee, tea, hot chocolate
- Beans
- Macaroni & cheese
- Canned tomatoes
- Soap / shampoo
- Laundry detergent
- Toilet paper
- Kleenex
- Canned vegetables & fruit
- Boxed potatoes / stuffing
- Peanut butter
- Canned soup
- Baking mixes
- Pasta / pasta sauce
- Jelly / jam
- Rice
- Canned meats/tuna
- Monetary donations

Sincerely,
Lisa Kovaleski

Weekly News

Welcome

Congratulations to the Harris family! Madison Harris arrived on October 28th weighing 7 lbs., 5 oz., and 20" long. Madison's big sister, Brinley, is thrilled her sister has finally arrived!

Fall Fundraiser

This year we have magazines, gifts, chocolates, cookie dough and coffee. An envelope was given to your child, as well as a reference sheet and yellow coupon sheets ([see the pages at this link](#)). The cookie dough may be ordered online this year but will only ship to our school! This is because the cookie dough is frozen and it is shipped in dry ice. Cookie dough and all items ordered on the paper form (except magazines) need to be picked up from St. Mary Campus on December 12th. Prizes will also be given out on this date. Dates to remember:

- November 13th - Final Coop turn in date - earn a coop for each level - use the yellow coupon page.

Also, if you have more than one child - each order will be counted for both children for the above promotional coop prizes. Parents, complete the appropriate yellow coupon page for each child to take to school. (The prizes on the Fall Fundraiser envelope will only count for one child so it depends on the name you put on the order form.)

Scrip

Thank-Scrip-ing Day is coming on Tuesday, November 20th! Order physical gift cards now so you can take advantage of the bonuses on reloads or order eGift cards on that day too. This holiday season buy gift cards to give as presents to family and friends, or use them to buy your gifts. Remember for every gift card purchased you can earn tuition credits for the next school year and the school earns profits, too!

If you are new to the scrip program you will need to create an account at www.shopwithscrip.com and use our Waukesha Catholic #8AL3CL461142 to register. Do you have questions about the Scrip program? Contact Charlotte, our Scrip Coordinator, at scrip@waukeshacatholic.org or 262-896-2929 ext. 1331 for more information.

Place your Scrip order by 9:00 a.m. on Monday, November 12th for delivery on Thursday, November 15th.



Christmas Concert Program Cover Contest

Who: Waukesha Catholic students

What: Design the cover of the Christmas concert program with the theme Christmas Around the World.

When: The cover designs should be submitted to Mrs. Flesses no later than November 16th.

Why: To give the Waukesha Catholic students the opportunity to share their talents with the community.

How: The cover should include:

- Waukesha Catholic
- Date (December 18, 2018)
- The theme is Christmas around the world. Include the theme in the design. They can make drawings, write letters ... be creative. It can be in color or black and white.
- Please use a 5.5 x 4.25 inch piece of paper (half a letter size sheet)

Students and teachers will vote for their favorite. The winner will have his/her design on the cover of the Christmas concert program.

Athletics

Thank You

We extend a thank to all those who helped make the Battle of the Bags Tournament such a success! Thank you to all the volleyball teams who donated a raffle basket! Thank you to all who participated and volunteered. Without your support, none of this would be possible ... THANK YOU!

We Hold in Prayer...

All members of the Waukesha Catholic School community that are in need of our prayers.

Catholic Community of Waukesha

Tamales Sale

St. Joseph Parish will be holding their annual Tamales Sale on November 17th and 18th at St. John Neumann. Get your order in now! Go to this link to [download the order form](#) (English and Spanish).

Community

Christmas Clearing Council

Each fall the Christmas Clearing Council Program for Waukesha County requests families who would benefit from their Christmas gift giving program. Please [click here for the application](#) in English/Spanish or ask in the office. If you would like to apply, return the completed forms to the school office, attention: Teresa Landry, as soon as possible. Please note that all applications need to be submitted to school before noon on Tuesday, November 20th in order for us to get them in the mail by the deadline.

Divine Savior Holy Angels High School Play

DSHA will hold a performance of Les Miserables on November 9th, and 10th and 7:00 p.m. On November 11th the play will be at 2:00 p.m. For ticket information go to dsha.info/tickets or call 414-616-2813.

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Included in This Week's Packet

6th Grade Camp Minikani Parent Introduction Letter
Folk Fair Permission Slip *Grade 7 Only*

Blessing in a Bag

Many families may be receiving a second request today regarding the Blessing in a Bag Program. Forms went to families last week. Please take a moment and read the form. A response is required along with the family and student name.

Willy Wonka, Jr. Parent Meeting Scheduled!

If your 8th grade student plans to participate in this year's musical production of Willy Wonka, Jr., or if you'd like more information about this year's production, a parent meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, November 13th at 6:00 pm in the Gym at St. William. See you there!



Book Fair News!

Warm up to a good book this winter and benefit your school's library. The St. Joe's "SEASON'S READING" book fair opens Tuesday, November 27th and runs until Friday, November 30th.

This year's fair will feature many new titles along with some old favorites. There is something for everyone on your Christmas list and as an added benefit St. Joe's library receives a portion of all sales back in new books. Books are gifts that can be opened again and again!!!!

Additional information such as hours, contests, and library wish lists will be included in upcoming newsletters. Looking forward to seeing you at the fair!

New Carline Procedure Started This Week

Over the last few weeks, we have had some near accidents in the Freeman parking lot between vehicles leaving the lot and students walking to cars. The greater use of the Freeman parking lot this year due to nearby construction projects has put more vehicles and more students in that area than in past years. Even with the Main St. construction project finishing soon, which will allow us to better utilize Martin St. for pick up, we feel that these recent close-calls have necessitated a need for us to reevaluate our afternoon-pick up procedures.

Beginning with afternoon pick-up on Monday, November 5, we are asking all parents who park in the Freeman lot to meet their students in the area where they typically gather to wait for their parents after crossing Martin St. Students will no longer be able to walk to vehicles parked in the Freeman lot without the adult(s) picking them up and accompanying them to their vehicles.

We understand that this may pose an inconvenience to some, but please know that our students' safety is of utmost concern and we feel this change is warranted. It would be greatly appreciated if you could please share this change with anyone else who may pick up your student(s) from time to time.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Regards,

Lisa Kovaleski
Principal

Joseph Heinecke
Associate Principal



Field Trip Information

Keep this sheet as reference!



- Grade/Class: 7th Grade
- Field Trip to: Folk Fair, State Fair Expo Center, West Allis
- Date of Field Trip: Friday, November 16, 2018
- Depart School at: 9:30AM after Mass
- Bag Lunch Needed: Yes. Labeled with student's name. No lunch boxes please.
OR bring money to purchase food/beverages.
- Uniform Required: Yes
- Special Instructions: Students may bring extra spending money to purchase food or gift items available at the Folk Fair.
- Chaperone Cost: \$6.00 per ticket. Please see attached permission slip (lower half) if you would like to chaperone and return cash or check payable to Waukesha Catholic.

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN PERMISSION SLIP AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Please complete this form and RETURN BY: **Friday, November 9, 2018**



Name of Student: _____ Grade/Room: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone: _____

As parent or guardian of the above named student, I give permission for my child to participate in the field trip described as follows:

Parish/School: Waukesha Catholic – St. Joseph Middle School

Date of Trip: **Friday, November 16, 2018**

Destination/Activity: Holiday Folk Fair – State Fair Park, West Allis

Designated Teacher/Supervisor: Ms. Thachenkery, Staff and Parent Chaperones

Mode of transportation: Bus

Uniform required: Yes

Campus Phone: 262.896.2930.x321

Departure Time: 9:30AM Return Time: 2:15pm

Medical Information and Release:

In the event of an emergency, I give permission to transport my child to a hospital for emergency medical treatment. I wish to be advised prior to any further treatment by the hospital or doctor.

On field trips that occur during the length of the school day, any prescription medication already provided to the school will be carried and administered by staff.

If you are unable to reach a parent/guardian at the above number, contact:

Alternate Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Pertinent medical conditions: _____

Field Trip Consent and Release

In consideration for my child/ward's participation, I agree to reimburse and indemnify the parish/school for all reasonable legal and court fees incurred by parish/school in defending a lawsuit that I or my child/ward may bring against the parish/school which relates to the above named activity if the parish/school is found not legally liable by the courts and prevails in the lawsuit. If the parish/school is found legally liable for injuries sustained by child/ward, this paragraph will not apply.

I certify that I have an understanding of this agreement and any risks and hazards associated with the activity described above that my child/ward will be participating in. I further understand that I had the opportunity to fully discuss this agreement with a representative of the parish/school to clarify any concerns or questions about the activity or this agreement that I may have had.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Chaperones required: **Yes Chaperone Cost \$6.00**

Yes, I am available to chaperone. I can be reached at: _____

Parent Name: _____

(Please print)

Chaperones must have completed Safeguarding requirements of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

Yes

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Blessings in a Backpack

Last week's packet contained a yellow flyer called "Blessings in a Backpack". Many families may be receiving a second request today. Whether you are taking advantage of the program or not, **everyone** needs to return the form. It is important to hear from each family. **Note: We need a form returned for each child.** Thank you!

PBIS Knights Store Hours

Please be aware that the dates for spending Knight's Cash for the month of November are Friday, Nov. 9th and 29th. It was omitted from the November calendar as we did not have those dates.

Poverty Paper Needed

Waukesha Catholic tries to conserve paper as much as possible. If anyone has slightly used paper that can be donated to the school it would be very much appreciated. This paper could be outdated letterhead as an example, or paper that has writing on one side but is clean on the other. Paper should also be free of any staples. Call the school office for more information, or if you have a donation of paper to make.



Looking Ahead

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| Friday, Nov. 9 th : | School liturgy at 9:00am, 2-2 |
| Monday, Nov. 12 th : | Scrip orders due Principal Appreciation Day |
| Tuesday, Nov. 13 th : | Fall fundraiser ends today Coop turn-in day |
| Wednesday, Nov. 14 th : | 4 th grade in-school field trip, Kohl's Wild Theater, 12:00 – 2:00pm Non-uniform day if you donated to the Soles for Education walk |

Included in Today's Packet

K3, K4, and K5 Open House flyer
Blessings in a Backpack flyer, *Second Request*

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Blessing in a Bag

Many families may be receiving a second request today regarding the Blessing in a Bag Program. These forms were sent to each student last week, and your response is required. Please fill out your response and return the form to school. Thank you!

BOXTOPS Contest

Pete the Cat needs groovy buttons, and Waukesha Catholic needs your BOXTOPS! Tape your BOXTOPS on Pete's buttons to earn \$2.50 for our school just by clipping the coupons! We'll see which class collects the most groovy buttons & BOXTOPS by Christmas, to win the contest!



Looking Ahead

November 13th – FINAL Coop Turn-in Day

November 14th – Soles For Education Uniform Pass Day

November 16th – Prayer Service led by Mrs. Kelly's K5 class

Included In This Packet

Kindergarten Open House Flyer

BOXTOPS Collection Sheet

Blessing in a Bag Form – Second Request