



Eagle Express News

Inspiring Hearts & Minds

October 11, 2017

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents,

Well, it is here! For families with K-8 students, the **sign up for this year's fish fries** is attached to the Eagle Express email today. Make sure you read through the information, and sign up for your required shifts! We are all looking forward to this year's fish fry season!

Our Home & School Association is trying a new fundraiser this year, in place of the Soup Raffle, which they decided not to continue. The **1st Annual Trivia Night** will be held on Friday, November 3. Register your team of 8, or individually for the Trivia competition, with great prizes for the winners. In addition to Trivia, side-bets, food and fun, there will also be a Silent Auction. Look for more information in the Eagle Express this week! If you are interested in donating prizes to this spectacular school fundraiser, please contact Mary Kirschbaum at kirschbaumm@yahoo.com.

Save the date for the **Christmas Concert!** The IHM Christmas Concert will be a little bit different this year – we are splitting up the grades, and holding it in the IHM Gymnasium. To preserve the sacredness of our beautiful church, we are moving the whole shebang to the gym. In order to make room for all, Grades PreK-2 will perform at 5:30, and grades 3-8 will perform at 6:30. This will also give time for each grade to show off their talents, and a smaller venue means you get a better seat, and to hear the music more clearly. Of course, more information will follow as we get closer to the date!

Catholic Schools provide a firm foundation for the growth and development of your child. Pray for a year filled with faith and learning. Let us be a community of service to one another and to our world. On behalf of Fr. Chad, the teachers and staff of Immaculate Heart of Mary School, God bless you for choosing Immaculate Heart of Mary School!

Callie Meiller, Principal

Thank You!

Many thanks to Sr. Sue Keim and Mr. Andrew Beechtree, for heading up our Student Council this year! The Student Council has a lot of fun leadership events and activities planned for the school year!

Office Reminders

♥ The Oct. 20th Smart Tuition withdrawal will include Lunch, Wraparound & Afterschool Fees from August & September, as well as Volleyball Fees at \$35 per player.

♥ Students can wear shorts/skirts without tights or leggings until Nov. 1st. After that long pants and tights/leggings under skirts are required until April 1st.

Upcoming Events

October

- 11 Mid-term reports come home (Grades 6-8)
- 12 8:30 All-School Mass
- 17 3:15 Student Council Mtg.
- 18 **PreK, 4K, K-8: No School**
- 19 PreK Frog: Picture Day
PreK Bear, 4K, K-8: Retake Day
8:30 All-School Mass
- 20 9:15 Grades 5-8: Field Trip to All-Schools
Mass at Alliant Energy Center
- 24 3:15 Student Council Mtg.
- 26 8:30 All-School Mass
- 27 **PreK, 4K, K-8: No School**
- 28 St. Anne's Bazaar
- 31 Middle School Field Trip to Edgewood Play
3:15 Student Council Mtg.

November

- 1 8:30 All-School Mass
6:00 SAC Mtg.
- 2 No Mass
- 3 No Uniform Day
7:00 Trivia Night
- 6 **PreK, 4K, K-8: No School**
Prairie Fire Theater Auditions
6:15 Athletic Committee Mtg.

PICTURE OF THE WEEK



5th Graders Nathan, William, Kolton & Sebastian sort clothing for the Koats for Kids donations!

In the Eagle Express This Week:

Trivia Night Flyer and Registration Form
Let's Build It Flyer (Grades 1-5)
Chess Scholars Flyer (Grades K-8)
Picture packet, if ordered

Lunch Line Volunteers This Week:

Thu. 12th: **Nathan McGree**
Fri. 13th: **Anne Bender & Donna Steffens**
Mon. 16th: **Shirley Diedrich & Michelle Kern**
Tue. 17th: **Shirley Diedrich**
Wed. 18th: **Lisa Bent/Aurea Garcia-Xelhua**
Thank you for your help!

IHM Eagles Volleyball

Saturday, October 14

8:00 5th Grade at St. John
9:00 5th Grade at St. John
10:00 6th Grade at St. Francis
11:00 6th Grade at St. Francis
11:00 8th Grade at Adundant Life
1:00 8th Grade at Adundant Life

Sunday, October 15

12:00 8th Grade at St. James

GO EAGLES!

Did You Know?

The 5th grade collected:
81 coats
11 scarves
30 pairs of mittens
45 hats
5 snowpants
1 snowsuit

For the Koats for Kids campaign!
Thanks 5th grade, and to everyone that donated to the drive!

