

St. Andrew Parish School

A School + A Church + A Community

FAMILY NOTE

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Teach, Reflect and Live the Gospel.

October 4, 2011

Dear St. Andrew Families,

I hope you are all enjoying the beautiful fall weather. This Sunday is our October children's mass and social. I hope that many of you will take the opportunity to attend 9:30 mass this weekend to see our school children participate. There is a sign-up sheet in this week's family envelope for student participation and I am hoping that many of our students sign up to be a part of this special Eucharistic celebration. Jesus said, "For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them." (Matthew 18:20) When we gather as a family in prayer, we draw attention to the presence of Jesus in our midst. Praying together at mass strengthens the bonds of family life. The more a family community gathers in prayer, the more children will see prayer as an important part of their lives. I look forward to a wonderful celebration this Sunday.

Once again the family envelope is full of information so take your time to go through all of it. Also, included is the October calendar, it is quite an eventful month!

Take the time to enjoy the beautiful fall weather and have a great week!

Julie Kadrich

PLAYGROUND SUPERVISOR FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

Week of Oct. 3 Kurt Timmerman
Week of Oct. 10: Michele Difiore
Week of Oct. 17: Carrie Ruhl
Week of Oct. 24 Mandy DeGrave
Week of Oct. 31 Susan O'Grady

Any questions please contact the school office. Thank you

Calendar Details:

~Tuesday, Oct. 4 – First Quarter Progress Reports go home

Art Club grades 1 & 2
HOMEWORK CLUB

~Wednesday, Oct 5 – 3rd grade Pumpkin project trip

HOMEWORK CLUB
School Committee Meeting 5:30pm in Smart Room

~Friday, Oct. 7 – Mass 8:30am hosted by 4th grade

~Sunday, Oct 9th – 9:30 Children's Mass

~Monday, Oct 10 – Fire Prevention Week begins
Home and School Meeting 5:30pm in Smart Room
MARKET DAY orders due

~Tuesday, Oct. 11 – 2:00 - All School Rosary – Please join us if you can.
HOMEWORK CLUB

Up and Coming:

~Wednesday, Oct. 12 – Kindergarten Trip to the Fire Station
HOMEWORK CLUB
Athletic Committee Meeting 7pm

~Thursday, Oct. 13 – MARKET DAY Pick-up 4pm

~Friday, Oct. 14 – **Early Release Day.** Students are dismissed at 12:00 – No lunch served at school that day.

~Tuesday, Oct. 18 – Picture re-takes and Volleyball pictures
HOMEWORK CLUB

~Wednesday, Oct. 19 – HOMEWORK CLUB
First Reconciliation Parent Meeting - 6:00
Buildings and Grounds Meeting – 6:00

~Friday, Oct. 21 – Walkathon!

SCHOOL NEWS

FAMILY ENVELOPE

This will be the first week (for those of you who chose to have the family note emailed to you) you will not receive a paper copy for everything included in the family envelope. You will only receive the information that will need to be filled out and returned to school. If you find out that this way of receiving information is not working for your family please contact the school office to be removed from the email list. Or if you are not on our email list and would like to be, please send a note to the office with your contact information and we would be happy to add you.

Thank you again for helping reduce the amount of paper we use at the school.

ATHLETIC NEWS

Congratulations to St. Andrews Volleyball "A" team (7th/8th graders) for winning FIRST PLACE in our 3rd annual St.A's/DCS INVITATIONAL tournament!

Cassidy Timmerman, Kylie Smith, Lexi Picard, Shelby Gramly, Reece Torkelson, Kenna Timmerman, Jacqueline Damrow.
Great Job Girls!

The Athletic Committee would like to "shout out a cheer" to our Volleyball Coaches, Terri Timmerman and Monica Damrow for their dedicated time and commitment to work with our girls. GREAT COACHING! A special "thank you" to Joey Torkelson for chairing concessions for the tournament and to the parents who volunteered. And THANK YOU to the school families and staff who came to cheer our girls on. Lastly, "thank you" to the front office staff, Julie Kadrich, Jackie Schneider and Katie Duckworth, for handling the paperwork and deposits.

BOX TOP NEWS

The children continue to make their way around Box Top Land. Last week, students' wore comfy clothes and received donut holes for the squares they landed on and flew past! Thank you for supporting this great cause.

Wow! We have raised \$300.00 so far this year. Stay tuned for updated total as the parish has also been saving Box Tops for us and those will be counted in the upcoming weeks total... A big thanks goes out to those in the parish that are helping us as well.

We are working to reach our first school goal of \$500 by making our way around Box Top Land. Watch the students' progress on the game board in the K-1 hallway.

Please visit www.boxtops4education.com. Please continue to send in those Box Tops!!!!

READING COUNTS UPDATE

The following totals are for number of books read and passed since the beginning of the school year by grade level:

1 st grade:	112
2 nd grade:	226
3 rd grade:	73
4 th grade:	29
5 th grade:	83

Kindergarten in pre-season: 15

Total books read and passed by grades K-5: **534 books**

The following students have met their **25% individual goal**:

Ben Venteicher	Teresa Zampino	Tony Huerta
Aidan Showalter	Emmett Clair	Anna Quartucci
Sophie Foster	Ella Duckworth	Camila Salinas-Garibay
Nick Scott	Jessie Seuser	Trent Hernandez
Nadia Nateghi	Tyler McKean	Grace Brown
Anthony DiSilvio		

The following students have met their **50% individual goal**:

Logan Hermann	Luke Loback	John Moses
Ella Lawton	Quinn O'Grady	Griffin Struck

The following students have met their **75% individual goal**:

Jacob Szczap	Joe Brusa	Gianna Zampino
Adrianna Godina		

The following students have met their **100% individual goal**:

Logan Mortlock	Becca Schwigel	Cade Showalter
Annie Spata	Augustus Foster	Sidney Koschkee
Madison Weitz		

Congratulations!!

TECHNOLOGY MEETING

Our first technology meeting of the year is scheduled for **Wednesday, October 12th at 4:00** in the SMART Room. We are still looking for new members to this important committee. Please note that you do not need to be tech savvy to be a part of this committee. We are looking for new ideas and input.

Reminders:

Early Release Day

Our first early release day will be Friday, October 14th. School will let out at noon. Buses will run on their regular schedule. Lunch is not served at school on that day. K-Club will be open for any students who would like to attend please see-enclosed note for more information.

Tee it up with TGA!

TGA Premier Junior Golf of McHenry and Walworth is proud to bring the golf course to St Andrew. Our national, award winning, 5 level program is specially designed for children and focuses on safety and having fun while instilling self confidence and life values through professional golf instruction. Students learn the fundamentals, etiquette and rules of the game with a low 10:1 student to instructor ratio. Plus we provide all the equipment so everyone has the chance to come out and tee it up with TGA! Registration forms were sent home in last week's family envelope. If you are interested please send these to the office as soon as possible.

Art Club

Art club begins its 14th year!! Meetings will be held once a month on Tuesdays from 3:15-4:30 for each of the age groups. If you are interested in joining Art Club please send back the enclosed permission slip. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Marsicano at marsicanon@archmil.org.

We are also in need of Art Club volunteers to help Ms. Marsicano. Art Club will be the only people on the lower level during this time and extra hands are needed for the projects, snack time and bathroom breaks. Please consider helping so we can keep this program running. Thank you

Walkathon

Please send in your permission slips, volunteer form and music/lap request form. Continue to collect pledges!! We walk on Friday, October 21!! Pray for good weather ☺

Parish News

Dishing with the Disciples presents "Ask a Priest"

"Dishing with the Disciples" will be meeting in Delavan on Thursday, October 20th, at 6:30 in St. Andrew's cafeteria. This is a monthly opportunity for Adult Christian Formation AND an avenue to take advantage of being together as a FUN faith community. Please consider joining us. Our topic for October "Dishing" series will be "**Ask a Priest**". Father Jim Schuerman, pastor of St. Andrew's and St. Pat's will facilitate the discussion. He will answer questions you might have about our faith or the Catholic Church. We ask that if you feel in the mood to bring a snack or dessert to feed 4 people, but it is not a requirement.

We are hoping you will find this to be a way to satisfy your hunger for more faith formation, fun and food as the family of God. Last month 15 adults experienced "Dishing" and left with fuller knowledge about the Mass and fuller stomachs. A win-win deal! On Oct. 20th come with your burning questions, leave with all the answers. Take the plunge and experience "Dishing with the Disciples" this month.

IN THIS WEEK'S FAMILY ENVELOPE

FAMILY NOTE

LUNCH MENU

OCTOBER CALENDAR

ART CLUB HELPERS REQUEST

ST. NICK'S VOLUNTEER LETTER

FAMILY MASS SIGN UP FORM

BABYSITTERS INFORMATION

K-CLUB EARLY RELEASE DAY INFO

5TH THROUGH 8TH GRADE PROGRESS REPORTS

MONEY FOR GARBAGE FLYER

St. Nick's Breakfast Dec. 4, 2011

The St. Nicks Breakfast is a very long standing tradition at St. Andrew's. It is an all school fundraiser that kicks off the Christmas Season. This four hour breakfast has really grown into a major event over the last 7 years. We serve a hot breakfast to well over 600 people in a very festive cafeteria and host a craft bazaar in the gym with about 20 vendors. It is a lot of work but it is a lot of fun. The fundraising goal is \$ 13,000.00. The following is a list of Sub committees. With your help this event is the great event that it is.

If you can help in anyway please contact me. My info is at the bottom. Or return this to school with your name and number next to the area you are interested in helping with..

Placement Advertising:

Table Service :

Craft Bazaar:

Children's Gift Shop:

Silent Auction:

Raffle Drawing:

Take a Chance Raffle:

Bake Sale:

Kids Busy Area:

Kitchen:This area is where the men love to be !

Event Chair People: Scott and Gretchen Wolfer 740-1414 or 728-2011(days) or 262-325-0796 email utiger@sbcglobal.net

If you have any questions or would like to help in anyway please give us a call..We are looking for donations and time. Thanks so much for all the past help and future help. We are so excited to be doing this wonderful event..

Family Mass
Sunday, October 9, 2011
9:30am

Dear Families,

The students of St. Andrew will host the 9:30 Mass on **Sunday, October 9, 2011**. If your child would like to have a part at this mass, please send back the bottom portion of this letter **tomorrow**. Your child will receive their part at school and have time to practice like we do for our Friday Masses. Also, your child will be sitting in the right-front section of church during Mass. We are sending this out early due to Christmas vacation.

May peace be with you!
St. Andrew Parish School Teachers

Family Name _____

We will be at Mass! My child (ren) _____

_____ would like to have a part at Mass.

_____ We will be at Mass! My child _____ would like to be part of Mrs. Zampino's choir.

Did you know that St. A's can earn items for school through all of the following programs:

Campbell's labels for education
Coke Rewards
Targets red card

McDonald's neighbor program
Sunny Delight's book spree

We'll take your garbage and turn it into FREE MONEY for the school!! There are many corporate sponsored programs similar to the Box Tops program that schools can participate in to earn cash, equipment and supplies. In the past we have focused primarily on the Box Tops and Campbell's programs but there is so much more out there!

Campbell's Labels for Education: Here is how we do it...cut labels from participating products and they can be redeemed for equipment. Different products have different point values. Did you know that UPC codes from all Campbell's soups, Bic pens and products, Dannon yogurt, Pepperidge Farm products, V8 products, Prego, Franco-American, Pace, Post cereals, Glad garbage bags and Wolfgang Puck products are all eligible products. Did you also know that Real simple, Time, All You, Cooking Light, Southern Living and Health magazines are also part of the Labels for Education program? Don't feel bad I didn't know it either. All we need is the Label for Education code from the product. Not all products have a "special" Label for Education code if an item does not have one we only need the UPC code.

Campbell's eLabels for Education: If you or a family member registers your in store shopping card from Dominicks, Jewel-Osco, Kroger, Safeway or Shoprite grocery then every time you buy a participating product and use the shopping card the school will get 1 point for every Campbell product and we can still turn in the label. If you have family and friends that live in areas near these stores you could ask them to help out.

McDonalds Neighbor Program: This is a really simple program where you save your McDonalds receipts and they can be turned in for school equipment. The school gets one point for every receipt turned in regardless of receipt total. If you go to McDonalds every morning for a cup of coffee or your morning Coke ask for a receipt and turn it in to school.

Coke Rewards: Many are already familiar with this program but may not know that our school can benefit from the reward codes. There is a code printed in 12 & 24 packs of all Coke products and on all screw off caps from Coke product bottles. The codes add up to free items for St. A's. If you send the codes to school we will enter them if you are already saving codes and want to donate them to St. A's you can do that too. St. A's has an account all set up.

Target Take Charge of Education: This program works with the TargetRED credit or debit cards. If you currently have one of these cards you can register the card and designate St. A's as your school of choice and Target will give the school 1% of your total purchases. In addition to that you will always save 5% on all of your purchases. If you use your RED card anywhere else the school will get .5% of your total purchases. School will never see what you are buying or who the money comes from they will simply get a check every month.

SunnyD Book Spree: Just save the UPC labels from any shrink wrapped SunnyD product or 16oz. or larger bottles. 20 UPC's will get us 20 free classroom books. It is that easy.

The programs listed above are easy and can be very profitable to the school. All of these programs run off of purchases you are going to make any way and don't cost you money. Please take a ziplock bag and hang it on your fridge and start collecting. Don't worry about separating everything you can put labels, receipts UPC's all in the same bag. Send it to school when ever it gets in your way and we will do the rest. You can submit items every month, week or day...whatever works for you. If your employer will let you put out a collection bin let me know and we will get you one.

Lunch Cost \$45.00
 reduced to \$7.20

18 days



2011

ST. ANDREWS LUNCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
³ SOFT SHELL TACOS(SLOW) CORN OR REF. BEANS (G) APPLESAUCE (S) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)	⁴ ENTREE CHOICE PEPPERONI PIZZA (G) HOTDOG (S) CORN OR GR. BEANS (G) PEARS (S) TOSSED SALAD (GO) BROWNIES (W) MILK (S)	⁵ ENTREE CHOICE CR. CHIX W. BISCUIT (S) PBJ & YOGURT (S) GR. BEANS OR CARROT PINEAPPLE (G) MILK (S)	⁶ MOSTACCIOLI CORN OR PEAS (G) FRUIT COCKTAIL (S) ROLLS(S) MILK (S)	⁷ CHIX NUGGETS (S) SALAD BAR CORN (G) PEACHES (S) ROLLS(S) MILK (S)
¹⁰ ENTREE CHOICE NACHOS W. BEEF (W) STRING CHEESE & PBJ GREEN BEANS OR PEAS(GO) FRUIT COCKTAIL (S) BIRTHDAY CAKE (W) MILK (S)	¹¹ ENTREE CHOICE CHEESE PIZZA (G) CHICKEN PATTIE (S) CORN OR PEAS (G) APPLESAUCE (S) TOSSED SALAD (GO) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)	¹² ENTREE CHOICE MEATLOAF & GRAVY PBJ & YOGURT (S) MASHED POTATOES CALIFORNIA VEG. (GO) ROLLS PEARS (S) MILK (S)	¹³ ENTREE CHOICE MINI-CORNDOGS (S) GRILLED CHEESE (S) CORN OR GR. BEANS (G) PINEAPPLE (G) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)	¹⁴ EARLY RELEASE DAY NO LUNCH
¹⁷ ENTREE CHOICE SAUSAGE PIZZA (S) BBQ PORK RIB(S) CORN OR GR. BEANS (G) PEARS (S) TOSSED SALAD (GO) CRISP W. TOPPING(W) MILK (S)	¹⁸ SLOPPY JOES (S) CALICO FRIES CORN (G) APPLESAUCE (S) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)	¹⁹ ENTREE CHOICE FISH NUGGETS (S) CORNDOG(S) SALAD BAR CORN (G) PEACHES (S) ROLLS MILK (S)	²⁰ ROASTED CHICKEN MASHED POTATOES CALIFORNIA VEG. (GO) FRUIT COCKTAIL (S) ROLLS MILK (S)	²¹ PIZZABURGERS (S) CORN OR PEAS (G) PINEAPPLE (G) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)
²⁴ WALKING TACO (S) CORN OR GR. BEANS (G) PEACHES (S) CONGO BAR (W) MILK (S)	²⁵ ENTREE CHOICE DOUBLE STFF PIZZA (S) HAMBURGER (S) CARROTS OR PEAS(G) APPLESAUCE (S) TOSSED SALAD (GO) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)	²⁶ ENTREE CHOICE POTATO BAR (S) PBJ & YOGURT (S) BROCCOLI (G) PEARS (S) COOKIE (W) MILK (S)	²⁷ NO SCHOOL TODAY	²⁸ NO SCHOOL TODAY
³¹ PIZZA DIPPERS W. SAUCE BROCCOLI-CHEESE SOUP PINEAPPLE (G) HALLOWEEN CAKE MILK (S)				

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We, the members of St. Andrew Parish School,
are called to **Teach, Reflect and Live**
the Gospel

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4 Progress Reports Home H-work Club Girls' vball games @ Home Art Club 1 & 2	5 3 rd grade pumpkin project trip v-ball prac. 5:30- School Comm. Mtg.	6 v-ball games at Williams Bay	7 8:30 Mass hosted by 4 th grade	8
9 9:30 Children's Mass & Social	10 Columbus Day Fire Prevention Week VB games at DCS 5:30 H&S Mtg.	11 2:00 – All School Rosary H-work Club Art Club 3 & 4 v-ball games at Traver	12 H-work club V-ball practice 4:00 – Tech Comm. Mtg 7:00 – Athletic Comm. Mtg.	13 v-ball practice Market Day	14 8:30 Mass hosted by 3 rd grade Early Release Day Teacher In-Service	15
16 "You Belong Here" Parish Harvest Meal 6:00	17 National School Bus Safety Week v-ball practice	18 Picture Retakes VB Team Pictures Art Club 5-8 H-work club v-ball practice	19 H-work Club 1 st Reconciliation Parent Meeting 6:00 6:00 Buildings & Grounds Mtg.	20 v-ball practice	21 8:30 Mass hosted by 8 th grade Walkathon	22
23 Red Ribbon Week 23 rd – 31 st	24 Girls' v-ball games @ Home vs. Fontana	25 Walkathon Rain date H-work Club V-ball games @ St. Francis Youth Camp	26 H-work Club V-ball practice	27 No School Teacher In-Service	28 No School Teacher In-Service	29
30	31 Halloween Spook House					

October News Letter

October 3, 2011

October 14th is early dismissal. Children can arrive at kids Club at that time.

Kids Club is planning afternoon activities for your children. Face painting, games, prizes, treats, and lots more. Note that Kids Club will be available until 6:00 PM.

If you wish to have your children participate please provide lunch and a \$5.00 fee.

Please sign your child's name and return this form to the Kids Club Staff.

Thank you and Happy Autumn.

Help! ART CLUB HELPERS NEEDED!!!!

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