



December 6, 2017 Newsletter

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Upcoming Dates to Know

Thursday, December 7th- JMF Open House
5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Friday, December 8th-
All School Mass 4th
Grade to Sing
afterwards

Tuesday, December
12th-All School Mass-
Feast of our Lady of
Guadalupe

School Commission
Meeting 6:30-8:00
p.m. Library

Thursday, December
14th- Band Concert in
Gym 6:30 p.m.

Friday, December
15th-All School Mass
3rd Grade to sing
immediately following

Middle School Dance

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Dear Parents,

Spelling Bee

We still have a few spaces open for our Middle School Spelling Bee at Ritter High School. If you are interesting in your son or daughter participating please contact Cathy Duda this week. c.duda@smsindy.org

Important Odds and Ends

Yes, there is a Speed Limit!
Speed limit is 5mph for everyone at St. Monica.
Do your part to keep the children safe.

2018-2019 School Year
Preregistration for next year will go out the
second week of January

SCRIP Gift Cards
St. Monica will no longer be ordering SCRIP gift cards. We are selling what we have on hand and currently have limited quantities. No gift certificates will be issued/sold. Please keep this in mind with the holiday season approaching.

Christmas Singing and Middle School Concert

Friday, December 8: Fourth Graders sing Advent songs immediately following Mass in the Church

in Gym 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday,
December 20th- Last
Day of School before
Christmas Break
Dismissal at 1:00 p.m.
NO AFTERCARE!!!

Thursday, December
21st-Wednesday,
January 3rd-
Christmas Break

Thursday, January 4th-
School Resumes

Nurse's Notes

Just as a reminder
from the handbook
since we have several
students absent from
each classroom:

- Students must be fever free for 24 hours, without the use of fever reduction medication. Students with temperatures above 100 degrees will be sent home.
- Students must not have vomited or had diarrhea for 24 hours before returning to school.

Words of Wellness

Check out [this link](#) for some great tips to stay well this winter.



Donate Now

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Tuesday, December 12 at 8:00am: All-School Mass - Feast of our Lady of Guadalupe; Bilingual Mass; A Play "The 3 Apparitions and a Miracle" will be presented to the entire student body Immediately following Mass in the Church; The play is presented by Parishioners of St. Monica Catholic Church.

Thursday, December 14 at 6:30p in the gym: Middle School Christmas Concert featuring the school Bands and Choir; Attendance is required for all students in Band or Choir.

Friday, December 15: Third-graders will sing Advent songs immediately following All-School Mass

Account Balances

Our school offers its diverse academic, fine arts, and after school activities on a very tight budget. It requires everyone to stay up to date with their various accounts. Please make sure you have your after care and lunch balances all taken care of before we go on Christmas Break. Continue to stay on time with your tuition payments as well.

Use Remind!

Winter is upon us. The best way to know about school delays and school closings is to sign up!
If you are not signed up for Remind, please re-sign up by following the link [Remind System](#)

Volleyball Open Session this Saturday!

In preparation for the volleyball season coming up, we will have an opportunity Saturday Dec. 9 at 2:30pm to get out and have some time on the court. It is open for boys and girls at St. Monica school from 4th to 8th grades. We will practice skills/serving and play some scrimmage games if enough are able to come. Contact Brent Toney at btoney25@yahoo.com for more information.

Christmas Book Fair- Help Needed!

Give the gift of Books for Christmas!!

We will be having a Christmas Book Fair starting December 6th and running until December 11th. Help is needed with setting up on the 5th, working the event, and tearing down on the 11th. Please consider signing up for a time slot (service hours earned).

Link to sign up can be found [here](#)

Christmas Server Training

So that we may better serve the Lord during the Christmas Masses all Servers who would like to/are serving during the masses are required to come to one of the Christmas Training sessions on
Saturday, December 16th at 2:30 p.m. and/or
Thursday, December 21st at 3:00 p.m.

Again if you are serving a Christmas Mass, your attendance is required at one of the above training session

****PTO UPCOMING EVENTS****

Skate Night - January 17th from 6 PM to 8:30 PM at Skateland

Forward to a Friend

*Admission is \$6 & Skateland will donate \$2 back to the school, skate mates will be complimentary.

*Money raised will go towards the PTO JMF Disability Awareness Sponsorship

Trivia Night - January 27th from 8 PM - 11 PM

*Money raised will help pay for Faith Filled Friday T-Shirts

PACERS NIGHT - Sunday December 10th

*Looking forward to Pacers night, if you purchased tickets, we will see you on Sunday for the 5 PM game!

Teachers Appreciation Day - February 1st

Monica March Madness Auction: March 3rd - 6-11

*****PTO UPDATES*****

Donut Day

*Thank you to everyone that attended Donut Day and to those who donated items!

BUS UPDATE

*The school administration has started the search for a school bus for St. Monica School, the search could take some time, we will update you when we have more information. Thank you for your generous donations during the read-a-thon!

Help at CYO Events here at St. Monica

To all St. Monica Parents -

We are in need of volunteers to help collect admission at the door and help in the concessions stand. You can sign up for one hour time slots. But please do not sign up for more than 2 consecutive hours - allowing all to have a chance at getting their volunteer hours in! You may volunteer for these spots even if your child is not playing basketball! All hours volunteered count toward your school required 28 hours on a 1:1 ratio.

One or more of the CYO board members will be at the gym to get volunteers oriented and set up for the shift they are going to work - so you won't have to figure things out on your own!

Also, when considering concessions - think about not signing up for the game that your child is playing in - you will not be able to see the game from the concession stand!

Final note on volunteers: Students in 7th-12th grade can volunteer, however an adult MUST be with them. If your student would like to sit at the admissions table, sign the student up in the slot and the just add a comment with the adult's name. If the student would like to work in concessions - sign the student up in one slot and the adult in the second slot.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me - Anne Shea atshea@att.net

If you sign up for a slot and there is a reason you can not fulfill your time slot, email me or if it's within 24 hours, please call. 317-797-3066. Thank you!

[Please Click here to Sign UP](#)

Also, stay tuned - there will be many more opportunities as Volleyball season is right around the corner!

Thank you,
Anne Shea

A todos los padres de Santa Mónica - Necesitamos voluntarios para ayudar a recoger la admisión en la entrada y ayudar en el puesto de concesiones. Puede inscribirse en ranuras de tiempo de una hora. Pero por favor no se registre por más de 2 horas consecutivas, ¡permitiendo que todos tengan la oportunidad de obtener sus horas de voluntariado! ¡Puede ofrecerse como voluntario para estos lugares, incluso si su hijo(a) juega baloncesto! Todas las horas voluntarias cuentan para su escuela requiere 28 horas en una proporción de 1: 1.

Uno o más de los miembros de la junta de CYO estarán en el gimnasio para orientar a los voluntarios y prepararlos para el turno en el que van a trabajar, ¡para que no tenga que resolver las cosas por su cuenta! Además, al considerar las concesiones, piense en no inscribirse en el juego en el que su hijo(a) está jugando, ¡ya que no podrá ver el juego desde el concesionario!

Nota final sobre los voluntarios: los estudiantes de 7 ° a 12 ° grado pueden ser voluntarios, sin embargo, un adulto DEBE estar con ellos. Si a su estudiante le gustaría sentarse en la mesa de admisiones, inscriba al estudiante en la ranura y simplemente agregue un comentario con el nombre del adulto. Si el estudiante desea trabajar en concesiones, firme el alumno en una ranura y el adulto en la segunda. Si tiene alguna pregunta, no dude en enviarme un correo electrónico: Anne Shea atshea@att.net

Si se inscribe en un lugar y hay una razón por la que no puede cumplir con su horario, envíeme un correo electrónico o si es dentro de las 24 horas, llame. 317-797-3066. ¡Gracias!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b49acaf23a20-concessions>

Además, estar atentos: habrá muchas más oportunidades ya que la temporada de vóleybol está a la vuelta de la esquina.

Gracias,
Anne Shea

Gift Card Donations Needed for Balloon Pop!

A much loved event at our St. Monica Auction, which is scheduled for March 3rd here at St. Monica, is the Balloon Pop!

We are in need of \$25 Gift Cards
to any restaurant, store, etc. to be donated.

Each \$25 Gift Card donated equals 7 Service Hours!!!

Please bring donated Gift Cards to the School Office. Thank you!

Joseph Maley Foundation Open House All are welcome!

Joseph Maley Foundation, one of our community partners, invites everyone to their Open House December 7, 2017 from 5:30-8:00PM. It is on our Family Calendar and you can find more information here: [Open House Information](#)

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