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Dates to Remember

May

19, **All School Mass, 8th Grade Class's Last School Mass**; 3rd Grade Field Trip to Cow Town; AR Outing to Golden Corral for qualifying students; Last day of latchkey// extended day; Last day of our hot lunch program for the 2016-17 school year; 8th Grade Promotion & Awards Ceremony, 7:00 p.m., New gym 22-26, Used Uniform Sale—outside school office

22, **All School Mass**, Mrs. West's class; Send a sack lunch with a drink; Band Concert, 1:00 p.m., Old gym 23, **All School Mass**, Mrs. Weaver's class; 1st-7th Grade Awards Ceremony, 9:00 a.m.—Old gym; Pizza Lunch Day (if ordered) or sack lunch w/drink 24, **All School Mass**, Mrs. Hammans' class; Field Day, 9:00-12:00 p.m.; Hot dog lunch (if ordered) or sack lunch w/drink; Book Fair, Commons; **12:00 p.m. Dismissal**

25, **All School Mass**; Kndg. Promotion Mass; Dismissal following the distribution of report cards—approx. 9:30 a.m.

29, Memorial Day—Parish & School Office CLOSED

June

5-23, School Building Closed
16, Totus Tuus Registration Deadline, \$25.00/child
17, Parish Festival, 5:15-11:00 p.m.
26-30, Totus Tuus Parish Camp
28, Summer Library, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

July

5, 12, 19, 26, Summer Library, 1:00-3:00 p.m.
6-27, BSCS Summer School

August

2, Summer Library, 1:00-3:00 p.m.
12, School Supply Pick-up following 5:15 p.m. Mass—Old gym
13, School Supply Pick-up following the 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Masses—Old gym
14, Open House/Back to School Night—Begins in the Commons w/a Social 5:15 p.m.
15, **PARISH & SCHOOL OFFICE CLOSED**—The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
16, 1st Day of School—**NOON DISMISSAL**

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From the Desk of Mr. Dester:

State Assessments



Parents,

We are sending home your student's state assessment results this year with their report card. Our students did very well again this year and I am proud of each of them and our teachers on their effort. The student's scores are reported using a 1,2,3 or 4.

- 1- Indicates the student is performing below grade level
- 2- Indicates the student is performing on grade level
- 3- Indicates the student is performing on college and career readiness level
- 4- Indicates the student is performing above grade level

The students are also given a score that is a range from 220 – 380. Below this graphic you can see how your student performed compared to his classmates, the Diocese and the State. It is important to keep in mind that this is one assessment of your child and not the total picture. Below is a link to help Kansas parents understand the report.

Dan Dester

<http://ksassessments.org/sites/default/files/documents/Interpretive%20Guide%20for%20Score%20Reports.pdf>

Announcements

SUMMER LIBRARY: Wednesdays: beginning June 28th through August 2nd, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS: The school office will be open Monday through Friday May 30th-June 2nd, 8:30-1:00 p.m.

The school building will be closed from June 5th through June 23rd for maintenance and will reopen on Monday, June 26th for Totus Tuus.

The school office will re-open on Tuesdays-Thursdays beginning June 27th from 9:00-1:00 p.m., however we will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th in observance of the holiday.

FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE: 2017-18 registration forms/paperwork is due back to the school office by Friday, June 2nd (health related forms needing a doctor's signature/visit may be held until after the appointment but before school starts unless prior arrangement has been made). Please call the school office with any questions or concerns.

LAST WEEK OF SCHOOL DRESS CODE:

- UNIFORMS ARE TO BE WORN MONDAY, MAY 22ND AND TUESDAY MAY 23RD
- Wednesday, May 24th—Field Day—Hawaiian Luau—appropriate length shorts may be worn with any color of bright shirt (floral or plain) or spirit t-shirt & a color bandana.
- Thursday, May 25th—Church attire to be worn for our last All School Mass and distribution of report cards.

The used uniform sale will still take place in the hallway outside of the school office beginning Monday, May 22nd. Any items that are to be sold should be washed, hung on hangers, envelope pinned and labeled with size, name of seller and price. All leftover items need to be picked up by Friday, May 26th. Check in the school office to pick-up \$ for sold items.

FROM THE HEALTHROOM: Have a safe and wonderful summer! Don't forget to pick up your child's medication in the school office.

FROM THE LUNCHROOM: Please check your PowerSchool account (s). All negative balances must be taken care of prior to your student (s) participating in field day or promotion activities. We will be having special lunches the last week of school.

- Monday, May 22nd—send a sack lunch w/drink with each of your students
- Tuesday, May 23rd—Pizza lunch for those that ordered; sack lunch for all others
- Wednesday, May 24th—Hot dog lunch for those that ordered; sack lunch for all others (Noon Dismissal)

OUT AND ABOUT WITH MRS. LOYLE: Kindergarten artists from Bev Gipson and Heather Poland's classes were hard at work creating portraits of their mothers and fathers. Under the direction of Bev Gipson their lesson resulted in life-like, symmetrical faces which were designed to be Mother's Day gifts for their families. Students drew ovals (not circles) for heads, found mid-lines for eyes and ears, included an iris and pupil and eyelashes, added a J or L for a nose and then

Something to Think About...

The
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Act
Of
Courage
Is to
Endure
And
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Dangers
Doggedly
Rather
Than to
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Them.

Thomas Aquinas

Numbers You May Need

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created more original mouths. Those whose parents wore earrings or glasses made the necessary cosmetic additions. We know the parents will love the time and effort that comprised these pictures.

Spanish Fiesta, under the direction of Machi Samano, was held last Friday. The Kindergarten class entertained with the Chicken Dance. First through fifth danced to traditional Mexican Music. Sixth, seventh, and eighth grade girls did hip hop to flash mob. Eight graders Evan Dalian, Kenzie Lindell, Braxton Powers, Jaxon Powers, Ethan Stuhlsatz, and Jennifer Betzen put on a skit depicting the adage "Tell me who you hang out with and I'll tell you who you are."

You are invited to the final band concert on Monday, May 22 at 1:00 p.m.

FROM THE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR, PAT HARTER: What a year we have had! Our teams represented our school and parish in outstanding fashion. We are truly a BANNER SCHOOL. Speaking of banners, our new gym banners are being updated with this year's **1ST PLACE CSAL FINISHES.**

Track results are in and we have 14 new school records that were set in 2017! All the individuals that set new records are listed under activities on the school website. Blessed Sacrament still holds the CSAL's best record in 8 events. The oldest record is in 8th grade girls' discus and it dates back to 1981. These records can also be found on the website. **If you have not returned your track uniform, please do so by Monday or you will not be allowed to participate in field day.**

Sign up for fall sports is still underway in the school office. If you intend to participate, we need to know before school is out so we can plan accord-

ingly for next year. These sports include: football, cross-country, cheerleading for 8th grade girls & volleyball.

Enjoy the summer break and **GO BARONS!**

TOTUS TUUS: Totus Tuus week is quickly approaching! It will be June 25th - 30th. Turn your registration forms in ASAP, to receive the lowest rate! For questions, please contact Rene TenEyck at Tenecky6@yahoo.com or [316-210-4654](tel:316-210-4654)

LOST AND FOUND: Now that the weather is warmer we seem to be collecting more jackets, coats and hoodies as well as a large number of lunch boxes/bags. Please check the lost and found in the vestibule outside the old gym if your student is missing items. All items left after Thursday, May 25th will be given to a needy shelter. Thank you.

SAVE THE DATE: Blessed Sacrament Parish Festival, Saturday, June 17th, 5:15 p.m. Mass on the Hill, watch for more information to come in the Parish Bulletin.

LIBRARY NEWS: BUY ONE, GET ONE FREE!! Scholastic Book Fairs will be in the school commons on Field Day with a special Buy One, Get One Free for summer reading! The school makes no profit nor earns any points--this is STRICTLY for summer reading opportunities. Please come and take advantage of Scholastic and help your student!!

WE NEED MORE HELP!!

Our school is assigned a list of books to read and make Battle of the Books questions. **YOUR STUDENT DOES NOT NEED TO BE IN BATTLE OF THE BOOKS FOR YOU TO DO THIS!** If you enjoy reading, please think about doing this for us. The books are not difficult

and you have all summer to do it. Modeling reading at home helps your student to read better--another benefit! Please contact Mrs. Seiwert or Mrs. Loyle if you have any questions or can help us out. We have 7 books for which we need 20 questions each. Thanks!!

PTO NEWS: Mark your calendars for our 2nd BARON BENEFIT to take place on Saturday, November 4th! Watch for more information and details to come.

MAY STEWARDSHIP & EVANGELIZATION MESSAGE:

The service that the priests provide selflessly is a precious oil of the New Evangelization. Pray for them fervently. Forgive them readily. Thank them personally. For their life and labor is not always understood or valued in the various communities in which they live and work. Priests and laity are called to go forth as missionary disciples of the New Evangelization. May the joy of the gospel be spread far and wide in this diocese and beyond as we continue to encounter the Lord Jesus Christ, our Redeemer and friend.

Bishop Carl Kemme ~ Mass of Chrism ~
April 11, 2017

You, beloved, build yourselves up in your most holy faith; pray in the Holy Spirit.
Jude 1:20



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