

ST. MARY ON THE HILL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Friday, October 19, 2018

Dear families,

We are excited that our Carnival weekend is finally here! These events would not be possible without the work of many volunteers who have given countless hours, all for the benefit of our school. Please join us to see the results of all of their hard work at our Adults-only Preview Party tonight from 7 pm-11 pm in the SMCS Gym. Also, we hope to see you and your children at the Carnival tomorrow on our school playground from 10 am-2 pm. Please email any photos that you would like to share from the weekend to my address: ashley.fisher@smcsaug.org.

With our first quarter coming to a close, we will be honoring our Quarter 1 All A-Honor Roll and A/B Honor Roll students at the conclusion of our upcoming November 1st all-school Mass. Mrs. Webster and I will call the names of all awardees and present them with their certificates. We hope that parents of these students will be able to join us for this Mass and brief ceremony. During the course of the school year, students who earn academic and extracurricular awards will also be recognized at the conclusion of an all-School Mass. By doing a recognition during the year, this allows us to acknowledge students' accomplishments in a more timely manner. It also allows all of our SMCS students to be a part of the ceremony. *Please note that recognizing students during the school year will replace the Academic Awards ceremony that is normally held at the end of the year. The Athletic Awards ceremony for all students who participated in SMCS sports will continue to be held in the spring.* Please contact me if you have any questions.

We look forward to seeing you this weekend!

God bless,

Ashley J. Fisher

Assistant Principal, St. Mary on the Hill Catholic School

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News and Events for the Next Two Weeks

Week of October 22nd:

Monday, 10/22

Tuesday, 10/23

- 5 pm Cross Country Championship

Wednesday, 10/24

Thursday, 10/25

Friday, 10/26

- 11:30 am dismissal- There IS After Care today.
- Parent/teacher conferences beginning at 12:30 pm

Week of October 29th:

Monday, 10/29

Tuesday, 10/30

- 6:30 PM Sensational Saints meeting on SMCS campus

Wednesday, 10/31

- Happy Halloween! *The only students permitted to wear costumes today are those in kindergarten.*

Thursday, 11/01

- All Saints Day Mass at 9:15 AM
- Brief awards ceremony for All-A and A/B Honor Roll students (4th-8th grades) following Mass. Parents, please join us!
- Mass uniform IS required today.

Friday, 11/02

- Feast of All Souls

Athletic Information

- The winter sports season will be here before you know it! It is pivotal that ALL winter athletes have a physical on file. Please see Mrs. Noegel for the form. Your child will NOT be able to participate in any winter sport if the physical is not received prior to the first practice. Thank you!

Other News and Information

- **OPEN HOUSE INFORMATION CARDS** – Our fall Open House event will be held on Thursday, November 8th from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Teachers, parents, and students will be on hand to provide tours and information. Refreshments will be provided. Information cards are available for family and friends who may be interested in learning more about SMCS. If you would like one or more information cards, please contact christine.sweeney@smcsaug.org or stop by the school lobby.
- **OPEN HOUSE YARD SIGNS** - We also have yard signs to help advertise the Open House event. Please contact Christine Sweeney at christine.sweeney@smcsaug.org or 706.733.6193 if you would like a yard sign for your yard or business. Thank you for your support!
- **SMCS NEW CAR MAGNETS** - Our new SMCS car magnets have arrived! Please stop by Mrs. Leonard's desk or contact Christine Sweeney at christine.sweeney@smcsaug.org if you would like one (or more than one). There is no charge for the magnets.
- **Parents of students who attend After Care**, please note the following dates when we have 11:30 AM Dismissal: Friday, December 21st we will NOT be having After Care. *Please email Ms. Hull at christy.hull@smcsaug.org with any specific questions.*
- Our **Sensational Saints** group is back! Their first meeting of the year will be held on Tuesday, October 30th from 6:30-7:30 PM.