



School Newsletter - 2.2.2022

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Calendar Reminders

Today, Wednesday, February 2nd is an early release day. All K-8 students are dismissed at 2:25pm.

Friday, February 11th: No School for K-8 Students - Archdiocese In-Service Day

Monday, February 21st & Tuesday, February 22nd: No School for All Students - President's Day Break

Catholic Schools Week

This week is Catholic Schools Week and we are already having so much fun, with lots more to come! Check out the schedule below. Your child's homeroom teacher will also provide more information about each day's activities.

Thursday, January 27th	Send a shovel and gardening gloves with your child to plant primroses (please label with your child's name)
Monday, January 31st Student & Parent Appreciation Day	Theme Dress: Each grade chooses their own (Homeroom teachers will let you know the week prior after students vote.)
Tuesday, February 1st Teacher & Staff Appreciation Day	Theme Dress: Dress like a teacher/staff member
Wednesday, February 2nd Faith and Well-Being Appreciation Day	Theme Dress: Cozy Day
Thursday, February 3rd Community Appreciation Day (local, national, world)	Theme Dress: Colorful free dress with crazy hats/socks
Friday February 4th School Appreciation & Spirit Day	Theme Dress: St. C Spirit Wear



Paws-itive Parent Corner

To Christy Srithongsuk, you were caught being a Paws-itive St. Catherine Parent! Thank you for all you do to help our school be Paws-itive awesome! Christy went above and beyond to provide an amazing Catholic Schools Week for students, teachers and staff.

Thank you, Christy, for all you do!

State of the School Presentations

Please save the date for one of the two virtual State of the School presentations being offered in February:

- Tuesday, February 15th @ 6:30pm
- Thursday, February 17th @ 9am

Kathy Cox will share the school's latest accomplishments and notable events of the last year, and you will learn about the new tuition rates for the 2022-2023 school year as well as receive information about our new online registration and enrollment system. One parent from each family is required to attend.

The appropriate zoom links will be sent out prior to each SOS presentation.

Registration & Enrollment 2022-2023

Registration and enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year will be completed via our new online system, SchoolAdmin. More information about the system will be shared during the State of the School presentations.

The registration fee for the 2022-2023 school year is \$250/child (\$175/preschool student); however those families attending one of the State of the School presentations will receive the discounted registration fee of \$175/student. Enrollment and registration must be completed in SchoolAdmin by Friday, February 25th.

We are continuing to receive a high volume of interest and applicants for next school year. Due to this influx, if your family's registration is not received by Friday, 2/25, your child's place in their class for the 2022-2023 school year will be forfeited.

CYO Volleyball Registration Open Now!

Volleyball is back for grades 4th-8th! Boys and girls can now register here (Coaches must register here as well):

<https://www.teamsideline.com/sites/seattlecyo/home>

Games start on February 26th, 2022 and continue thru potentially May 1. Coaches are eager to start practices as soon as possible. Parents will need to sign a COVID waiver prior to players participating. After you register, you will get the COVID waiver by email.

Additional coaches are needed in most grades. If interested or have additional questions, please contact Lisa Srithongsuk at lsrithongsuk@gmail.com.

Volunteer Opportunities

Are you looking for volunteer opportunities? Each week we will be posting volunteer opportunities both big and small in our School Newsletter. If you see something you would like to help with, simply email Tammy Matusak at tmatusak@stcatherineschool.net about volunteering.

This week's opportunities:

- Assemble new preschool furniture
 - Recess Duty
 - Auction Opportunities
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St. Catherine Auction

Click on the button below to check out the latest auction news, which includes the Auction Amazon Wish List, more procurement ideas and a Principal for the Day update from Principal Logan & Vice Principal Hugh.

Auction News!!

Questions? Contact auction@stcatherineschool.net.

Spirit Days are Back!

By the order of the principal, all Thursdays this year are Spirit Days! Students should wear uniform bottoms along with their favorite spirit gear items: STC jerseys, STC spirit socks, STC beanies & baseball hats, and Tiger t-shirts.

Go Tigers!!

Also, the following noon dismissal days are free dress/non-uniform days:

- Wednesday, March 16th
 - Wednesday, April 6th
 - Friday, May 27th
 - Wednesday, June 8th
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COVID Dashboard

In an effort to maintain and share an on-going record of COVID-19 activity, St. Catherine will now be reporting positive COVID-19 cases within our community through our COVID-19 Dashboard that is linked on the [homepage of our website](#), under Quick Links. This dashboard provides current case counts for the past seven days and details how many of our students, faculty & staff are currently in isolation due to a positive COVID test. The dashboard will be updated regularly.

With the STC COVID-19 Dashboard in place, we will no longer send stand-alone notification emails to the parent community each time a positive case is reported. However, when close contacts are identified through our tracing protocol, we will still continue to notify affected families via email. We encourage all families to review our [most recent COVID plan](#) and contact the COVID Coordinators, [Kathy Cox](#) and [Amanda Lucero](#), if you have any questions.

Volunteer Hours

Update: With limited volunteer opportunities, families with students in grades K thru 8th grade are required to complete **15 hours of volunteer hours (5 hours should be auction related)** during the school year. If you have volunteer hours from the first trimester you would like to report please complete a [Volunteer Hours Summary Sheet](#).

Please email your completed Volunteer Hours Summary Sheet to cvanhollebeke@stcatherineschool.net.

2021-2022 School Calendar

Here are the key calendar dates for the 2021-2022 school year:

- 1st day of school: Tuesday, September 7th (noon dismissal)
- Fall Conferences: October 28th-29th
- Thanksgiving break: November 25th-26th (November 24th will be a noon dismissal)
- Christmas break: December 20th-31st
- President's weekend/break: February 21st-22nd
- Easter break: April 18th-22nd
- Last day of school: Friday, June 17th (10:30 dismissal after the Moving Up Mass)

A printable PDF copy of the calendar is available [here](#).



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