



SAINTS WEEKLY

St. Augustine School spreads the good news by Navigating a Christian course,
Educating body, mind, and spirit, Worshipping the Lord, and Serving others.

October 4, 2019

Principal's Message

-Mrs. Lenn

Congratulations to our September students of the month! We are proud of our Saints. This year, our students of the month will receive a certificate, pencil, a coupon for the student store, and a free McDonald's dessert coupon. Our September students of the month are:

Kindergarten: Michael Sobotka

First grade: Claire Schweiger

Second grade: Olivia Thimmes

Third grade: Zoe English

Fourth grade: Owen Nytko

Fifth grade: Annaliese Shagena

Sixth grade: John Hoppe

Seventh grade: Michael Kiell

Eighth grade: Olivia Zybke



IOWA and religion testing begins next week in grades 1-8. Please help support your child through this testing by making sure they are well rested, and they eat a healthy breakfast before

coming to school. It is also helpful if you send them with a snack and water bottle. It is important to make sure they arrive to school on time, since most of the testing takes place in the morning. We have a two week window to complete IOWA testing, and an additional week to complete the AOD religion assessment. The religion test is an online assessment, and it will be administered in more than one test session if necessary. We will be using the computers in the lab and chromebooks to administer this assessment. Thank you in advance for supporting your child as we assess their learning.



Middle school families, Immaculate Conception is hosting a Halloween dance on October 19 at 7:00. Information was sent home this week, and an RSVP is due by October 11 with \$5.00 per student. The dance is glow- themed, and students are to dress in black and neon, since there will be black lights set up. Sounds like a fun event!!! Students are able pay at the door; however, the price is \$10, so get that early bird discount and **send your RSVP and money in by October 11**. Also, we are in need of a few parent volunteers to serve as chaperones at the dance. Chaperones must have taken Protecting God's Children and had a background check. Please call the office if you are available to help. Thanks!

Last week our preschool students enjoyed beautiful weather at Blake's Orchard. Here are a few photos from their field trip:



Also, preschool recently had Farm Week. They painted with apples using red (their color of the month), painted barns, and did farm animal stone stamping.



Our Volleyball team played IC on Wednesday and won! Congratulations, Saints! Next week they face Holy Cross and MCA. If you haven't made a volleyball game, come out and support our girls! Cross country had a meet on Thursday and ran in muddy and wet conditions. Our runners did well. Brandon Ziehmer placed 3rd & Aaron Lenn placed 1st for JV boys, Rebecca Shrodes placed 1st for JV girls, Veronica Shrodes placed 3rd & Marena Maceroni placed 1st for Varsity girls, and Tyler Lenn placed 1st for Varsity boys. They have one more meet next Thursday at Columbus Park.

Last night we had an all school athletics parent meeting. If you couldn't make the meeting, documents will be sent home with your child if they are currently participating in a sport. This year, all athletes and their parents will need to sign an **Athletic Consent and Responsibilities form** and a **Concussion Awareness Training form**, along with having a physical on file. Please send these forms back to school with your child. Thank you!

This week, 4th and 5th grade worked together to do a fun activity called "Scoot", where students practiced measurement by "scooting" from problem to problem. Here are a few photos of the fun way they practiced their measurement skills!



Parents, we have had several kids that have been arriving to school a bit late and are coming in during our morning prayer. We begin prayer at 7:45 in the parish hall. Students are considered tardy if they arrive after 7:51. Please do your best to have your child arrive on time. Morning prayer and announcements are an important part of our day, as it is the only time that we gather together as a whole school. I often communicate information that ALL students need to know at that time.

Please mark this date on your calendar: on Sunday, October 19 after the 9:00 mass, there will be a Town Hall meeting to discuss the master plan. Father Joe would like to strongly encourage all school families to attend this meeting, as the master plan that will be discussed involves the school. Thank you for making this a priority!

Upcoming dates to know:

- TONIGHT- Family Fun Night at Holy Family, 6-9 pm
- Oct 7-25- IOWA & Religion testing window begins
- Oct 7- Volleyball game at Holy Cross, 6:30
- Oct 8- Youth Choir practice 3:15-4:15; **Fundraiser Committee meeting**, 6pm; **Technology Committee meeting**, 7pm
- Oct 9- Youth Choir sings at mass; **Altar Sodality Pie Sale pick up 11-3 in the Parish Hall**; Volleyball game (home @ St. Peter's), 6:30
- Oct 10- Cross Country meet, 5:30; Volleyball game @ MCA, 6:30
- Oct 11- Fire Safety presentations for Preschool-5th grade; RSVP and money due for middle school Halloween dance at IC; **last day of fall run club**
- Oct 12- Youth Choir sings at St. A's 6:00 mass
- Oct 14- Volleyball game @ St. Peter's against IC, 6:30
- Oct 16- Volleyball game @ St. Peter's against Holy Cross, 6:30
- Oct 17- Chess Club starts (grades 4-8)
- Oct 19- Protecting God's Children workshop at St. A's; Middle School Halloween Dance at IC, 7:00
- Oct 20- **Parish Town Hall Meeting after 9 am mass**; Trunk or Treat, 4-6pm
- Oct 21- **Athletic Committee meeting**, 3:30
- Oct 26- Falling Into Faith Fundraiser dinner [Get your tickets here!](#)

