

November 17, 2017

Dear Families of All Saints Academy Students,

No School November 22-24, Thanksgiving Break

There is no school for grades P-8 on Wednesday, November 22, through Friday, November 24. Child care is open on Wednesday, November 22, but closed for Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 23, and Friday, November 24.

Box Tops Contest Results

Thank you to all who turned in *BoxTops 4 Education* - ASA earned \$666.70 from your effort! The winning classes for the October Box Top collection contest were: EL campus- 2nd grade, Mrs. Piotrowski, and MS campus- 6th grade, Mrs. Farnquist. Please continue to collect and save - our next collection contest will be in Feb. 2018.

Additional School Picture Information

If your family ordered a digital download of your child's pictures, you need to provide your email to HR imaging on their website in order to receive the digital download - shop.hrimaging.com If you have any additional questions, please call their parent helpline at 815-433-1766.

Child Care on Snow Days

Another reminder: Have you registered your family for snow day child care? If your child (toddler through middle school) will need care on any ASA snow day, please follow the link and [complete the form](#) now, so you are prepared for the first snow day.

Label Clothing

With a school full of children wearing nearly identical clothing, it is challenging at best to determine which sweatshirt, fleece or shirt belongs to what student, especially at the middle school where students change clothes for PE and sports practices. Please label all of your children's clothing with their name so it can be returned right away.

Girls on the Run Assistant Coach Needed for Spring of 2018

We are in need of an assistant coach who is able to commit one day a week, for ten Thursdays, from March 5 through May 19. This is a volunteer position that makes a positive impact in the lives of the girls involved! It is an opportunity to inspire healthy living, through interactive life skill lessons, that integrate running. It is a 10 week program offered for 3rd-5th grade girls with after school practice, until 5:00 pm, held at the Middle School building. There is a coach's training that you would have to attend, provided by Girls On the Run of Kent County. The season begins the week of March 5 and ends with a 5k celebration at Calder Plaza on May 19. If you are interested or you would like to learn more, please contact Nicole Stoner, nstoner@asagr.org. Thank you!

ASA 10 Year Glassware

If you didn't have the chance to order ASA 10 year glassware at the auction, or if you'd like to order more, here's your chance. The ASA glassware is made of clear glass, with the All Saints Academy and 10 year logos etched on them. You can choose stemless wine glasses, beer glasses, rocks glasses and/or beer steins at \$15 each, or a set of 4 for \$55. Please [use this form to submit your order](#) by December 1, 2017.

Ski Club Registration

Don't forget to register your family for ASA Ski Club! [Registration forms](#) are due next Wednesday, November 22nd. They can be submitted with a check to either the Elementary or Middle School office, or emailed (payment info required) to petebirchler@gmail.com. Hope to see you on the hill!

West Catholic Art & Craft Fair

Please join the fun on Saturday, December 2, from 9 am until 3 pm at West Catholic High School. There will be free parking, food, snacks, and shopping fun! All proceeds benefit the athletic programs.

GRCC Science Day

Families can explore robotics, light and color, and DNA during Grand Rapids Community College's Community Science Day on Nov. 18. The day of free interactive science and health related activities runs 10 am to 2 pm in the Calkins Science Center, 226 Bostwick Ave. NE, and Cook Hall, 143 Bostwick. Most activities are open to all ages, and the first 200 participants will receive a free pass for the GRCC parking ramps. For more information, email Dr. Daniel Groh - dgroh@grcc.edu.

Have you subscribed to the ASA Today Blog? There are weekly pictures and stories highlighting life at ASA. Take a minute to check it out: [ASA Today blog](#). Entering your email will sign you up so the blog is sent directly to your inbox each week. Please also follow ASA on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

Upcoming Dates

Saturday, November 18

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Cub Scout Rain Gutter Regatta, Elementary Gym

6:30 pm Grades 6-8 Band plays the National Anthem at the Grand Rapids Drive game, DeltaPlex Arena

Tuesday, November 21

1st K-8 Trimester Ends

8:30 am Elementary School Mass, Blessed Sacrament Church

8:30 am Middle School Mass, St. Jude Church
2:30 pm Kindergarten Thanksgiving Feast

Wednesday, November 22

No School P-8, Thanksgiving Break
Child Care Open

Thursday, November 23

No School P-8, Thanksgiving
Child Care Closed, Thanksgiving

Friday, November 24

No School P-8, Thanksgiving Break
Child Care Closed, Thanksgiving Break
Child Care Week 4, Due December

Monday, November 27

2nd K-8 Trimester Begins

Tuesday, November 28

Kent County Preschool Hearing & Vision Screening
Kent County Hearing Screening, Grades K & 2
Kent County Vision Screening, Grades 1 & 3

Wednesday, November 29

10:00 am - 1:30 pm Grades 6 & 7 visit West Catholic High School
10:30 am Elementary School Mass, Blessed Sacrament Church
3:30-4:25 pm Jazz Band, Thaddeus Center

Thursday, November 30

8:30 am Middle School Mass, St. Jude Church

Friday, December 1

\$1 Color Day for Kid's Food Basket
Child Care Week 1, Due January
K-8 Report Cards Posted on Infinite Campus

God Bless,

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Attachments:

ASA Sponsor of the Week is: Village Motor Sports



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