



THE COUGAR COURIER

NEWSLETTER #5

September 17, 2018

TO: PARENTS

FROM: MRS. SCHWEITZER

We continue to “Shine” with the letter S this month as we focus on being “Sincere” – or truthful. In our Bible verse from John 18: 37, Jesus reminds us of something very important about “truth”.

“So Pilate said to him, ‘Then you are a king’ Jesus answered, ‘You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.’”

The letter of the week this week is “E”. God wants us to “Enjoy the little things.” ☺

OUR CANDY AND MAGAZINE SALE ENDED.... today. If you have boxes outstanding, please turn the money in this week! Once we have all money in, we can organize prizes. Thanks for supporting us in this important fundraiser!

MAP TESTING WRAPS UP in grades K-7 this week. Thanks for encouraging your children to do their best!

MEDIA CENTER ICE CREAM SOCIAL AND BOOK GENTLY USED BOOK SALE ...is scheduled for this Wednesday, Sept. 19th. We had several volunteers sign up to help Mrs. Daly and Miss Jackie with this event. **YOU MUST BE VIRTUS trained** to volunteer. If you are still planning to help OR if you did not sign up on Parent Night but would like to help, please contact the office and speak with Mrs. Bottom. For this event, students can purchase ice cream with toppings for \$1.00 and / or gently used books for \$0.25. **DONATIONS OF TOPPINGS AND PLAIN VANILLA ICE CREAM ARE WELCOME.**

SPRINGER PARENT PRESENTATION ... We have been blessed this year to have a psychologist from Springer School in Ohio, Dr. Mary Ann Mulcahey, offer to lead a free parent presentation to the parents of our ACUE Schools (Holy Family, Holy Trinity, Holy Cross, St. Anthony, St. Augustine, and Prince of Peace). What a small world because she is actually my cousin! ☺ The presentation that I have picked to host is one that can help our students deal with their emotions and anxieties when it comes to school and school tasks. Students can often experience “break downs” related to school. As parents, we often ask ourselves why this happens or what we can do to help our children. Dr. Mulcahey will share her insights about such things and so much more. The program is

scheduled to last about an hour and a half and will begin at 6:30. As of now, only three of our families have signed up! PLEASE RSVP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE 859-431-5987. I HOPE TO SEE MANY OF YOU THERE.

SHINING STARS... Each week we will be spotlighting our “Shining Stars” at St. Anthony. Faculty and students will be recognized on the bulletin board and students will be awarded an out of uniform day during their week. Last week, our Shining Stars were ***Emma Tupman and Megan Heine!*** Some examples shared by students and faculty on how Emma shines her light include: *“Emma always has a smile. She is always helpful and kind to others and she is a hard worker. She is a good friend!”* Some examples shared about Megan shining her light include: *“Megan always has a positive attitude. She is ready to help anyone all the time. She makes us laugh and is fun to be around.”*

MARCOS PIZZA NIGHT... St. Anthony night at Marcos Pizza in Taylor Mill is TONIGHT, Monday, September 17th. Mention St. Anthony or provide the flyer for carryout or delivery and a portion of sales will be donated to St. Anthony PTO.

PTO MEETING... Our first PTO meeting of the year is this Tuesday, September 18 at 7PM in the media center. As a reminder, PTO works with teachers to plan activities, fundraisers, and gatherings throughout the year to support our students!! Please consider joining us as we plan for the new school year. Everyone is welcome!!!!

PTO's 1ST ANNUAL KEENELAND BUS TRIP......is scheduled for Saturday, October 13th. Come join us for a day at the races with friends! \$50 includes transportation, Keeneland admission and a light lunch. The bus will depart at 10am. Spots are limited, if you plan to go, send in your reservation and payment today. Spots are held once payment is made. If you have questions, contact Lisa Bottom or Jen Brue. See attached.

ST. ANTHONY PARISH 140TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION... Saturday, September 29th, 2018 – Join us for 5PM mass followed by a spaghetti dinner. Tour the school and see all the memorabilia from our parish over the years. Cash bar & cornhole tournament! All are invited!! There will be activities for younger children. If your older student – grades 4-8, would like to volunteer to help with the younger children OR to help with the dinner, please contact the office.

PARISH GROUNDS AND NATURE CENTER CLEAN-UP......is SUNDAY, September 23rd from 11:00 – 2:00. We would like to spruce up the grounds for the upcoming HOMECOMING! We would like to weed the flower beds and make sure everything looks great! If we have enough help and time, we also have a Nature Center in the woods behind school. It includes a walking path and a gathering space with benches. It has become overgrown and needs some sprucing up as well. Help us make this great space enjoyable again! Pizza lunch will be provided!

HOLY CROSS BOYS BASKETBALL MINI CAMP... Holy Cross High School is hosting a youth basketball mini-camp on Saturday, September 29th from 9:00 AM-1:00 PM for boys and girls in grades 1-4 and from 2:00-6:00 PM for boys only in grades 5-8 in the Holy Cross gym, 36th& Church Streets, Covington, KY. The cost is \$30 each (no

refunds). For more information and to register, go to hcindiansbasketball.com or contact Coach Brandon Grammer at 859-409-2944 or at hcindiansbball@gmail.com.

PLANNING AHEAD:

- Wednesday, September 26th – ½ Trimester Ends
- Wednesday, October 3rd – Springer Parent Presentation at 6:30
- Wednesday, October 3rd – EARLY DISMISSAL at 1PM
- Thursday, October 4th – Pet Blessing – Details to follow
- Friday, October 5th – NO SCHOOL
- Monday, October 8th – NO BUS TRANSPORTATION

ATTACHMENTS

- PTO Keeneland Trip

WEEKLY MENU

18	19	20	21	22
Chicken Nuggets (Fries)	Hot Ham & Cheese	Hamburger/Cheeseburger	Bosco Sticks	
French Fries Cooked Carrots Fresh Apple Slices Desert: Ice Cream Cups	Chips Buttered Noodles Pineapple Tuna Salad Salad Bar	Sweet Potato Fries Green Beans Grapes	with Marinara Sauce Salad Veggies with dip Peaches Choc Chip Cookies -Dessert Chocolate Chip Cookies	
23	24			
	Nachos - Tortilla Chips Cheese Sauce Salsa Mexican Rice Fruit Vegetables			