

# HAWK HEADLINES



## ST. MARY OF THE KNOBS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

4-STAR SCHOOL

Where  
Children  
and GOD  
meet  
daily.



**Burn Bright  
with His Light!**

### Principal's Corner

Dear SMKCS Families,  
We are just one week away from the end of the first quarter. Next week K-5<sup>th</sup> grade teachers will be sending home a few certificates in each class to recognize special accomplishments this quarter including good conduct, outstanding effort, and incredible improvement. If your child receives one of these certificates next week, or at any time this school year, please take some time to celebrate his/her accomplishment! At the conclusion of Mass next week, we will recognize a K-8<sup>th</sup> grade student from each class that has demonstrated a strong Christian spirit.

Thank you for demonstrating your Christian spirit through your generous donations to the Lozon Family project and the blood drive this week. If your child ordered a "Team Kenneth" shirt, he/she may wear it to school on their next PE day. We sold 207 shirts and received several cash donations. Mr. Lozon greatly appreciates all the love and support they have received.

In Christ,  
Tracy Jansen

### Important Information

-Our SMKCS first quarter service project, "Pint Sized Heroes" benefitting the American Red Cross, was a big success! Thanks to all who donated and a huge thanks to Mrs. Kraft and our SMK Catholic Middle students for organizing the event. We exceeded our goal, and best of all, had 37 NEW donors. If you donated, your "pint-sized hero" may wear spiritwear to school on their next PE day.  
-Also thanks to all who ordered and sold mums for our PTO. A big thanks to Jeff Beach for coordinating this event! **We sold a record breaking total of 700 mums!!**

- Reminder that class donations for SMK Night Out are due in the office by September 26.  
- Mark your calendars! The Annual St. Mary of the Knobs Dessert Card Party is Wednesday, September 26 in the GAC at 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$5.00. There will be table prizes, raffles, door prizes and of course yummy desserts! If you would like to volunteer to help call Rachel Didat at 812-941-3928. Consider participating in a Home Party if you aren't able to make it to the event (form attached).

-On Wednesday mornings from 8:10-8:30 a.m. in the gym our student council will have their "SMK Simple Supplies" table open to sell school supplies. Items sold cost under \$2.00 to purchase. Items include pencils, erasers, post it notes, and we also have SMK water bottles, along with several other items.

- Beginning Oct. 16, additional entrée options will be offered at lunch including grilled cheese and baked potato .

New Albany Catholic Youth Ministries is seeking to hire an Assoc. Director of Athletics. This person will be responsible for overseeing and coordinating athletic ministry for CYM and all Deanery parishes. For a full job description email Phillip at [phillip@nadyyouth.org](mailto:phillip@nadyyouth.org).

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### Mark Your Calendar

9/20 PTO Meeting 6:00 p.m. – Teachers Lounge  
Berry Twist Spirit Day;  
9/21 Mass led by 1<sup>st</sup> (Bierman)  
9/26 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter  
SMK Night Out Donations Due;  
SMK Annual Card Party 7:00-10:00 @ GAC  
9/27 & 28 – Parent -Teacher conferences  
9/28 Mass led by K (Naville)  
10/1-10/12 Fall Break  
10/25 Picture Retake

*Keep SMK 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> graders in*

### These Students are Burning Bright with His Light!

Rosemary Stark  
Claire Headly  
Cooper Naville  
Xavier Jansen  
Avery Kemper  
Matthias Nett

### Childcare Notes

Childcare students are having fun with apple activities this week. They are learning about patterns and graphing charts while using apples. Did you know there is a star in the middle of each apple? Ask your child about that! Have a great week!  
Childcare Staff

Mission Statement St. Mary of the Knobs Catholic School, modeled in the image of Christ, shall nurture the spiritual, academic, and individual potential of our students. We shall prepare children for the challenges of today and the future.