



Santa Clara of Assisi Catholic Academy

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ITBS Important Tips:

During the week, it is important that your child:

- gets plenty of sleep
- stays hydrated
- eats healthy meals(BREAKFAST!) and snacks
- has time to rest

*NO Study Time
with Vincent de
Paul this week
due to ITBS
Testing*

CALLING ALL DADS!

The Dad's Club of SCCA

is looking for motivated dads to join our club!

We are in need of Dads to help out with manual labor and act as male role models for our students.

The Dad's Club will meet Tuesday, October 11 at 6:30 pm in the Gym Lobby.

The school needs Dads to help with:
Concession Stand Remodeling & Painting, Outdoor Tree & Brush Trimming to create a Path in the Woods on the side of the school, Gardening, Playground Repairs & Upgrades

Please plan to attend this important meeting to help our school continuously improve.

(These events go toward volunteer hours)

Important Dates:

October 10-14 Fire Prevention Week

October 10-13 ITBS Testing

October 14 Half Day: No After-care/No Lunch/ NO MASS

October 14 5K raffle tickets due

October 18 Spirit Day

October 19 8th Grade Meeting 6PM

October 20 Picture Retake

October 21 Fall Festival 5:30-9:30 PM

October 24-28 Red Ribbon Week and Canned Food Drive

October 28 Parent Teacher Conferences/ No School for Students

November 11 Bishop Dunne Concert

November 12 Santa Clara 5K

November 15 Spirit Day

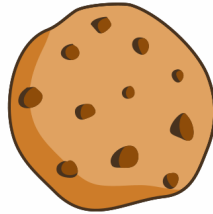
November 18 Family Thanksgiving Feast

Mission: Santa Clara of Assisi Catholic Academy collaborates with families to provide an excellent multi-cultural, bi-literate, academic program, rooted in the joy of prayer and a faith-filled community, to empower the future.

Vision: The vision of Santa Clara of Assisi Catholic Academy is to graduate bi-literate and bilingual students who are prepared for the high school, college and career of their choice, to reverse the cycle of poverty in our community.

Philosophy: Santa Clara of Assisi Catholic Academy strives to provide a safe, Catholic environment, in which teachers and parents collaborate to develop students who faithfully follow God's call to grow spiritually, academically, physically, and emotionally. It is the goal of Santa Clara of Assisi Catholic Academy to instill the values of prayer, community, and joy in our students, so that they may be enlightened and perpetually seek Truth and the Common Good. Students of Santa Clara of Assisi Catholic Academy will live by the words of Saint Clare and "See God in all things."

Cookie Dough Fundraiser went out last week. All families are required to sell 10 boxes.



Fall Festival: \$30.00 covers one unlimited play wrist band and \$20.00 in food.

6th graders creating robots made out of Junk!



From the Teacher's Desk ...

Mrs. Gonzalez asks that parents use Sign Up Genius to volunteer for the Fall Festival!

Look for Parent Teacher Conference sign ups from your teacher in the next two weeks.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Study Time: 6-8th Grade

Monday and Wednesday

4-6 pm

** Please see dates that Study Time will not occur on the school website

Red Ribbon Week

October 24 - I Love My Drug Free Selfie! - Spirit Day

October 25 - Cuddle Up to A Drug Free Life - Bring a **New** stuffed animal to donate to Children's Medical Center of Dallas (must bring in new stuffed animal in order to Free Dress)

October 26 - Paws-itively Proud to Be Drug Free - Bring **Unopened** Dog Treats for the SPCA (bring in treats in order to wear Mass Appropriate clothes)

October 27 - I'm Too "Bright" for Drugs! - Wear Bright Colors

Knight News



Volleyball Practice: Monday's and Wednesday's from 4:00-5:30. **SC-8 team's next games will be @SCCA 10/15 at 3 PM vs. SC-7, 4 PM vs Holy Family , and 5PM vs. Holy Trinity. SC-7 will also play @ SCCA 10/15 at 1PM vs. IC, 2PM vs. Mt. St. Michael, and 3PM vs. SC-8.**

Cross Country Practice: Tuesday's and Thursday's from 4:00-5:15 pm. Please be sure students are picked up on time. **Our next meet is October 15th at Norbuck Park! Please arrive by 6:30 AM. Race order is as follows: 1st - 5th/6th grade Girls, 2nd - 5th/6th grade Boys, 3rd - 7th/8th grade Girls, 4th - 7th/8th grade Boys**

5K If you wish to become a sponsor for the 5K, please email Mr. Matamoros for more information. All money raised supports our Athletic Department! When you register, please be sure you put your shirt size next to your name. **Pre-registration is due October 14th! Raffle ticket money sold by student-athletes is to be turned in by October 14th as well. Additional raffle tickets will be sold for participants on the day of the race!**

Volunteer: 1. Please be on the lookout for a SIGN UP GENIUS to volunteer to donate Water, Gatorade, and fruit for the race on November 12th.

SPIRIT GEAR: Our Athletic Fan Gear is out! Please turn in forms by the 20th.

Please check the athletic calendar on the website for the Spring Sports Schedule!

Coach Michael Matamoros
Athletic Director
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Padre Nuestro...

Padre nuestro,
que estás en el cielo.
Santificado sea tu nombre.
Venga a nosotros tu reino.
Hágase tu voluntad en la tierra como en
el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras ofensas,
como también nosotros perdonamos a
los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en la tentación y
líbranos del mal.
Amén.

St. Faustina Kowalska

Saint Faustina was born Helena Kowalska in a small village in Poland. When she was almost twenty, she entered the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy, whose members devote themselves to the care and education of troubled young women. In the 1930's, Sister Faustina received from the Lord a message of mercy that she was told to spread



throughout the world. She was asked to become the apostle and secretary of God's mercy, a model of how to be merciful to others, and an instrument for reemphasizing God's plan of mercy for the world.