



Roadrunner Newsletter

October 18th, 2017

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Upcoming Dates and Events

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School News

If you Took Home a Cake with a White Ceramic Plate from the Cakewalk at Octoberfest...

Please return it to the school. Thank you.

Picture Day is this Friday, October 20th

Individual pictures will be taken this Friday. Students may wear free dress or their uniforms. Extra picture forms are in the office.

Class pictures are taken later in the year with all students in their uniforms.

From We Act: Thank you and We Scare Hunger

The We Act committee thanks you for donating over 2,000 toothbrushes! These will be

packed up and taken to our sister school/parish in Haiti on October 24th.

We are also sponsoring a food drive called **We Scare Hunger**. Please bring in canned food each day between October 30th and December 1st to supply the St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank.

The class (and teacher) with the most donations will receive a prize!

From our School Counselor

Bullying Prevention Month

Seahawks wide receiver, Doug Baldwin talks about why kids won't tell their parents about bullying and what one can do to help them open up. [See the video here](#)

Celebrating Unity Day: October 25th!

We at St. Anthony School are participating in Celebrating Unity Day on Oct. 25th to unite against bullying by wearing an orange band (to be provided by the school). Wearing orange is a sign that we support those who have been bullied and are uniting to make a difference and creating a safer school.

The BASS students created a bullying prevention message written on orange paper strips. Each class will receive a package of these strips to be distributed to the students.

The Junior High BASS morning attendees helped in making the banner "UNITE AGAINST BULLYING" as well as other visual statements of support on Unity Day.

"When we stand together, no one stands alone."

Here are some ways to talk about "[Why I'm Wearing Orange](#)"

Information on Cyberbullying

[How Cyberbullying Affects Students](#)

[Common Sense Media brings us 5 Ways to Stop Cyberbullies](#)

[PACER's National Bullying Prevention Center sponsored this webinar on Using Technology to Keep Kids Safe](#)

Last call for FREE Events and Classes for Parents

[Teenology 101 for Parents: Surviving the Teen Years](#)

Are you a parent of a tween or teen 11 to 18? If so, this forum is for you!

[Autism 101](#)

This lecture is intended for parents and families of children recently diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder (ASD). There is no need to register in advance to attend.

[Autism 200 Series](#)

Autism 200 is a series of 90-minute classes for parents and caregivers of children with autism who wish to better understand autism spectrum disorder. Faculty from Seattle Children's and the University of Washington and community providers teach the classes. Each class includes time for questions.

[Childhood Anxiety and ADHD: A Whole Family Approach](#)

Author and clinical psychologist, Chris McCurry, Ph.D., provides problem-solving techniques and strategies for helping your child overcome anxiety while recognizing your own. Learn the science of anxiety and ADHD as well as tips and tools for creating a healthy parent-child relationship.

[Every Child Resource Fair](#)

Come learn from experts who focus on the many categories of atypical learners.

St. Anthony School Alumni

Congratulations to St. Anthony Alumni Bowen M. and Matthew W., both of whom were homecoming princes @ Kennedy Catholic this past weekend.



Making a Difference Annual Appeal

Thank you to the following families for donating to the Making-a-Difference Annual Appeal.

Harold & Silvia Adams, Jayson & Joandrah Agana, Dan & Christine Anderson, George & Iris Auslander Jr, Jerome & Janet Barker, Ronnie & Theresa Beltran, Bob & Angelina Benedetti, Shawn Bomers & Renee Rassilyer-Bomers, Christian & Erin Bouchez, Timothy & Bre Brennan, Andy & Ru-Chien Brockenbrough, Tim & Danielle Burgess, Nestor Camacho & Josee Rhuma, Joey & Jane Cantor, Julius & Jacqueline Carreon, Guy & Leslie Castanha, Willy Chow & Tuyen Nguyen, A. Jamal & Sally Conaway, Layne & Julie Corneliuson, Scott Cory & Sachia Tinsley, Christopher & Susan Covello, Jay Conrad David & Irene Carino, George & Angelica DeCorte, Elmer & Regina Dela Cruz, Toan Do & Suong Nguyen, Jonathan & Nora Eng, Theodore & Tara Esteban, Lee & Stephanie Firth, Michael & Theresa Galvez, Mark & Elizabeth Groot, Matthew & Angela Jackson, Craig & Ellyn Johnson, Atsbaha Kahssai & Rodas (Lily) Demssie, Tuan Le & Tina Ho, Ed & Maggie Liming, Jesus Lopez-Guisa & Roberta Jacobs, Angelito & Teresita Mendoza, Greg & Emmee Michler, Dominic & Lesley Nadarski, Danny Nguyen & Mai-Dung Dinh, Thang & Andrea Nguyen, Tue Nguyen & Lieu-Anh Bui, Phuong Nguyen & The Uyen Tran, Tri Nguyen & Huong Le, Ryan & Staci Ottele, Steve & Dionne Palermo, Brian and Susan Pessolano, Hiep Pham & Uyen Ha, Nghia Phan & Quynh Tran, Jesus & Rama Pineda, John & Dana Rochex, Chris & Yvette Rodrigues, Vincent and Joleen Rodriguez, Florentino & Brenda Saducos, George & Lynne Shioyama, Juan and Lelyn Soto, Glenn & Tanya Suarez, Gerard & Debborah Suchoski, John & Pamela Temblor, Kelly Thibodeau, Brian & Geri Thurber, Jeff & Julie Tobin, Lam Tran & Nha Cao, Michael Tran & Ana Le, Hoi Tran & Cecelia Van, Danny Tran & Hoaichi Phan, Tung Trinh & Thuy Vu, John & Iris Truong, Robert Turkel & Casilde Sesti, David & Shari Walter, Chris & Carolyn Wiemals, Henry Wong & Kathleen Mark-Wong, John & Laurie Wu, Manuel & Michelle Xavier and Joshua & Vanessa Young.

Just a reminder: pledges are due by 12/1. Get your pledge in now and check it off your to-do list before the holidays begin.

If you would like to pledge, return the envelope you received in the mail last week or email Danielle Burgess at burgess@sasr.org.

If you would like to donate, you can return the payment with your envelope or online through the link below:

[Donate to the Making a Difference Appeal](#)

Auction Volunteer Opportunity!!!

Are you looking for a volunteer job that can be done mostly from home? Are you computer proficient and comfortable talking to people? Are trying to find a volunteer opportunity that will check off the "Development Volunteer Requirement?" If so, we are looking for two more people to join our Auction Procurement Team.

What is a procurement team? This will be a small group of parents working with guidance from our Procurement Lead, Misty Leingang, to reach out to businesses via phone, email and in some cases in person, to procure amazing items to sell at our auction. It would require one brief kick-off meeting as well.

And the added benefit: if you are able to procure something while doing this volunteer opportunity, you can claim that as your procurement for the auction!

If you are interested, email Carolyn Wiemals at wiemals@sasr.org. We only need two more volunteers so first come first serve.

Thanks for your consideration.

From Last Week

Fulcrum Scholarships

The Fulcrum Tuition Assistance Program is now open for St. Anthony School Families. Click on the link below to access the site (scroll down the page for the application).

[Fulcrum Tuition Application](#)

New Afterschool Club

There is a new afterschool Math Club beginning at St. Anthony School. Click the flyer for more information.

[Afterschool Math Club](#)

Picture Submissions for the Yearbook Links

Ways to submit pictures for the Yearbook

[Dropbox Picture Request for the 2017/2018 School Yearbook](#)

[School Annual Yearbook Picture Submissions](#) (our St. Anthony School code is 409163617 if you are asked.)

Or you can always just email your photos to mccoy@sasr.org.

Parent Groups

From The PTC

Staff and Teacher Appreciation Lunch - November 1st at 11am

Our first staff and teacher appreciation lunch of the year will be on November 1st. The lunch theme is "Crockpot Cornucopia" and we'd love for you to make your favorite crockpot recipe to share! Please see the link below to help with the event and/or volunteer to bring a



crockpot dish, other sides or drinks:

[Staff and Teacher Appreciation Lunch Sign Up](#)

Veteran's Day Prayer Service - November 10th at 9:30 am

The PTC and Girl Scout troops will sponsor a Veteran's Day Prayer Service on Friday, November 10th at 9:30 in the gym. All are welcome to attend. We want to honor your family members who have served in the armed forces during a special presentation. Please email a photo of your loved one identifying: name, branch of military served and how they are related to your children to heffron@sasr.org.

Every year our students make hundreds of wonderful cards that are distributed to our local veterans in the community. This year we'd like to make cards available to share with your loved ones. If you are interested in receiving cards to mail or deliver, please include a note along with the photo to Mrs. Heffron or email ptcsaintanthonyschool@gmail.com with details.

Tailgate Party Survey

Thank you to everyone who volunteered and attended the Tailgate Party in September. It was a great success.

Please take a moment to fill out a brief survey to let us know what aspects you liked and where we can make improvements.

[Tailgate Survey](#)

PTC Movie Night – Thank You!

Last Friday night the PTC hosted the viewing of Finding Dory. Fun was had by all attendees. Thank you to Mr. Ramos and Student Leadership for running the snack bar and to Dieu Hien Lam and Maggie & Ed Liming for organizing the event. All monies raised from concession sales went to Dorie's Promise, which is an orphanage in Guatemala that one of our very own Leadership students will travel to next year for volunteer work. Concessions brought in over \$225. Thank you to everyone who purchased items and attended!

PTC Contact Information

We want to hear your ideas for building our community and hear any concerns you have.

Email the PTC at ptcsaintanthonyschool@gmail.com.

Our PTC mission (and my vision) for this school year is to WORK TOGETHER in GROUPS at every single Event and to Build our Community by embracing ALL FAMILIES and Celebrating our diversity. We will put into practice our theme "Christ, be our Light."

God Bless you!

Erika Gutierrez

From the Active St. Anthony Parish Parents (ASAPP) Group

Poinsettia and Wreath Fundraiser

Thank you to the families that participated in our fundraiser pre-sale – we appreciate your support! Watch the Roadrunner in November for information on helping with the poinsettia/wreath distribution and mass sales on December 1st-3rd. Those who indicated interest by signing up on the 2017-2018 ASAPP events link (see below) will have first preference on the volunteer sign-up.

Coffee and Donuts Thank You

Thank you to the Beltran, Le, Liming, Suarez and Zurfluh families for helping with last

weekend's coffee and donuts at the Parish Hall. This is a fun way to meet new people from the Parish community and help raise awareness of ASAPP and the School. If you weren't able to help this time but would like to in the future, we have additional dates in February and April (see link below to indicate your interest).

Upcoming ASAPP 2017-2018 School Year Events/Activities:

- Poinsettia and Wreath Sales: Order pick-up December 1st; and Mass sales December 2nd – 3rd
- 2nd ASAPP Meeting: TBD
- Italian Dinner: January 27th
- Sunday Mass Coffee/Donuts: February 11th

We appreciate everyone who has signed up to indicate initial interest in our ASAPP activities. If you haven't had a chance to do so, please sign up at the link below and we will contact you as we begin our planning activities. (Note: Separate sign up links will be sent for events/activities throughout the year to obtain commitments for specific volunteer needs.) Thank you!

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C094CAEA72AA4FB6-20172018

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Community

Christmas Giving - We need support!

Would you like to be involved with helping families in need this holiday season? Would you like to help put together the gift tag tree? We also need help interviewing families in need of assistance, collecting/sorting gifts, and presenting gifts to families. Get involved as little or as much as you want! If you are interested in helping please contact Alyssa Beasley at 425-277-6208 or alyssa@st-anthony.cc.

VENDOR SPACES AVAILABLE! Reserve your space now for St. Francis of Assisi's Annual Holiday Bazaar on November 18th.

The holidays are coming up quickly, and that means the shoppers will be out in droves, too! Looking to sell your unique art or craft? This is the perfect place to start selling to those early holiday shoppers! Whether you're new to selling or not, we'd love to have you at this wonderfully fun community event.

Please contact Paula Hall at 206-824-4720 or rpdnhall@aol.com to reserve your space today!

Event details: Saturday, November 18th, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Location: St. Francis of Assisi

15216 21st Ave. SW

Burien, WA 98166



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@ Parish Hall*

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