



"Where Is All Grace Together"
Holy Cross & St. Katharine Drexel

"For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways." Psalms

Kaukauna Catholic School System Family Newsletter

October 2, 2014

October 2 Feast of Guardian Angel

Today we celebrate the Feast of our Guardian Angel. Let us reflect on this beautiful Prayer to the Guardian Angels below:

Prayer to the Guardian Angels

My good Angel, Thou comest from heaven; God has sent thee to take care of me. Oh, shelter me under thy wings. Lighten my path, direct my steps. Do not leave me, stay quite near me and defend me against the spirit of evil. But above all come to my help in the last struggle of my life. Deliver my soul so that with thee it may praise, love and contemplate the goodness of God forever and ever. Amen

Fire Prevention Week October 5-11

Working smoke alarms can make a life-saving difference in a fire. That's the message behind this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign, "Working Smoke Alarms Save Lives: Test Yours Every Month!" Kaukauna Fire Department will be visiting classrooms throughout the month of October to promote fire safety to students. Our prekindergarten class will be taking a field trip to the Kaukauna Fire Department on October 15 to learn about fire safety. This is a good time to go over your home fire escape plan and test your smoke alarms with your family. To learn more about smoke alarms and "Working Smoke Alarms Saves Lives", visit NFPA's Web site at www.firepreventionweek.org

Phoenix Magazine Tuition Credit Winners!

Congratulations to the **Greg Brochtrup family** and the **Matthew McClelland family**. Their names were drawn to receive a \$100 tuition credit, sponsored by the Phoenix Fundraising Group-Magazine Sale. *Thank you to everyone who participated in this KCSS fund raiser.*

Important FYI

We are asking that Grandparents/Special Persons gather in Holy Cross Church prior to 8:20 a.m. Please inform guest **not to come to the classrooms before church**. Teachers and students will need to take care of attendance, Morning Prayer, lunch count, etc., before they can start their day. Students will meet and sit with grandparents and special persons in church. Thank you for your cooperation.

Market Day Pick Up

Pick up for Market Day orders is **next Thursday, October 9 from 3:00-4:00 p.m.** in Friendship Hall.

MAP Testing

MAP testing will be starting next week **Monday, October 6**, for students in kindergarten through grade 8. Please make sure your child gets plenty of rest and a good breakfast so they can perform to the best of their ability.

Artonia Website

Per Mrs. Donna Eddy, KCSS Art Teacher: Attention parents and students: artwork has been uploaded to the Artonia website for grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, and 8. Projects for grades 5 and 6 will be completed around the end of October.

Art Supplies Needed

Mrs. Eddy has put out a request for the following items: sports and gardening magazines (old and new), children's illustrated books / dictionary, comic books, coffee table picture books, and scrap booking papers. These items will be used for decoupage on Grand Event projects. They can be sent to the art room. Thank you.

KCSS Picture Day!

Wednesday, October 22 is picture day at KCSS. This includes students of our Monday / Wednesday preschool class through grade 8 and KCSS staff. **Thursday, October 23** will be for our Tuesday / Thursday preschool class. More information will be sent home as we receive it from Ambrosius Studios. Retake date will be scheduled at a later time.

Hot Lunch & Playground Volunteers Needed

There are spots open for KCSS hot lunch and playground volunteers. Please go to our website www.kcssonline.org and click on Parent Resource tab and go to Volunteers if you are able to help us out. **Hot Lunch Serving** - Volunteers are needed every day to help serve lunch and clean up the kitchen. 11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Enjoy a delicious lunch! **Lunch Recess** - Volunteers are needed every day to assist staff on the playground. 11:40 a.m. - 12:40 p.m. We appreciate your help. Thank you.

Babysitting Clinic

The Kaukauna Community Health Associates will be sponsoring their annual Baby-sitting Clinic on **Saturday, November 1, 2014** for all fifth grade students. **Please return registration forms on or before Friday, October 17, 2014** if you plan on attending this clinic. Thank you.

Save the Date!



Grand Event February 6, 2015

Gathering Parties 2014

Grade 1- Jess and Ryan Mischler, December 6, 2014

Grade 2- Judith and Guy Baeten, October 12, 2014

Grade 4- Kelly and Brad Bartolac, October 18, 2014

Families in Preschool, PreK, Kindergarten, 3rd Grade, 5th Grade, 6th Grade, 7th Grade and 8th Grade...We need you! Please consider hosting or co-hosting a Gathering Party. Any questions-please contact Jodie Schmidt at 920-475-0820 or jschmidt@kcssonline.org.

2014 Calendar Raffle Winners

9/22 Tom Kuenzel, Kaukauna	\$20.00
9/23 Kelly Pastors, Wauwatosa	\$20.00
9/24 Josh Schuh, Kaukauna	\$20.00
9/25 Tom & Kaye Eiting, Comb. Lks.	\$20.00
9/26 Mary Van Domelen, Kaukauna	\$20.00
9/27 Tom Evers, Kaukauna	\$20.00
9/28 Bob & Marilyn Munes, Kau.	\$25.00

Looking Ahead

Thursday, October 2

Feast of Guardian Angels

Friday, October 3

Xavier Homecoming

Saturday, October 4

Feast of St. Francis of Assisi

Tuesday, October 7

Our Lady of the Rosary Feast Day

Thursday, October 9

Liturgy 8:20 Planned by Gr. 3

Grandparents / Special Person Day

8:20-10:30 a.m.

Market Day Pick Up 3:00-4:00 pm Friendship

Hall Holy Cross Parish

Friday, October 10

NO School

Monday, October 14

Grades K & 1 Field Trip to Bubolz Nature Preserve

Cardinal Virtue of Prudence



Monday

The Cardinal Virtue of Prudence aims to perfect the natural power of judging correctly, or to put it simply, it aims to perfect “common sense” choices. Example: When we see a flame we do not touch it because we know it will harm us because it is hot.

Tuesday

The Cardinal Virtue of Prudence guides us in making good moral choices. Example: You are taking a test in school and not sure of an answer so do you put down your own answer or do you look over at your classmate’s answer? Which do you think would be a good moral choice?

Wednesday

In the Book of Tobit, we are advised: “Seek advice from every wise man, and do not despise any useful counsel. Bless the Lord God on every occasion; ask him that your ways may be made straight and that all your paths and plans may prosper” (The Book of Tobit 4:18-19).

This passage encourages us to learn and take counsel from others in true humility. It also encourages us to seek the Lord’s assistance. Through the gift of counsel, one of the gifts of the Holy Spirit, prudence is purified and directed toward our ultimate good, God Himself.

Thursday

Prudence is often called the first of the cardinal virtues. As the “charioteer of the virtues,” it guides the other virtues and guides the judgment of conscience. Indeed, there is no way we can have a well-formed conscience without the virtue of prudence.



A chill is in the air!

**FYI for Students,
Volunteers, Staff...**

**The boilers at school will
start running the
Week of October 13th.**

**So please make sure you have an extra
layer to put on while inside the building
if the weather turns chilly.**

***See KCSS Handbook for
Approved Apparel Wear**

Thank you.



Trunk N' Treat

All Kaukauna Catholic School System families with children ages Preschool through Grade 5 are invited to a Halloween party on the KCSS playground at the Holy Cross parish parking lot on Thursday, October 23rd. The evening includes fun for the whole family. We will have a pizza dinner, car decorating contest, and of course, **Trick or Treat!** Adults are encouraged to dress in costume too!

The schedule for the evening is as follows:

- 5:00-6:00** **Arrive, decorate vehicles, and eat dinner**
6:00-7:00 **Trick or Treat and announce the winners of the car decorating contest**

\$7 will reserve your spot on the parking lot AND dinner for the ENTIRE family. Dinner includes pizza, fruit, and beverage.

Guidelines for trick or treating:

1. If you wish to trick or treat, come dressed in a costume. Parents are encouraged to dress in costume also!
2. Visit each haunting spot only once.
3. Be courteous to others. Wait your turn, no running, no butting in line, etc.

Families can outfit their vehicle with any Halloween or themed decoration; the more creative, the better.

Remember to bring:

- Treats for the trick-or-treaters – plan for about 250 students.
- Chairs to set up by your trunk for giving out treats and eating dinner.
- Other beverages/snacks for your family during trick or treating. No alcohol, as this is a family school activity.
- Lantern to help light you're spot in the parking lot.

Trunk N' Treat will be moved inside if the weather is not opportune for outdoor activities.

Questions? Contact Melanie Heindl mkhisandhers@sbcglobal.com or 920-540-0419.

KCSS HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION
Join The Fun!

Please return this bottom portion of the form with \$ 7.00 to reserve your haunting spot and dinner for all. Make check payable to KCSS and return to school office by Friday, October 17, 2014.

Family Name: _____ **Number of adults attending:** _____

Number of students attending and grade level(s): _____

___ Yes, I can help the day of the event. I can be contacted at _____.



**Costume
Contest**

**Music by Mr.
Tom!**

KCSS Grades 6 - 8

**HALLOWEEN
DANCE
2014**

**Snacks and
Prizes!**

**Thursday, October 23
8:00 – 10:30 p.m.
KCSS Cafeteria**

**Students will need to be signed in and out by
an adult. Use Door #4 on Kaukauna Street.**

***Admission – Nonperishable food item for
Loaves & Fishes.***

***Students – We need help with decorating and
cleaning up! You can use this for your
service hours!***

Halloween Dance RSVP



KCSS Grades 6-8
Thursday, October 23
8:00 – 10:30 p.m.
KCSS Cafeteria

Student Name: _____

I will attend the dance.

I will help decorate.*

I will help clean up.*

*Please contact me at (phone or e-mail) _____

Parent Signature

Date



Please return to the campus office by
Thursday, October 16.

KCSS CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE



The holidays are quickly approaching. Get a head start on your baking and support the Kaukauna Catholic School System. Each order consists of three dozen pre-cut frozen sugar cookies. You will receive three different shapes (one dozen each) to keep frozen until you are ready to bake and decorate.

3 DOZEN - \$13.00

Contact **Tracy Brockman 759-0506** or **Lisa Natrop 540-1927** to place an order or *return the form with payment to the KCSS campus office.*

Please use the attached order form to sell to friends, family and co-workers, but only return the order summary below with total number of orders.

This sale is sponsored by KCSS Home and School Association.

Order deadline is Thursday, October 23

Pickup will be at **St Aloysius Site - 2401 S. Main Avenue, Kaukauna** on Wed., Nov. 19, from 11:00 am-4:00 pm and Thurs., Nov 20, from 11:00 am-6:00 pm

Order Summary

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

E-mail: _____

Number of orders: _____ **Cost:** _____

Payment is due upon order. Make checks payable to KCSS. Return to school office.

One order equals 3 dozen cookies.



CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE

SIMPLIFY YOUR HOLIDAYS AND ORDER YOUR PRECUT SUGAR CHRISTMAS COOKIES TODAY!

HELP SUPPORT KAUKAUNA CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

3 DOZEN – ONLY \$13.00

Student Name: _____

THANK YOU!

Name	E-mail and phone number	# of Orders	Total Paid

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Next KCSS
Apparel Order
Turn-in Date:



Thursday,
November 13, 2014
(delivery for Christmas)



“Xavier Youth Basketball Association”

2014-2015 XYBA Girls and Boys registration **forms are due October 6, 2014.** If you were unable to attend the registration meetings and are still interested in registering for the 2014-2015 season, please google “Xavier Youth Basketball Association” and click on League Lineup. You will find current registration forms there. There are two double-sided forms that need to be completed (registration form and the concussion acknowledgement form).

Please mail completed forms and payment to:

*XYBA
PO Box 1282
Appleton, WI 54912-1282*

Please also mail in any Coaching applications by **October 6, 2014.**

For additional information, contact:

Mike Power: XYBA President at [\(920\)-216-5470](tel:(920)216-5470)
Matt Klarner: Xavier Boys Varsity Coach at [\(920\)-993-9334](tel:(920)993-9334)
A.C Clothier: Xavier Girls Varsity Coach at [\(612\)-817-3652](tel:(612)817-3652)

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS: If you are interested in serving XYBA in a volunteer role please contact Mike Power.

JUST FOR GIRLS
AGES 9-14

Girl Power!

Only
\$50*

A 2-session class for girls and their moms* followed by yoga!

Sundays, Oct 12 & 26
2:00p – 4:00p

@ Pura Vida Yoga
2416 West Nordale Drive, Appleton

- Let's talk about redefining beauty
- Create a special necklace as we learn about our monthly cycles
- Discuss what it means to become a woman
- Feel empowered mind, body and spirit through yoga

Brought to you by:



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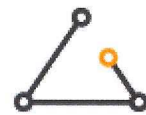
* Scholarships available for those with financial hardship.
Girls can attend without a parent if we have a signed permission slip.

Call 920-882-6200 to register!

City X Project

October 4 | 1:00-4:00 pm

Join APL and IDEACo as we celebrate Appleton's Space Kid James and lead a public City X Project workshop where kids will get their hands on 3D printers and practice 3D modeling to solve problems in outer space. From 1:00-2:00 pm, the program is open to the public. The workshop starting at 2:00 pm is for ages 8-12 and requires registration. To register, visit www.apl.org/cal or call 832-6187.



IDEACo

 **Appleton Public Library** 225 N Oneida Street | (920) 832-6187 | www.apl.org/kids
Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made upon request.

Pooches & Pages



September 6, October 4,
November 1 & December 6
10:00 - 11:30 am

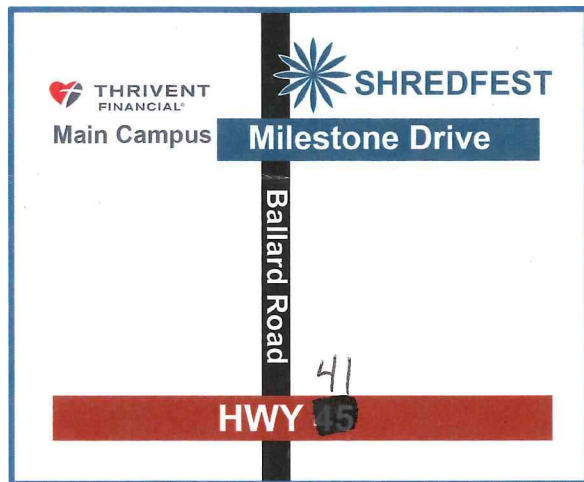
Children can practice their reading skills in a relaxed environment while reading to a registered therapy dog. All dogs are registered with Compassionate Canines. Registration is required, please call Children's Services or visit www.apl.org/cal.

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SHREDFEST



Saturday, Oct. 4

(rain or shine)

8:30 am - 11:00 am

Thrivent Financial

2000 E. Milestone Drive
Appleton, WI 54913

Directly across the street from the entrance
to Thrivent's main campus on Ballard Rd

Bring up to 3 boxes to be shredded for free.



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