



# THE BEAR FACTS



January 6, 2016

## **Prayer for the New Year**

Lord, many people are working on New Year's resolutions. You have given us a desire to be better and better. Help me to remember that every day is a new beginning. Every day I can start again to be my very best self. Help me to live my life well, this day and every day. Amen.

## **A Huge Thank You**

*We are very grateful to all the students and their families for all the kind remembrances and gifts given to us this Christmas Season. A special thanks for the Masses that will be said for the staff. Your thoughtfulness and generosity means so much. May God's Blessings and gifts be given to you in abundance throughout this New Year.*

*-Mrs. Noon, Emily, and Kim*

*To all the school faculty and families: Thank you for the very generous Christmas gift presented by the school children just before their Christmas break. Your support and appreciation mean a great deal. I pray that your families will have a healthy, happy, holy and wholesome new year. God Bless you.*

*-- Fr. Joe*

## **New Year Reminders**

- As we begin the New Year, we would like to remind parents that if you have changed your cell phone number, taken a new job, or even changed your phone number the office needs to know. The last couple weeks with all our sick students we had trouble reaching a few of you due to numbers being not in service or non-working numbers. Please call the office and let either Emily or Kim know the changes.
- We would also like to remind you that many of the students are in need of new supplies—paper, crayons, markers, pencils, pens, etc. You may need to restock their supplies.
- We also have a few PE uniforms and new sweatshirts that are left from our last order. If you are in need of any of these items please, call the office.
- We would like to celebrate the beginning of this New Year, by allowing the students to be out of uniform on Friday, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Students may wear jeans, new sweatshirts or t-shirts along with boots.

## **Important Reminders**

- When students have been out ill, they must be **fever free, without medication, for 24 hours before they can return to school.** This is stated in the Handbook under 2.3.2 Attendance Policy.
- The 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Time and Talent forms are due Friday, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Please be prompt in turning in your form. The 4<sup>th</sup> quarter form is in today's "Bear Facts."
- Now that we have entered the winter season, we ask that all students dress for the weather. Unless the temperature or wind chill is below 32 degrees, the classes will go outside for recess.
- A copy of your child's Report Card is being sent home today.

## **IMPORTANT WEATHER REMINDERS**

- Several weeks ago we sent home the information regarding school closing due to inclement weather. Please, REMEMBER, WE ARE ON OUR OWN AND YOU NEED TO LOOK FOR ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL for closings and delays. You may watch the local television stations, check our website, or call the school phone answering machine.
- If we are on a one-hour delay, then the school doors open at 8:00 AM and school begins at 8:50 AM. If we are on a 2-hour delay, the doors of the school will open at 8:00 AM, but school will begin at 9:50 AM.
- If the school goes on a delay and you are uncomfortable with the roads, you always have the right to keep your child at home. Ultimately, you have the final decision if you want your child to attend school.
- If the school is on a 1 or 2-hour delay, then the Pre School classes will still meet. Doors to the Pre School building will open at 8:00 AM.
- Once the students are at school, we **do not close early.** If you feel that you need to come and take your child home, you may, but they will be counted absent.

## **Spirit of Catholic Faith Award**

Congratulations to Helena Stoner for being awarded the Spirit of Catholic Faith Award. This is recognition for 8<sup>th</sup> grade female deanery basketball players and is presented by the Deanery and Brad Burden, Head Basketball Coach at Providence HS. Players are selected that embody the Spirit of our Athletic Ministry and Basketball league. Selection criteria are based upon Sportsmanship, Christian Attitude, Service, Heart, Hustle, Love and Passion for the game and Athleticism.

## **With Sympathy**

Our sympathy goes to the family of Steve, Cheryl, Trevor and Carson Heldman on the recent death of Steve's mother, Ruth Heldman. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this very difficult time.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Trent, Liz, Jacque, and Chase Farris on the recent death of Trent's grandfather, Dallas Bartley. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this very difficult time.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Jason, Kristen, and Julia Faulkner on the recent death of Kristen's father, Stephen Pace. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this very difficult time.

## **Congratulations to the Lannan's**

We would like to wish you congratulations on the recent birth of your new son, Tate Joseph. Tate arrived on Monday, December 28<sup>th</sup>. We are so happy for your family. We know that Carter and Pete will be great big brothers.

## **Mark Your Calendar**

We have two important events coming up. Please mark your calendar for Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup> for the Spring Open House. The times will be 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM. More details will be coming out next week.

The other big event is the Reverse Raffle. The date is March 5<sup>th</sup>. Mark your calendar and plan on attending this fun filled evening. Information will be coming out soon.

## **Used Uniform Sale**

For the next week we will be selling used uniforms in case you are in need of pants, shirts, sweatshirts. All items are \$1.00. If you are interested you can drop by the school any day this week or up to next Friday, January 15<sup>th</sup>.

## **SCRIP News**

Scrip certificate orders are due Friday, January 15<sup>th</sup>. Please place your completed order form and a check made out to St. Anthony PTO in an envelope labeled SCRIP and return it to the school office. Thank you for your support. If you have any questions, please contact Denise Lewis at 945-0501.

## **Traffic Patterns**

We have spent many hours working on the traffic patterns for arrival and dismissal. Lately, some parents are totally ignoring the procedures and we ask that everyone read this information again. We are very concerned about the safety of all of our students.

## **Arrival Traffic Procedures**

In the morning there is only one entrance that may be used by those bringing children to school by car. All drivers must enter at the Marshall Ave/Clyde Ave entrance. They may use the driveway on either side of the Annex building. Drivers using the lane on their right of the Annex, should drop their children off at the breezeway door, continue on the driveway to the right, and exit onto Sherwood Ave.

Drivers who use the lane on the left of the Annex, should drop their children off at the breezeway doors or sidewalk along the building, make a U-turn, and exit where they entered. As a reminder to drivers and for the safety of the children, cones will be used to block this lane.

Children may be dropped off only at the breezeway doors or along the building's sidewalk. They may not use the front entrance or the side entrance between the school and the Parish Center to enter the building. Drivers not entering the building may never drop their children off at the front door on Sherwood.

**Drivers, under no circumstance, may ever pull around the car(s) in front of them and exit.** Doing this creates a dangerous situation. For safety reasons, children should exit the car on the side closest to the Annex if possible. Parents who wish to accompany their children into the building in the morning are encouraged to use the parking lot on the school gym side of the building. Drivers leaving on the right side are not making a U-turn. On the Church side they are, and the parked cars limit the amount

of space they have in making the U-turn, can cause unsafe conditions, and can slow the traffic flow.

### **Dismissal Traffic Procedures**

All parents coming in cars to get children at dismissal must park their cars in one of the two parking lots located on the sides of the annex. **Drivers may not park on Sherwood Ave., then have their children get in the car on Sherwood Ave., and then drive away. They may not park at the end of the Annex, get their child, and then leave by way of Marshall Ave.**

This is important for the safety and care of all children. Children should not move toward a car until they have first spotted their driver. Once they see their driver, they should walk down the "aisle" that will bring them directly to the door of the car they will be entering. This will prevent them from having to walk from one "aisle" to another between other cars. Parents are asked to, preferably, stand by their cars. However, they should not keep their car door open. They should never motion for their children to come toward them until the teachers have given the children the signal to move toward the cars. Also, the drivers should not begin exiting the parking lot until directed to do so by the teachers. When entering the parking lot on the church side, drivers are asked to choose the line that is the shortest rather than the line that enables them to get out of the parking lot the fastest. Parents are once again blocking the back of the annex by parking behind the building. No car should be parked behind the building-this is to allow other cars to come into the parking lot. Parents are asked to not block the lanes of traffic. The last car in each lane should not go past the annex building. Teachers will begin rotating which side of the lot is emptied first.

**Parents are asked not to park on Sherwood Avenue and have students come out front to meet them, as this creates a safety concern for the children who walk home.**

### **6-8<sup>th</sup> Girls' Basketball**

Congratulations to the 6/7/8 grade girls' basketball team on winning the St. Anthony Holiday Tournament!

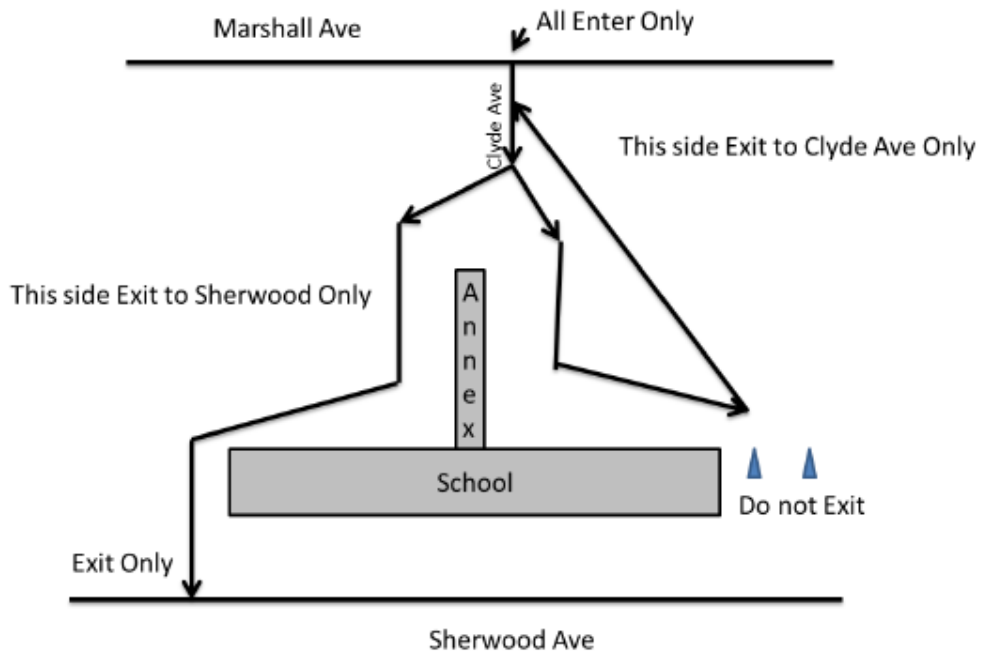
### **Biddy Ball Sign-ups**

Last chance for Biddy Ball... Please fill out the biddy ball form and return via back pack mail before Friday, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Biddy ball is for preschool through 2nd grade. Cost is \$60 yearly athletic fee if not already paid. Any questions please contact Melissa Hoyland 502-821-8190.

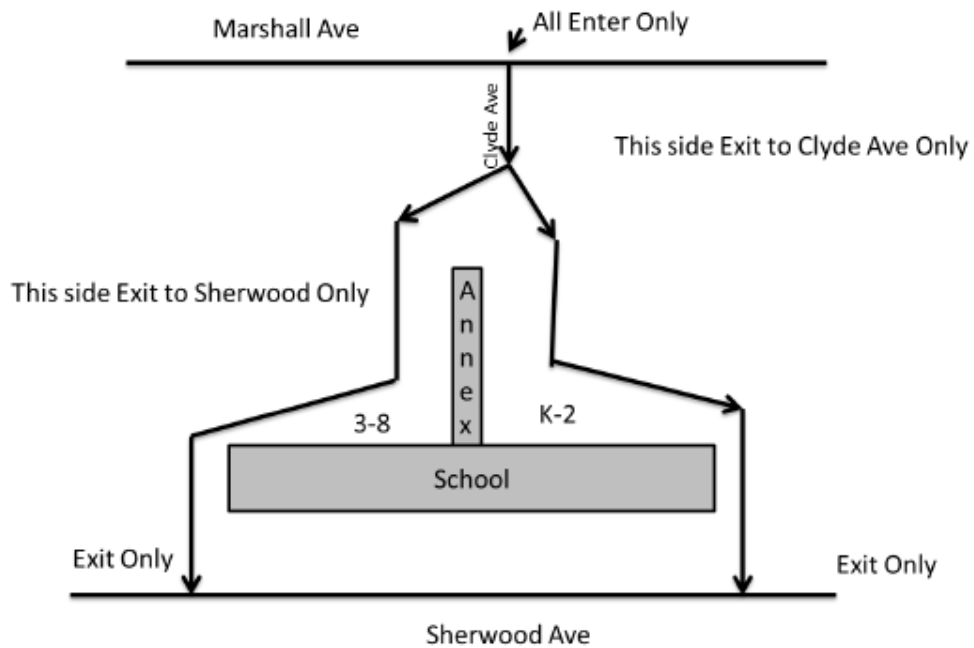
### **First Reconciliation Retreat**

A retreat is being planned for parents and their children who will celebrate Reconciliation for the first time this year. This retreat will take place on Saturday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the South Social Hall. Through prayer, drama, story, conversation, and ritual, this retreat will help prepare children for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. A walk-through of the sacrament will help the children become more familiar and comfortable with the ritual. Call Connie Sandlin at 282-2290 for additional information.

## Morning Drop-off Traffic Pattern For Safety



## Afternoon Dismissal Traffic Pattern For Safety



# BIDDY BALL SIGN UP FORM

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE \_\_\_\_\_

T-SHIRT SIZE (YS-YXL) (specify otherwise) \_\_\_\_\_

Physical on file: YES NO

PARENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

NAME IF INTERESTED IN COACHING \_\_\_\_\_

**FORM MUST BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY, 1/8/16**

**ATTN: Melissa Hoyland**

**C/O Abby2H**

## Scrip Order Form

January 15

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

How should we deliver your order?

\_\_\_\_\_ send with \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Name of student)

\_\_\_\_\_ call me and I will pick it up at the SAS school office

Vendor	\$ Amount	% of profit	# purchased	Total \$ amount
Aeropostale	\$25	7%		
Amazon.com	\$25/100	3%		
American Eagle Outfitters	\$25	10%		
Applebee's	\$25/50	8%		
Arby's	\$10	8%		
Bass Pro Shops	\$25	9%		
Bath and Body Works	\$10/25	13%		
Bed Bath & Beyond	\$25	7%		
Best Buy	\$25/100/250	3%		
Bob Evans	\$10	10%		
Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar	\$25	8%		
Burger King	\$10	4%		
Burlington Coat Factory	\$25	8%		
Cabela's	\$25	11%		
Cheesecake Factory	\$25	5%		
Chili's Bar & Grill	\$25	11%		
Chuck E. Cheese	\$10	8%		
Claire's	\$10	9%		
Cracker Barrel	\$10/25	9%		
CVS pharmacy	\$25	6%		
Denny's	\$10	7%		
Dick's Sporting Goods	\$25	8%		
Dillard's	\$25	9%		
Disney Gift Cards	\$25/100	7%		
Domino's Pizza	\$10	8%		
EB Games	\$25	3%		
Fazoli's	\$25	7%		
Foot Locker	\$25	9%		
GameStop	\$25	3%		
Gap-Banana Republic-Old Navy	\$25	14%		
GFS Marketplace	\$25/100	4%		
Gordman's	\$25	7%		
Great Clips	\$25	8%		
Great Harvest Bread Co.	\$10	6%		
Groupon.com	\$25	7%		
Hallmark Card Shop	\$25	4%		
Hardee's	\$10	5%		
Home Depot	\$25/100/500	4%		
Honey Baked Ham	\$25	12%		
IHOP	\$25	8%		
iTunes	\$15/25	5%		
JC Penney	\$25/100	5%		
Jo-Ann Fabrics	\$25	6%		
KFC	Discontinued	XX	XXXXXX	XXXXXX

Kohl's	\$25/100	4%		
Land's End	\$25	16%		
Lane Bryant	\$25	8%		
Little Caesar's Pizza	\$20	8%		
L.L. Bean	\$25	16%		
Logan's Roadhouse	\$25	8%		
Long John Silver's	\$10	8%		
Lowe's Home Improvement	\$ 25/100/500	4%		
Macy's	\$25/100	10%		
Meijer	\$25	3%		
Menard's	\$25/100	3%		
Michaels	\$25	4%		
Nook by Barnes and Noble	\$10/25/100	9%		
O'Charley's	Discontinued	XX	XXXXXX	XXXXXX
Office Depot	\$25	4%		
Old Navy	\$25/100	14%		
Outback Steakhouse	\$25	8%		
Panda Express	\$25	8%		
Panera Bread	\$10/25	9%		
Papa John's Pizza	\$10	8%		
Papa Murphy's Pizza	\$10	8%		
Payless Shoes	\$20	13%		
PetSmart	\$25	4%		
Pizza Hut	\$10	8%		
P.F. Chang's China Bistro	\$25	8%		
Qdoba	\$25	7%		
Red Lobster- Bahama Breeze- Olive Garden- Longhorn Steakhouse	\$25	9%		
Rite Aid	\$25	4%		
Ross Dress for Less	\$25	8%		
Ruby Tuesday's	\$25	8%		
Sears	\$25/100/250	4%		
Staples	\$25/100	5%		
Starbucks	\$10/25	7%		
Steak 'n Shake	\$10	8%		
Subway	\$10	3%		
Taco Bell	\$10	5%		
Target	\$25/100	2%		
Texas Roadhouse	\$25	8%		
TGI Friday's	\$25	9%		
Toys-R-Us/Babies-R-Us	\$20	1.5%		
TJ Maxx	\$25	7%		
Tumbleweed	\$10/25	10%		
Walgreens	\$25/100	6%		
Wal-Mart	\$25/100	2.5%		
Wendy's	\$10	4%		
Zappos.com	\$25	8%		

February 12

March 11

April 15

May 13





# Principal's List and Honor Roll

## Second Quarter

### PRINCIPAL'S LIST

#### Grade 4

Charlotte Fisher  
Carter Lannan  
Jeremy Lopez

#### Grade 5

Maci Hoskins  
Ben Kelly  
Emma Scharre

#### Grade 6

Mercedes Benjamin  
Justus Bowman  
Max Fisher

#### Grade 7

Kaden Connin  
Abby Hanlon  
Miranda Harley  
Rosie Kempf  
Monica Nokes

#### Grade 8

Emily Dodd  
Claire Reyes  
Gabe Tucker

### HONOR ROLL

#### Grade 4

Nate Davidson  
Paige Flispart  
Tessa Holifield

#### Grade 5

Jackson Bettler  
Ana Cabeza  
Emily Davis  
Bailey Heavrin  
Kara Merchant  
Briley Nichols  
Mark Nokes  
Charlea Reinbold  
Macie Rhoten  
Olivia Rundall  
Jacob Schonard  
Sarah Self  
Aidan Singleton

#### Grade 6

Sydney Allen  
Chloe Brown  
Luke Fetko  
Emma Green  
Jack Kaiser  
Maya Paris  
Zach Van Wie

### HONOR ROLL

#### Grade 7

Zach Aurillo  
Aaron Burke  
Marcus Fuson  
Jeremy Gettelfinger  
Eli Grimes  
Michael Hamm  
Kindle Hickey  
Mara Holifield  
Josiah Jackson  
Kieran Kelly  
Gracie Koesters  
Josh Lynch  
Isaac Martinez  
Grant Thompson  
Josh Walter

#### Grade 8

Brandon Barron  
Sydney Barron  
Bailey Basham  
Lizzie Dixon  
Michael Morra  
Rionna Nevins  
Sabrina Schmidt  
Augusta Schonard  
Helena Stoner

# Perfect Attendance

## Second Quarter

### Kindergarten

Marques Ammons  
Gael Cruz  
Lincoln Fogarty  
Tess Reiter

### First Grade

Madeleigh Kochersperger  
Kyle Nichols  
Sophie Singleton

### Second Grade

Morgan Cooper  
Adilene Cruz  
Lina Howlett  
Matthew Hudlin  
Damian Velez

### Third Grade

Dereck Hearn  
Jonathan Howlett  
Seth Irvin  
Michelle Landeros  
Nicholas Stoner  
Abbie Vittitow

### Fourth Grade

Michele Cooper  
Diego Cruz  
Nolan Finnegan  
Jeremy Lopez  
Karla Martinez

### Fifth Grade

Keegan Connin  
Noah Gettelfinger  
Bailey Heavrin  
Maci Hoskins  
Briley Nichols  
Mark Nokes  
Macie Rhoten  
Aidan Singleton

### Sixth Grade

Sydney Allen  
Aidan Craig  
Nolan Flispart  
Jack Kaiser  
Any Lopez  
Maya Paris  
Kira Short  
Andrew Singleton  
Zach Van Wie

### Seventh Grade

Aaron Burke  
Kaden Connin  
Marcus Fuson  
Jeremy Gettlefonger  
Joshua Gettelfinger  
Kieran Kelly  
Gracie Koesters  
Grant Thompson

### Eighth Grade

Brandon Barron  
Emily Dodd  
Claire Reyes  
Helena Stoner