

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School



September 30, 2024

The Note!

Busy weekends lead to me being thankful for Pajama Day on a Monday! The kids look great, and I know they love having something special going on. This week is full of fun things! We pray that this a great week for the students and staff at NCHS! Go Eagles!

The **Book Fair** is open all week before school (Thanks Mrs. Shamhart) and at lunch (Thanks moms and grandmas). It will also be open during Open House after Eric Ode's presentation.

The **JCJH Lady Eagles Basketball** teams open their season this Thursday at Robinson. St. Thomas has several girls playing for the team: Emma Schumacher, Carlee Finn, Lyndsey Spiker, Bailey Meinhart, Audrey Earnest and Kinsley Kerner. Good luck, ladies!



Wednesday, Oct. 2nd

Eric Ode 5:30-6:00 in Parish Center

Open House throughout the school 5:30-7:00

Book Fair open 6:00-7:00

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK:

Monday: Pajama Day, CC @ Robinson 4:00, Book Fair Opens

Tuesday: Crock and/or Crazy Socks Day, NCHS CC and Soccer athletes here to High 5,
NO SCHOOL BOARD meeting

Wednesday: **K-2 Class Mass** (K-1 in charge) Orange and Blue Day (K-2 can wear Newton Eagle gear to church as long as they have on appropriate bottoms), Girls'

Tennis/Volleyball athletes here to High 5, Custodian Appreciation Day (Thanks, Matt!)
Open House 5:30-7:00 p.m., Eric Ode presenting 5:30-6:00

Thursday: Saints Gear Day, Golf athletes here to High 5, GBB @ Robinson 6:00, CC @
Robinson Invite 3:30

Friday: **All-School Mass** (2nd in charge), Adoration 'til noon, Football Players and
Cheerleaders here to High 5, Early Dismissal 1:00, 6th-8th graders stay for Band,
Homecoming Parade 2:30, Coronation 6:40ish, Football game 7:00

Saturday: **Mass @ St. Thomas 4:30**

Sunday: **Masses @ St. Thomas 7:00/10:00**, Mass @ St. Mary's 8:30

ATTACHED/IN PACKET: Booster Club Minutes, Meyer Twins Art registration

- Tracey Bower and the **Garage Sale Committee** would like to thank everyone who worked and donated time and treasure to the fall garage sale. Over \$8000 was raised. Way to go, Saints!
- As you pack **lunchboxes**, think about whether or not they can open everything. Yogurt tubes/fruit cups, etc. are nearly impossible for them. We try to help, but there are a lot of kids in the cafeteria. Maybe show them/teach them how to do it at home if possible. Thanks!
- The **detergent and trash bags** are ready for pick-up, if you haven't already. They are alphabetical in the hallway. Please try to make arrangements before Wednesday for pick-up. Email Lori to arrange times.
- We have some **random SCRIP cards** in our box if anyone would be interested: Ruby Tuesday's \$25, Jewel/Osco \$10, Men's Warehouse \$25, Walgreens \$100, CVS \$25, Quiznos \$10.
- **Thanks** to Isaiah and Michelle Newkirk for committing to Thursday lunch duty.
- We will be having another **apparel order** soon. What you purchase will be here in time to use as Christmas gifts.
- Just another reminder to **turn right** out of the south parking lot when leaving after pick-up.
- If your son/daughter has any kind of appointment, change for the end of the day, or leaving early for any reason, please send an **email to Lori, me, and their classroom teacher AND/OR call the school**. Thanks!
 - With the start of October, we transition to focusing on the virtue of **Thankfulness**. This is something we can all work on, appreciating what we have and voicing appreciation when it's warranted. After my daughter went to Uganda, her eyes were really opened to our lack of appreciation for all we have. Let's make it a goal to help our kids be more thankful!

