



# THE BEAR FACTS

August 16, 2017

## Prayer

Loving God, each day as I step further into my future, give me the courage, knowledge, and patience that I need. Remind me that you always journey with me and that you will never lead me into anything that you won't lead me through. Thank you for the gift of my life. May the way I live be my gift back to you - with your love and guidance in Jesus' name.

## Important Reminders

- Paragon Catalog orders were due today. If you have not sent in your order form, please do so as soon as possible. Money is not collected at this time.
- School Pictures will be taken on Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, and Friday, August 25<sup>th</sup>. Preschool, Kindergarten and grades 1-4 will have pictures taken on Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. Grades 5-6-7-8 will be Friday, August 25<sup>th</sup>. Money is due on or before the pictures are taken. **Students may be out of uniform on the day that their picture is taken, but MUST follow the guidelines in the handbook.** Shirts/dresses must have sleeves. Picture order forms went home last week.
- All sweatshirt and gym uniform orders are due on Thursday, August 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Initial registration forms need to be returned, if you have not returned the forms you will be getting another copy today. Please return to the office.
- We still have a few copies of last year's yearbook if anyone is interested in purchasing one. The cost is \$20.
- Solar Eclipse permission slips are due back by Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup>. Permission slips must be signed and returned for your child to participate in viewing the eclipse.
- Zesto's Night is Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## Save the Date

Grandparent's Day will be celebrated on Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>. Grandparents will have the opportunity to attend Mass with their grandchildren and then visit school. We are very excited to see our grandparent's again this year!

## Smoke Free Campus

This is a reminder that St. Anthony School and its property is a SMOKE FREE facility. Please, this rule must be enforced. You may not sit in your car and smoke on the school property and you may not smoke on the school grounds.

## **Indoor Air Quality**

St. Anthony School will continue the program to monitor and improve our Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) in our school. We want to provide a safe, comfortable, and productive environment for our faculty, staff and students. The school will utilize the guidelines provided by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to prevent IAQ problems and respond to any IAQ issues that may arise. Our Maintenance Person, Leroy Wilson, oversees the program in our school.

## **Cafeteria News**

- When sending in lunch money, the money should be in an envelope with your child's name and homeroom number on the envelope.
- Lunch money cannot be combined with tuition money in one check. These items need to be paid with 2 different checks.
- Students have the opportunity to get an extra entrée, juice, and/or water with their lunch. These items will be an added cost on the regular lunch cost. The cost for water is \$.70, the cost for juice is \$.40, extra milk is \$.40, and the cost for extra entrée is \$1.00. If you do not want your child paying for extra items, you need to talk with them and let them know cannot purchase those items from the cafeteria. You can also let the cafeteria know and they will try to help monitor the students and what they are getting.
- If your child is getting either Free or Reduced Lunches, they are charged if they order extra entrée, juice, or water.

## **Scrip**

Scrip certificate orders are due Friday, August 18<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. Order forms may be found on the school and parish websites. If you have questions, please contact Denise Lewis at 945-0501.

## **ISTEP Results**

The purpose of the Indiana Statewide Testing for Educational Progress-Plus (ISTEP+) program is to measure student achievement in the subject areas of English/Language Arts, Mathematics, Science (Grades 4, 6), and Social Studies (Grades 5 and 7). In particular, ISTEP+ reports student achievement levels according to the Indiana Academic Standards that were adopted by the Indiana State Board of Education. Scores are being sent home today for the ISTEP that was administered in the Spring of 2017. Only grades 4-8 will receive scores. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Tucker

## **Shout Out**

Good luck to all of our fall sports teams. St. Anthony's wishes you luck, and we can't wait to come and support our St. Anthony Bears!

## **Arrival process reminders**

- 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. entrance.
- Parents are asked to see that the children they are driving are ready to exit the car as soon as the car stops. Taking a prolonged time to gather belongings and say "good-byes" can cause long waiting lines to form.
- 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.

## **School Play**

ATTENTION 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders: AUDITIONS FOR OUR SPRING MUSICAL THE LION KING Jr. WILL BE AUGUST 22<sup>nd</sup>. The August 22<sup>nd</sup> audition is for students in grades 6-8 wanting to be in the cast and will be held from 2:45-4:30 PM. If your child is interested in being a part of our exciting production see Mrs. Doerr or Mrs. Futter for audition forms. We will also need a choir for our show this year. Any 4th-8th grader may sign up to be in the choir only. There are no auditions to be in the choir as long as your child has a passion for singing that's all we need.

Our play this year will be Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>. Rehearsal dates and times will be attached to your child's audition form. A \$30 drama fee is collected from all students participating (cast, choir, drummers or extras). There is a sign-up sheet outside Ms. Futter's classroom for your child to pick their audition time for cast members. Audition forms must be filled out when your child comes to their audition.

## **Basketball Coaches Needed:**

Athletics is looking for those interested in coaching 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Basketball for the 2017-18 school year. All prospective coaches should contact Dereck Hearn at [Dereck.hearn@gmail.com](mailto:Dereck.hearn@gmail.com) or [812-989-0415](tel:812-989-0415) or Billy Hoyland at [hoyboybilly@aol.com](mailto:hoyboybilly@aol.com) or 502-777-8493. All names must be submitted by August 31st. Thank you for your interest.

## **Cheer Coaches Needed:**

Athletics is looking for those interested in coaching 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Cheer for the 2017-18 basketball season. All prospective coaches should contact Michelle Fisher at [shells5184@yahoo.com](mailto:shells5184@yahoo.com) or 812-786-4270 or Billy Hoyland at [hoyboybilly@aol.com](mailto:hoyboybilly@aol.com) or 502-777-8493. Thank you for your interest.

## **Service Hours Available**

Service hours available! If you would like to volunteer for gate or concessions at home volleyball or basketball games, contact Amanda Craig at [mandaandjamie3@aol.com](mailto:mandaandjamie3@aol.com) or 502-551-2425. It's an easy way to get your hours and support our teams. Go Bears!

## **Youth Ministry News:**



\*Student Choir Practice \*

**Saturday, August 26**

All young people are invited to participate in this ministry  
~Gather in Church @ 4pm & meet up with Tim Glasscock~

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**Scrip Order Form**

**August 18**

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	\$10/25	8%		
Burger King	\$10	4%		
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	\$25/100	6%		
Dairy Queen	\$10	3%		
Denny's	\$10	7%		
Dick's Sporting Goods	\$25	8%		
Dillard's	\$25/100	9%		
Disney Gift Cards	\$25/100	7%		
Domino's Pizza	\$10	8%		
Dunkin' Donuts	\$10/25	2.5%		
EB Games	\$25	3%		
Fazoli's	\$25	7%		
Foot Locker	\$25	9%		
GameStop	\$25	3%		
Gap-Banana Republic-Old Navy	\$25/100	14%		
GFS Marketplace	\$25/100	4%		
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%		
Kohl's	\$25/100	4%		
Krispy Kreme Doughnuts	\$10	8%		
Land's End	\$25	16%		

Little Caesar's Pizza	\$20	8%		
L.L. Bean	\$25	16%		
Logan's Roadhouse	\$25	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%		
O'Charley's	\$25	13%		
Office Depot	\$25	4%		
Old Navy	\$25/100	14%		
Outback Steakhouse	\$25	8%		
Overtok.com	\$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%		
Red Robin	\$25	8%		
Sally Beauty Supply	\$25	12%		
Sears	\$25/100/250	4%		
Shutterfly	\$25	9%		
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%		
Whole Foods Market	\$25/100	3%		
Zappos.com	\$25	8%		

**Solar Eclipse Permission Slip**

Dear Parents,

On August 21, 2017 is “The Great American Solar Eclipse,” because it is the first time since 1918 a solar eclipse will be visible on a path across the entire continental United States.

**Safety is always a top priority for SAS.** We will take all precautionary measures with both students and staff to make this experience both safe and enjoyable. Homemade filters or ordinary sunglasses, even very dark ones, are not safe for looking at the sun. Students will not be permitted to look at the uneclipsed or partially eclipsed sun through unfiltered cameras, telescopes, binoculars or other optical devices, with or without glasses. *(For more information regarding the safety certification of the special viewing glasses, please visit [www.eclipseglasses.com/pages/safety](http://www.eclipseglasses.com/pages/safety))*

Because of these safety concerns, a parent signature on this sheet is **required by August 18<sup>th</sup>** in order for students to participate using the eclipse glasses. Students whose parents either do not complete this form or choose to opt out their child will view televised coverage and complete an alternative activity from inside the school building during the eclipse.

Thank you,

Mrs. Tucker

Parents can fill out a form to include all SAS students in their household.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mark one:

YES, my child can participate in viewing the solar eclipse event.

NO, my child cannot participate outside during the solar eclipse event.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher & Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

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