

St. Patrick's School  
Tuesday Notes  
November 7, 2023

Picture Make-Up or Redo

Mr. Allan will be back on Monday, November 13th to offer make-up pictures or if a child would like a redo. Your child may come out of uniform in nice picture day clothes. Please let Mrs. Ali know if your child will take advantage of the make-up /redo.

Spring Musical Meeting

Please save the date for the spring musical kick-off meeting on Wednesday, December 6 at 7:00pm in the cafeteria. All students and parents in grades 5-8 are invited to attend to learn more about participation in the spring musical. More information will be available as the date gets closer.

Parent & Teacher Conferences

If you have not already done so, please sign up to meet with your child(ren)'s teacher. It is very important to use this opportunity to discuss your child(ren)'s progress.

Link to sign-up: [https://www.ptcfast.com/schools/St\\_Patrick\\_s\\_School](https://www.ptcfast.com/schools/St_Patrick_s_School)

November Activities, Hosted by Ignatius Leadership Team

The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Ignatius Leadership Team (ILT), is excited to announce an art competition for the month of November. The art submissions should reflect the theme "GRATITUDE". All students are eligible to participate. Submissions are due to Miss Short on Friday, November 17. ILT will select three winners, for any class with 100% participation, a class prize will be rewarded!

The group is also asking for a \$1 .00 donation from every child to provide books this Christmas to the children enrolled in the Head Start program at Harmony Hills Elementary School. The ILT will shop to find books in each child's primary language and enclose a handwritten note of encouragement and Christmas wishes to each child.

Please give donations to homeroom teachers. Thank you in advance for your support.

School Newspaper

First after-school meeting on Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> from 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Used Uniform-Giveaway

Mrs. Mitchell reports a great overstock of used uniforms, a table will be set up on Friday during parent conference hours for those parents who would like to come by for any freebies. Please take what you need!

St. Patrick's Annual Sip and Shop

**St. Patrick's Annual Sip and Shop-Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup> – 7pm to 10pm**

We are officially 2 days away from **our Annual Sip and Shop!**

We will have food trucks, specialty spirits from local vendors, and a silent auction of wonderfully donated vendor gift packages, which is **now live** so go start bidding!

Also, don't forget to buy tickets for the **Bling Raffle** to win an 18kt White Gold, Emerald, and Diamond Drop Pendant Necklace. Purchase your raffle tickets here: [Bling Raffle](#)

While admission is free, we still encourage pre-registering ahead of time to let us know that you're coming and allow for swift check-in (credit cards are highly encouraged!) Plus, you will be automatically entered to win a door giveaway prize!

To register for this event, go to: <https://onecau.se/sipshop23>

If you are interested in helping with the event or have any questions, please email Karen Boone ([karen.waskewich@gmail.com](mailto:karen.waskewich@gmail.com)) or Christina Grantham ([cgrantham9@yahoo.com](mailto:cgrantham9@yahoo.com)).

We look forward to seeing you there!

#### Last Call to Register for Trivia Night!

Last call to register for St. Patrick's Trivia Night! This very fun event is on Saturday, November 11th! Doors open at 6:30 PM and the event will start at 7:00 PM. Enjoy an adult evening of food, drinks, friends, and an opportunity to share your love of useless knowledge. Gather your teams of 8 now! Don't have a team of 8? No problem, we can pair you with other fun parents. **The deadline to register is Wednesday, November 8th.** Please contact Melissa Boyle ([melissa.f.boyle@gmail.com](mailto:melissa.f.boyle@gmail.com)) or Michele Freeman ([mnmilleresq@gmail.com](mailto:mnmilleresq@gmail.com)) with any questions.

<https://my.onecause.com/event/organizations/sf-001C000001aGvXVIA0/events/vevt:5d48c191-2486-410f-963a-2e935417cbaf/home/story>

#### Charleston Wrap 2023 "Wrap"up

We want to thank all the students and families for making this year's Charleston Wrap sale a great success! We raised a total of \$6,788 for our HSA!!! And it was a fun way to share this unique shopping opportunity with family, friends, and neighbors. Charleston Wrap items that were ordered through the catalogue paper order forms will be sent home with students today. For any questions regarding catalogue or online orders, please contact Charleston Wrap Customer Service at 1-866-395-2926 or reach out online via the [Help Desk](#). If you have any other questions or issues, feel free to contact Trish Leonette - [trishkleonette@gmail.com](mailto:trishkleonette@gmail.com). Thank you!

#### 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Greg Gannon Canned Food Drive

The Greg Gannon Canned Food Drive (GGCFD) is the perfect way for your family to participate in a parish-wide service project together. This is St. Patrick's 11th year participating in this huge effort to fill the shelves of our local food banks before the winter. If you helped last year and have already confirmed your participation for this year by email, you are all set! New to this, and want to join the fun? Get more information and sign up at <https://www.ggcfcd.org/parishes/st-patricks-church/> to help in a territory. Check out the Territory Maps and see which ones are open or may still need help. We will provide the supplies; you supply the manpower. The week of November 11th, your team will deliver grocery bags to the homes in your territory. On Sunday, November 19th, everyone will gather at the church for a short prayer service, followed by coffee and doughnuts. Then, teams will head out and drive through their territory to pick up bags, hopefully full of cans! Many territory leaders and volunteers are needed to make this community event a huge success. If your own neighborhood has enough volunteers, please consider branching out into an unclaimed territory, which will give us even more cans! This is an approved Faith in Action project! Please reach out to [GGCFDstpatrik@gmail.com](mailto:GGCFDstpatrik@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

We are also looking for SPONSORS for our distribution of 8,000 bags! We offer different levels of sponsorships ("GOLD" \$1000, "SILVER" \$750, "BRONZE" \$50" or "FRIEND OF GGCFD" \$250), and your

family name or company logo will be included on our websites and flyers. *We especially love to promote St. Patrick's family-owned businesses.*

- **To be a SPONSOR**, contact Julie at [gcfdstpatrick@gmail.com](mailto:gcfdstpatrick@gmail.com).

Save the Date-Breakfast with Santa

St. Patrick's 6th Grade Class Invites You to Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 9th from 9:00-11:00 am. Advance registration is required to attend this event. Please join us for a delicious breakfast, visit with Santa, fun crafts, and activities! Photos with Santa will be available from George Allan for a fee (cash or check), and you may also bring your own camera. Stay tuned for registration information!

The Upcoming Weeks:

Thursday, November 9 <sup>th</sup>	Noon Dismissal; Aftercare Available until 6:00 p.m. Parent & Teacher Conferences (virtual only) Annual Sip & Shop 7:00-10:00 p.m.
Friday, November 10 <sup>th</sup>	No School; Parent & Teacher Conferences (in-person)
Saturday, November 11 <sup>th</sup>	Trivia Night 7:00-10:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 12 <sup>th</sup>	PK Open House for Prospective Families 9:00-10:00 a.m.
Tuesday, November 14 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 3 Field Trip
Wednesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 8 Field Trip
Monday, November 20 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Deadline: HSPT Registration and Authorization to Release Documents Form
Tuesday, November 21 <sup>st</sup>	Noon Dismissal; Aftercare Available until 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, November 22 <sup>nd</sup> -Friday, November 24 <sup>th</sup>	Thanksgiving Holiday; No School
Monday, November 27 <sup>th</sup>	Classes Resume
Wednesday, November 29 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 8 HSPT Exam