

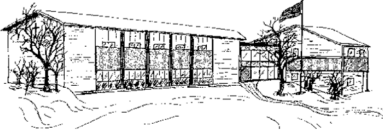
# St. Andrew School Newsletter

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## Looking Ahead:

Oct 24:	Auction Procurement Begins
Oct 25:	Candy Sale Begins
Oct 27	High School Dance, Gr. 8-12, 7:00 to 10:00pm
Oct 31	End of First Quarter
Oct 31	Fall Festival, 1-3pm
Nov 1	Late start 8:15, All Saints Day
Nov 8	Half day, <b>11:35</b> release, Teachers' meetings
Nov 10	Carroll Open house for Juniors and Seniors
Nov 16	Picture retakes
Nov 21	K-1 Bowl of Thanksgiving
Nov 21	Adoption Day at the Capitol
Nov 22-24	Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL
Nov 30	Feast of St. Andrew, Mass 10:00

## Cathedral Children's Choir

Grades 1-7 will meet on Tuesdays from 3:15-4:15 pm in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade Classroom. Come join us!  
However, **there will not be a practice today! See you next week, instead.**

## Lunch Time Treats

The school store will be open each Wednesday at lunch in the upstairs foyer. Students will be able to purchase snacks and drinks. The store will be sponsored by the Service Club and proceeds will go to various service projects.

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## October 25: Candy Sale Begins

Our annual candy sale will begin on October 25 and run to November 15. This year we will be selling Martinsons Ranch Chocolates. Martinsons produces high quality chocolate here in our own state of Montana. Boxes of these mouth-watering delicacies are moderately priced and make wonderful Christmas gifts! **Order forms were sent home today.**

Prizes: 1st place - \$100 cash                      2nd place - \$50 cash                      3rd place - \$25 cash  
Also: One class each in K-3, 4-7, and 8-12 with the highest participation rate (most number of students who sold candy) can choose between a free dress day OR a movie and popcorn in class as their prize

Each student who sells at least 1 box of candy will receive a chocolate gold coin.

If our school goal of \$10,000 is achieved there will be a free dress day for the whole school. Date: TBA

Thank you for helping to make this year's candy sale the best yet!



## Oct. 27: Bring Your Pumpkins in for the CARVING CONTEST

Pumpkins are needed for each classroom so students may carve them for the Fall Festival Contest. Classes are to designate students to bring pumpkins and carving kits into the classroom **no later this Friday, October 27.** Each class will submit a carved, decorated pumpkin. One pumpkin will be declared a winner based on amount of money collected. To vote for a pumpkin, place dollar bills in the receptacle next to it. Funds will be donated to Good Samaritan Assistance Ministry to help struggling families pay bills during the holiday season.

Please do not allow students to bring knives as only carving kits are allowed. Pumpkins must be carved and in the gym by 9:00 the morning of the festival.

## October 27: Halloween Dance



### Dance! Dance! Dance!



Grades 8-12

Friday, October 27, 7:00 -10:00pm

The cost is free if you are in Halloween costume, but \$3 if you aren't in costume.

The DJ is Dr. Smillie.

Chaperones are Mr. Nelson and

## October 30<sup>th</sup> and November 1<sup>st</sup>: Saints Day Programs

1<sup>st</sup> Grade: October 30<sup>th</sup>- 2:15 pm

Kindergarten: November 1<sup>st</sup>- 2:15 pm

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## October 31: Fall Festival K-7

This year All Hallow's Eve will be celebrated in the gym and will be put on by students in grades 8-12.

Each family is asked to bring a bag of candy for the prizes.

We also need a few parents to help with set up of the booths in the gym.

Please call Mrs. Teodosio at the school and let her know if you are able to help with any of the following:

Activity	What we need
Cookie Decorating Booth	Another volunteer to make sugar cookies
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Inflatable decorations	
Cupcake Walk	More cupcakes
Pumpkin Bowling	Small pumpkins
All Stations	Small Prizes (not candy)

### Festival of Trees

St. Andrew School Choir has been invited to sing at the Festival of trees on Sunday, Dec 3 at 3:00p.m.performance  
civic center auditorium 6-12 grade students

### REPORT CARDS

Report cards will be available on RenWeb on November 2<sup>nd</sup>. The school will also email report cards on this day. If there are issues with viewing your child's report card, please see your homeroom teacher.

### EARLY RELEASE

Our early release day is Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup> for teachers meetings.

**All students will be dismissed at 11:35am.**

Please make sure arrangements have been made for your children

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## **SAT and ACT .**

All seniors should have either taken the SAT or ACT tests or be signed up to do so. Juniors also need to be thinking about taking one or both of these tests. Many juniors take the test in the early winter or spring.



**Homework Club- Grades 4-10, Monday – Thursday after school until 4:15 in the Art Room.**

## **TACO JOHN’S Fundraiser**

Our thanks to all who participated in the fundraiser. We received a check from Taco John’s for \$450. The company will schedule us for a second date after the beginning of the year(TBA).

## **High School Service Club**

The Service Club will meet once a month at lunch to organize various service activities. (Meeting dates will be announced). Students will organize and raise money for various service projects such as Box of Joy and Food Share Collection. They will also contact organizations in town to offer their assistance when needed. ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS are invited and encouraged to be a part of this club!

## **Nov. 10: Carroll College Open House**

Junior and Senior students will be attending the Carroll College Open House on November 10 from 9:00-2:00 pm Students do not have to plan on attending Carroll to benefit from this experience. Interactive sessions include: Searching for Scholarships, effective essay writing, study abroad/career/research opportunities and financial aid review. Lunch will be served.

## **Bible Study**

Grades 6-8

Thursdays 3:15-4:15 at Fireside Coffee.

Led by Dawn Brannman, Youth Minister at St. Mary Catholic Community (and Aunt of Daniel and Curtis Cole)

Teens have questions and God’s Word has answers !!!

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# Sports



We are still looking for a coach for a Junior High girls basketball team. Please call Sarah Birnel if you have a talent in this area. (406-202-0954) There is a participation fee of \$40 for Junior High and \$60 for High School for any sport, which will pay for coaches and refs.

Junior High Boys Basketball	
Practices	Games
Thursday, Oct 26, 3:30-4:30 Monday, Oct 30, 3:30-4:30 w/ HS Monday, Nov 6, 3:30-4:30 w/ HS Thursday, Nov 9, 3:30-4:30 Tuesday, Nov 14, 3:30-4:30	Thursday, Nov 2 at Clancy, 4:00 Tuesday, Nov 7 at HOME vs HomeSchool, 5:30 Monday, Nov 13 at HOME vs HomeSchool, 5:30 Wednesday, Nov 15 at HOME vs Boulder, 4:00

High School Girls Basketball	
Practices	Games
REMAINDER OF OCTOBER, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30-7:30 Thursday, Nov 2, 5:30-7:30 Tuesday, Nov 7, 3:15-5:00 Thursday, Nov 9, 5:30-7:30 Tuesday, Nov 14,	TBA

High School Boys Basketball	
Practices	Games
OCTOBER, Mondays and Fridays, 3:15-4:45 Friday, Nov 3, 3:15-4:45 Monday, Nov 6, 3:15-4:45 Friday, Nov 10, 3:15-4:45 Monday, Nov 13, 3:15-4:45	TBA

## St. Andrew Cross Country Team

St. Andrew will start a cross country team for students in grades 6-12. To begin, student athletes will join the Helena Vigilante Runners Cross Country and Track team which meets Oct 16-Nov 2, Monday through Thursday, from 5:15-6:30. Sites TBA.

Students will prepare for the Montana Cup in Billings and the Junior Olympic Championships in Bozeman. Parents will take their children to all events and practices.

Practices and Coaches are free. USATF membership (required) is \$20 and Meet registration is \$5-10 per event.

Every athlete must register online to participate. Register online at <http://vigilanterunning.org/our-events/youth-cross-country-and-track/>

Mrs. Lozano (7<sup>th</sup> grade teacher) will be the St. Andrew coach. A flier for sign-up will be sent home with students who express interest. If you are still interested in joining or for more information email Mrs. Lozano at [slozano@standrewschool.org](mailto:slozano@standrewschool.org)

A meeting for parents was held at Centennial Park Gazebo on Monday, October 16. If you missed this meeting please contact Mrs. Lozano.

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# Emerald Isle Auction 2018



## We are starting auction procurement now! Procurement cards are ready for pick up in the school office:

This is a huge job and is crucial to the auction. Everyone needs to help out! If each family can take 5 cards, this would be done quickly. Come soon to get your choice of cards. Call Deidre Teodosio at the school office for details or see below:

- Remember to check the book before contacting a business or individual about a donation. When picking up a card always write your name in the book as indicated. Then take the card with you. It is very embarrassing to contact someone requesting a donation when someone else has already been to visit, but did not mark the card out in the book.
  - If you are unable to get to the school to check out the cards, please contact the secretary and ask her to check certain cards out in your name and hold them. Stay on the line to make sure those cards are not already checked out. Cards should be picked up within the week or they will be returned to the box.
  - Be sure to take these items with you when procuring: procurement card, procurement letter, calendar & pencil/pen.
- Make notes on the card, including contact dates/times, pick-up date/time (if you are not given the item immediately), value of the donation, point of contact, donor's mailing address, phone number and item(s) or service(s) being donated.** This information is important for crediting the donor correctly and sending them a thank you card for their generosity.
- Do not be discouraged if you have to call back several times and get passed to various people. They are busy people, too.

Sample Call Script: Hello, my name is \_\_\_\_\_. I am calling on behalf of St. Andrew School. (Thank you for your generous donation last year). We are holding our annual Emerald Isle Auction on February 24th, 2018. Would you be willing to donate an item or gift certificate or make a donation to our school?... Thank you for your support!

- If you cannot procure items, but can pick them up once they are ready, please call Jenne Caudle 202-2391.

## Committee Chair and Co-chair Positions that are still open – Can you help?

	Chair	Co-chair
Reservations/Registration		Chris Szpilka/Kristen Palmer
Food	Deanna Lougee	
Mailing/Thank you	Kellie Wendt	
Set-Up	Tom Kaiserski	
Clean-up/Put away items	Amy Sark	
Auction Night Support	Bill Gowen	
Parking		
Seating		

**Our school needs ALL OF US to make the auction a success**

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