

St Lawrence School
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Newsletter

December 7, 2023

Principally Speaking...

Thank you to Mary Hahn for such a wonderful Christmas Concert! We all enjoyed the musical talents of our Kindergarten, 1st and 3rd grade students! The Christmas Concert always puts me in a festive mood.

This Sunday is the 2nd week of Advent. Advent is such a beautiful time of preparing our hearts for the coming of Christ. Your children are learning all about Advent at school- take them to church this Sunday to experience Advent as a family!

Attention Car Riders: When you exit you MUST turn left down Sturm. This helps keep the flow of traffic moving in the pick-up line.

Please ensure that your children are getting to school on time. Tardies will impact EdChoice!

Please follow our Facebook Page-
St. Lawrence School - Cincinnati, Oh

Thank you for blessing us with your child(ren) each day. Team Eagle!

Mrs. Long
Principal

St. Lawrence Athletics...

Coordinators for Sports:

Volleyball - Carmella Caine

Soccer - Jen Huiet and Ben Hornback

Boys Basketball - Noah Hornback (513-490-4208)

Girls Basketball - Chris Caine (513-276-6681)

Softball/Baseball - Scott Priestly (513-374-2240)

Follow the St. Lawrence Athletic Association on Facebook!

Email for Athletics is: st.lawrenceaa@gmail.com

Saints and Virtues 2023-24

December Saint of the Month - St. Gianna Beretta Molla - St. Gianna teaches us about the virtue of hope. Hope is trusting that God will take care of everything, even when things are difficult. St. Gianna was a doctor in Italy. She used her work as a pediatrician to honor God. She also had 4 children! When St. Gianna was pregnant with her fourth baby, her doctor told her that the pregnancy would be dangerous for her, and that she may even die as a result. There was a way to make the pregnancy less dangerous, but it could mean that her baby would be hurt. St. Gianna chose to risk her life rather than her unborn baby's. She had hope and trusted God to take care of everything, even though it was difficult for her.

Dennise Macedo's new cell phone number is 513-391-0860.

News From the Office...

Holiday Split the Pot! - St. Lawrence will be holding a Holiday Split the Pot from November 21 - December 19. The forms went home on Tuesday, November 21 right before Thanksgiving. Send in the completed tickets **WITH EXACT CHANGE**. Make checks payable to St Lawrence School. Tickets are \$5 each. Winner will be drawn on Tuesday, December 19th at 11:00am. The student who sells the winning ticket will receive a prize as well!

First Friday Shirts - Mrs. Long and Mrs. Goertemoeller purchased shirts for ALL students and staff to be able to wear every First Friday of the school year!

Dresscode - **ABSOLUTELY NO HOODIES ARE ALLOWED TO BE WORN DURING CLASS TIME!!!**

Sweaters/sweatshirts that are allowed to be worn during class time are the crew neck (no hoodie) in gray, red, yellow or black.

****School Shorts can be worn in August, September, April and May ONLY****



Seton:

Shadow at Seton -

Calling all 8th Grade Future Saints! Shadow at Seton and see what the Seton State of Mind is all about! Shadow days are filling quickly, so register online today at www.setoncincinnati.org. Be a "Saint for a Day" and learn about our challenging academics, leadership opportunities, faith formation and standout school spirit!

Mercy McAuley:

Mercy McAuley's Wolves Winter Wonderland is December 9!

Families with little ones are invited to Mercy McAuley's Wolves Winter Wonderland event on Saturday, December 9, from 10 a.m. to Noon! Join us for pictures with Santa, a pancake breakfast, decorating sugar cookies, hot cocoa & coffee, writing letters to Santa, Christmas carols and more! Cost is \$20 per family, and registration is required at www.mercymcauley.org/alumnae/events/wolves-winter-wonderland. This event is recommended for children under the age of 10.

Mercy McAuley's Christmas Concert is December 10!

Let Mercy McAuley's student vocalists and musicians get you in the Christmas spirit at our Sounds of Christmas concert, featuring our Vocal Ensemble and Concert Band/Orchestra! The concert is at 3 pm on Sunday, December 10 in Mercy McAuley's Auditorium, and it is perfect for all ages! Tickets are \$5 at the door. The Spirit Shop will be open from 2 - 3 p.m. before the concert begins.

Mercy McAuley Grade School Basketball Night is December 12!

Mercy McAuley's Grade School Basketball Night is Tuesday, December 12! Grade school festivities begin at 7 p.m., and the Varsity game begins at 7:30 p.m. All future Wolves will receive free admission to the game, plus snacks and giveaways. The Spirit Shop will be open!

Schedule a Shadow Day at Mercy McAuley!

Eighth grade Shadow Days have begun at Mercy McAuley! Mercy McAuley's shadow days are full school days to provide eighth graders with a real day in the life of a Wolf! Eighth graders will be paired with a Student Ambassador for the day and will attend classes, tour the school, meet teachers, students and school leaders, and will experience the school spirit at an activity, assembly or Mass! Eighth graders will also enjoy lunch in the cafeteria, a sample from White Oak Coffee House, and giveaways. Parents are encouraged to stay for coffee and discussion with Mercy McAuley leaders when dropping their daughter off to shadow. Register at www.mercymcauley.org/shadow. (See flyer.)

Admissions Timeline & Important Events for Class of 2028!

Eighth grade families are encouraged to visit www.mercymcauley.org/ClassOf2028 for all of the important details regarding the admissions process – including application deadlines, the link to register for the HSPT, Shadow Day, Open House, and event registrations, and more! (See flyer.)

St. Ursula:

Saint Ursula Academy has many exciting events planned for grade school girls over the next few months! There are multiple opportunities for your daughter to experience the sisterhood of SUA and learn more about our vibrant educational community. There is something for everyone and you are invited to join us for as many events as you would like over the next several weeks.

WALKABOUT WEDNESDAYS - Various Dates through November - Tours for Prospective Families Register [HERE](#)

Elder High School:

Elder Shadow Days –

Current 8th grade students are invited to visit Elder and shadow a current Panther! Shadowing is the best way for a prospective student to experience a day at Elder! There are 13 preferred dates to schedule a shadow day, to schedule your visit go to www.elderhs.org/shadow.

Moeller High School:

Shadow Visit Dates* Pick a date to spend the day at Moeller with a student who shares your interests and successes.

Parent Tours*

The admissions office staff is available to give parent tours –giving you a sneak peek of a typical school day at Moeller.

Friday, December 1

Deadline for the following: Admissions application, financial aid application, named scholarship application, grade school records.

January 17, 2024

Acceptance packets including registration information, financial aid awards and scholarship offers are sent.

*Sign up for a MoeAccess account at Moeller.org. There, you'll find a checklist to keep track of your progress and sign up for shadow visits, the HSPT test and the Moeller Open House.

Around the Community...

My Cincinnati -We are excited to inform you that [MYCincinnati is now enrolling students](#) for the upcoming 2023-2024 school year!

MYCincinnati is a FREE after-school program that uses ensemble-based music as a vehicle for youth development and community engagement. We provide students with a safe and supportive environment where they can explore their creativity and develop their musical skills. Through our program, children receive an instrument and have the opportunity to access intense, high-quality music education from dedicated instructors at no cost.

Our program aligns with the values and goals of St. Lawrence, and we are excited about the possibility of collaborating to enrich the lives of the students.

Please use [this link](#) to enroll! If you are interested in learning more about MYCincinnati or would like to discuss the enrollment process in detail, please do not hesitate to contact us via email at betania@pricehillwill.org

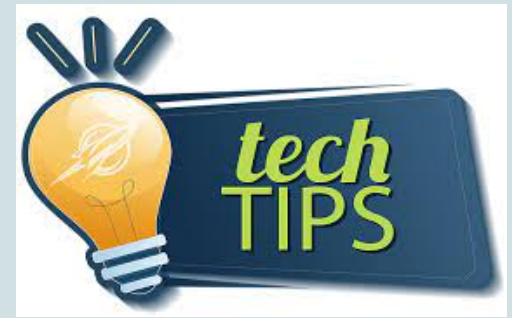
CPS Youth Wrestling - Monday/Wednesday at Hughes High School (2515 Clifton Ave), or Tuesday/Thursday at Shroder High School (5030 Duck Creek Rd). Practice begins the week of November 13th. Time is 6:30-7:30 pm for K-6th grade. Fee is \$10 Visit https://cpsathletics.formstack.com/forms/cps_youth_wrestling_club



Dec 21 - NO SCHOOL - Teacher in Service
Dec 22-Jan 1 - NO SCHOOL Xmas break
Jan 2 - NO SCHOOL - Teacher in Service



ALL PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS MUST TURN IN SHOT RECORDS AND A PHYSICIAN ASSESSMENT FORM. IF YOU HAVE NOT DONE SO PLEASE TURN IN TO SCHOOL OFFICE ASAP.
7th Grade students must show proof of Tdap Vaccine Booster and Meningitis.
If you have any questions regarding Cov-id protocol, you can email our school nurse, Kristi Wilms at wilms@stlawrenceparish.org



Technology Tidbits...

School Website - www.stlpricehill.org
Email Address - school@stlawrenceparish.org
Yearbook email - yearbook@stlawrenceparish.org
DOJO - www.classdojo.com
Digital Academy - www.digitalacademy.org

Facebook Page - <https://www.facebook.com/St-Lawrence-School-Cincinnati-OH-102135592048576>



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Cincinnati, Ohio 45205
(513) 244-6900

Sayler Park

6570 Gracely Dr.
Cincinnati, Ohio 45233
(513) 941-7300

East Kemper Loan Office

7800 East Kemper Rd.#140
Cincinnati, Ohio 45249
(513) 258-0899