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Newsletter

February 8, 2024

Principally Speaking...

This time of year is when we perform our standardized testing so it is crucial that your child(ren) be here if they are not truly sick.

Many of our students will be taking the Ohio English Language Proficiency Assessment (OELPA). Students take this test once a year. And it measures progress in learning the English Language. There are four parts of the test: reading, writing, speaking, and listening. The tests will be given between January 29 - March 22. Please encourage your child to do his/her best on each part of the test. We are excited to see how much each student has learned this year. You will receive a copy of the score report in June. Please call or email if you have any questions about the OELPA.

Please note we call our own delays and snow days! We use St Lawrence East Price Hill. This will be blasted out on Dojo and Digital Academy and on the news stations. It is your responsibility as parents to know whether or not we have school. If you are unsure, call the main office

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

Our January Students of the Month are Maykel, Alexa, Astrid, Ricardo, Danny, Dulce, Gareth, Benito, Neymar, Marilin, Ilmer, Lydia, Adamaris, Daniella, Sophia, Eric and Jeserson:





February Saint of the Month is St. Angela Merici. St. Angela Merici was an Italian religious leader who founded the Ursuline Order, a religious order of nuns. She was born in 1474 in Desenzano del Garda, a small town in northern Italy. She was the oldest of six children, and her parents died when she was a teenager. Her uncle, a priest, raised her, and she was deeply religious from a young age. St. Angela Merici was a trailblazer for young girls. At a time when it was not common for girls to attend school, St. Angela Merici created a school for girls that is still going strong to this day.

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

News From the Office...

PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE - Sunday, March 3, 2024

Transportation Changes - REMINDER - all transportation changes MUST be called in before 2:15pm

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****

2024-25 School Year Re-registration starts today, February 1, 2024. We have included instructions for re-registering in Digital Academy in the student's Yellow envelopes along with the 2024-25 EdChoice Renewal forms. Please be sure to check Yellow Envelopes each week! There is also a QR you can scan that will get you to the re-registration in Digital Academy. If you have forgotten your login and password, please call the office for help. Each parent MUST have a working email for Digital Academy.

EdChoice Renewals - Please send in the EdChoice Renewal form WITH proof of address!!

Inclement Weather - For school closings/delays please look on Channel 5, 9, 12, and 19 News. Our school will be listed SEPARATE as **St. Lawrence - East Price Hill**. If we are on a 2 hour delay, school will start at 10:00am. Doors will not open until 9:45am. THERE IS NO BREAKFAST AND NO MORNING BUSES SERVICE.

STUDENTS WHO RIDE THE BUS - IF CINCINNATI PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED, BUT WE ARE STILL OPEN, THERE WILL BE NO BUS SERVICE AT ALL THAT DAY. Please make sure you have other arrangements made for transportation to and from school for these days. You need to make every effort to get your child(ren) to school.

Testing...

Each school year, we conduct standardized testing which is crucial to evaluating performance for each student in each grade. Testing is conducted beginning in January of the current school year. IT IS CRUCIAL THAT STUDENTS ARE PRESENT ON THESE TESTING DAYS AND THAT THEY ARE WELL RESTED AND HAVE EATEN BREAKFAST. Please ensure that your child(ren) is present especially on these days (unless they are sick). The dates and tests are as follows:

January 24 - Winter MAP Math (kindergarten - 8th)

February 7, 8, 21, 22, 29 and March 6 - OELPA Listening/Reading (all grades)

May 1, 8 - Spring MAP Testing - Reading and Math (Kindergarten - 8th)



Seton:

Mercy McAuley:

St. Ursula:

Elder High School:

Moeller High School:

Around the Community...

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

Eagles Youth Girls Lacrosse Program - Registration is now open for the 2024 spring season!! Now in it's 8th season, Eagles Youth Lacrosse is a non-profit youth lacrosse program located in Cincinnati, Ohio. Their focus is development and instruction of girls lacrosse players in grades K-6 residing in the City of Cincinnati. Teams at K-2, 3-4 and 5-6 grade levels! Development over results! Welcoming/inclusive/fun environment! Sportsmanship!

To register for the 2024 spring season, please click the link below:

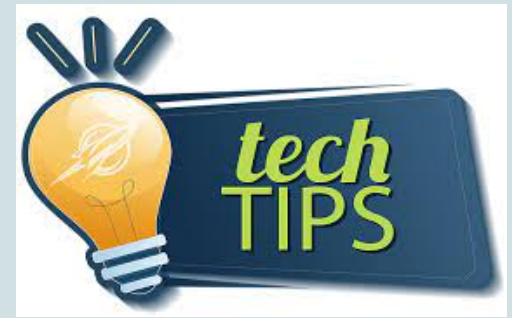
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Feb 9 - NO SCHOOL (Teacher in-Service)
 Feb 19 - NO SCHOOL Presidents Day
 Feb 21, 22 - OELPA Reading Testing - Please be present and well rested
 Mar 3 - PreK Open House
 Mar 6 - OELPA Writing testing - Please be present and well rested!
 Mar 21 - 7th/8th Confirmation 7pm



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 45233
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East Kemper Loan Office

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 Cincinnati, Ohio 45249
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