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Newsletter

November 14, 2024

Principally Speaking...

Today marks the end of Trimester 1 already! Report Cards will go home next Thursday in Yellow Envelopes.

As the weather gets cooler and students start wearing uniform approved crew neck sweatshirts or sweaters, please make sure to put the child's name on their sweatshirts, sweaters so if they take them off, we can get them back to you!

Ask your child if they have been a Saint yet? We have so many students that are impressing us with their kindness and friendships. Please ask them what they are doing to be a Saint!

A reminder: at dismissal, students are not permitted to walk down Carson without an adult with them.

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.lawrencea@qmail.com

Saints and Virtues 2024-25

November Saint of the Month is St. Mother Marie Alphonsine. She teaches us the value of Humility. Marie Alphonsine was very humble and loved to pray the rosary. The Virgin Mary started to appear to Marie Alphonsine. For four years, Our Lady would appear to the young nun and ask her to start a new order of nuns devoted to the rosary. She only told her friend, a priest, about these meetings with Mary. Together he and Marie Alphonsine began the Congregation of the Rosary Sisters. For the rest of her life, Mother Marie Alphonsine continued to teach young women in schools, churches, and orphanages.

Be on the lookout for the November Students of the Month for November coming soon!

Elder 1st Quarter Honor Roll - St Lawence Alumni:

First M. Last	Honors Level	Grade
Jeffrey D. Calles-Angel	First Honors	11
Jeserson J. Hernandez-Ixcoy	First Honors	9
Adam L. Lageman	First Honors	9
Wilfredo A. Lopez-Marroquin	First Honors	12
Leonardo M. Mendez-Gonzalez	First Honors	9
Wisin K. Ramos-Morales	First Honors	9
Asher Y. Roblero-Morales	First Honors	9
Eric S. Tharp	First Honors	9
Modesto Berduo-Aguilar	Second Honors	11
Steven C. Dattilo	Second Honors	11
Shane J. Perez-Morales	Second Honors	10
Brayan D. Perez-Vazquez	Second Honors	11

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

News From the Office...

NEW UNIFORM - The current School Uniform Skirts and Jumpers for our female students are discontinued. Therefore, we have chosen a new pattern for the skirts and jumpers. So girls who are currently in grades K - 7 will be fitted for skirts/jumpers in the new design from School belles. Kindergarten through 3rd grade girls wear the Jumper. 4th - 8th grade girls wear the skirt. Girls may also wear the khaki or black pants as their uniform. If they want to wear the Jumper or Skirt, they need to be fitted for the correct size. 8th grade girls ARE NOT required to purchase the new uniform. The location is 1751 Monmouth St, Newport, KY 41071

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

Dresscode - <u>ABSOLUTELY NO HOODIES ARE ALLOWED TO BE WORN DURING CLASS</u> TIMFIII

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

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.

2025-2026 REGISTRATION - Although we are only a few months into the current school year, it's not too early to plan ahead for next school year! Our Re-registration of existing students, and new students of existing families starts January 6, 2025. Open Registration for new families starts on January 27, 2025. The Registration fee is \$100/student, no more than \$300/family.

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).



Seton:

LAST CALL to Shadow at Seton!! Seton's final Shadow Day is coming up on Friday, November 15! Future Saints in the 8th grade will see a snapshot of the Seton experience from our strong academics and competitive athletics to our faith-filled community and leadership opportunities! Register online at https://setoncincinnati.org/future-saints/plan-your-shadow-visit/.

Mercy McAuley:

November 23 is an important date for all 8th graders applying for admission to Mercy McAuley!



St. Ursula: SHADOW DAYS - now through December 5 - Spend a day at SUA and shadow a current student through classes, breaks, lunch, and activities. Meet current students and teachers and see the authentic sisterhood in person (for 8th grade girls).

Theater Preview Night - November 20 - Dinner at 6:00pm, Show at 7:00pm - The Saint Ursula Academy Theatre Department would like to invite 7th and 8th grade girls and a guest (parent, guardian, friend!) to attend the dress rehearsal of our fall musical: The Little Mermaid on November 20 at 7:00 pm! A pasta bar will be available in our Keller Student Center from 6 - 6:45 pm. Register at https://saintursulaevents.com/theater-preview-night/

<u>December 5 - Showcase Night - This program for 6th, 7th and 8th grade girls and parents will showcase the many features and benefits of a Saint Ursula education. Get inside information on academic programs, our mission, and student life.</u>

December 7 - Winter Wellness Day - 8th grade girls are invited to join us for our Winter Wellness Day at SUA! It's going to be a fun-filled morning where we focus on self-care and relaxation during the winter months. Register at https://saintursulaevents.com/winter-wellness/

St. Ursuline Academy:

Dive into a day at Ursuline through one of our fall Shadow Days and see what life is like as a Lion! Join a current student, explore your future classrooms, and experience the spirit that makes our community so special!

What to expect during your shadow day

I'm so excited to be your guide for the day, and I can't wait to show you what makes Ursuline such an awesome place. Here's how your day will unfold: 7:30 a.m. - Check-in: You'll arrive at UA's Rotunda, where we'll meet up and get everything set for the day. It's also where your parents can join a welcome and info. session at 7:45 a.m., followed by an optional campus tour:

Morning: We'll kick off the day in my homeroom, where we'll start with a prayer and listen to any important announcements. After that, we'll dive right into my morning classes. You'll get to see how Ursuline's academics challenge us, with hands-on learning and supportive teachers who really help us thrive. Whether it's in science, art, or a language class, you'll experience what it's like to be a student here and see how our learning environment encourages growth and creativity. On my free mod, you'll help me choose where to go next, freedom I enjoy every day as an Ursuline student.

Lunch: You'll get a voucher for a free lunch in the UA Café, with lots of options from hot meals to grab-and-go items. If you prefer, you can bring your own lunch instead. We'll sit down with some of my friends, and it's a great time to ask any questions or just chat about what you've seen so far. Afternoon Exploration: After lunch, we'll head to more classes and maybe visit some cool spots around campus—like the art studio, science labs, or the gym. If you're into any specific clubs or activities, I'll make sure you get a glimpse of what's available.

2:45 p.m. — Pick-up: Our day wraps up back at the Rotunda, where your parents will pick you up. You'll leave with a sense of what it's like to be part of the Ursuline family, and hopefully, some excitement about the possibilities ahead!

Why Shadow Days Matter: Spending a day at Ursuline is the best way to experience our community firsthand. You'll see how our values of academic excellence, leadership, and service shape everything we do. Plus, you'll meet students and teachers who genuinely care about your success and happiness. It's more than just a day — it's your chance to envision your future here.

Mount Notre Dame - Billiart Information Night

November 19 | 6:30 PM Virtual Learn more about Mount Notre Dame's Billiart Scholar Program. Join Mr. Ben Hunt, Assistant Principal for Academic Development, and a student panel who will provide an overview and speak about their experiences in the program.

Schedule Your Shadow Day! Nearly 400 eighth grade girls have already scheduled their Shadow Day with us! Be sure to check your calendar and secure a day that works for you. Registration is available within your MyMND account. Below are our 2024-2025 Shadow Days: NOV: 4, 5, 11, 15, 21, DEC: 3, 5, 6, JAN: 13, 24

Application for Admission - It is time to submit your Application for Admission for the Class of 2029! Applications must be submitted by November 25 for full scholarship consideration. If you already have a MyMND account, simply log in to access the Application for Admission listed in your MyMND checklist. Otherwise, please create your MyMND account now to get started.

FACTS Application - FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment, a third party agent, evaluates all applications and establishes each family's financial need. MND uses the FACTS information to determine tuition grant amounts for qualifying families. A FACTS Grant and Aid Form must be completed by November 25 to be eligible for Mount Notre Dame Tuition Assistance.

Elder High School:





St. Xavier - St. Xavier Open House is Sunday, November 17 from 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Register today! Shadowing

Our brochures and website are great, but there only provide a quick snapshot of what our daily life is all about. The best way to know St. Xavier is to experience it in person with a member of our Ambassadors of Xcellence. Walk out campus, hear us pray together, and experience the freedom of choice our schedule provides. Our goal is for you to leave with a better understanding of the Jesuit spirit and enthusiasm at St. X and for you to begin to see the advantage of a St. Xavier education.

We encourage all students interested in St. Xavier to schedule an Xperience Day visit. This is the best way to see the "day in the life" of a St. Xavier student.

Shadow Days will being September 4 and will be available through December.

The visit will begin at 8:30 a.m. and will conclude at 2:30 pm. Please see details on the registration page.

Our dress code is simple: comfortable and appropriate shirts, typically a polo or collared shirt and khaki shorts or slacks contingent on the weather. Most Fridays are spirit wear days, and students may wear relaxed shorts or sweatpants and St. X spirit wear. We will give each student a shirt to wear on those days.

In the event of a cancellation due to weather or unforeseen causes, our admissions team will reach out if there is a need to reschedule an Xperience Day.

Students should be dropped off at the main entrance (the doors behind the statue of St. Francis Xavier). An admissions representative and XACT team member will meet the prospective student and his family there. The easiest place to pick up students is at that location as well. We invite parents to come for a Parent Coffee in which you will meet with a St. Xavier faculty or staff member for an information session. This is a great way to learn more about St. X and ask any questions you need to be answered. Additionally, parents will have the opportunity to tour the school. Parents can expect the information session and tour to last until approximately 10:30 a.m. Please know that you can stay for as little or as much of the Coffee as you would like. Parking is available outside the main entrance, in the front of the statue of St. Francis Xavier. Click HERE to register for shadowing.

Roger Bacon High School: Shadowing - Shadowing at Roger Bacon gives future Spartans an opportunity to see what a normal day look like by exploring classes, meeting students and teachers, and learning more about extracurricular activities. After spending the day with us, you'll already feel like part of our RB family.

Shadows will experience a school day with one of our students from 8:30-1:45 pm. At the end of the day, shadows will have the opportunity to tour the school and talk to students and admissions staff.

DePaul Cristo Rey -

DePaul Cristo Rey High School invites eighth graders to "shadow" and immerse themselves in a typical high school day for our students. Registration is now open for the following Shadow Day options:

November 19, or 20

December 3, 5, 11, or 12

All Shadow Days are 7:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

You must register in advance.

Please contact the Admissions Office at 513.861.0600

or email our Admissions Team.

Purcell Marian - 8TH GRADE SHADOW VISITS - Tuesdays and Thursdays - September 17-December 5

HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST The Archdiocese of Cincinnati will administer the High School Placement Test (HSPT) at Purcell Marian High School on Saturday, November 23, 2024. The HSPT is required for admission to Purcell Marian. Saturday, November 23 • 7:45 am Registration closes Wednesday, November 20

Youth Group...

Around the Community...

Cincinnati Tennis Foundation will be moving indoors to Walnut Hills and Academy of World Languages again this winter. Please see details below for opportunities to play tennis and pickleball. Free programs monthly and scholarships available for all programs. Find the Family Scholarship Application link

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Try Tennis Cincinnati - Free Play Days -

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Weekly Classes for Players 7 and under -

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Weekly Classes for Players 8-10 here

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Pickleball - Beginners

Try Pickle Cincinnati - Free Play Days

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Weekly Classes, Games, and Supervised Open Play for Players 8-17 -

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Adaptive Tennis -

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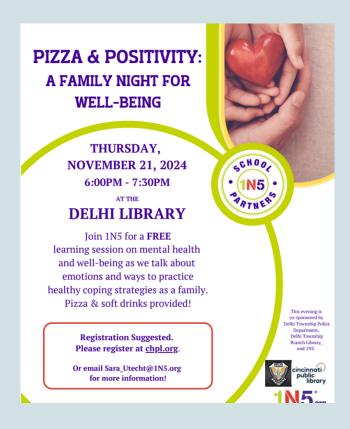
Please reach out to nikki@cincytf.org for any questions about registrations or scholarships.

CPS Athletics and CPS Varsity/Youth Wrestling Coaches would like to gather the interest level from families across the district regarding a youth wrestling program for the 24-25 school year - This opportunity would be for grades K-6th. Please check out details below and if interested, click the link below! WHAT: CPS Youth Wrestling Program WHEN: Tuesday/Thursday @ Walnut Hills High School - 1515 Johnathan Ave. Cincinnati, Ohio 45207 DATE: Practices begins the week of November 11th --- The season will conclude in February. TIME: 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm WHO: K- 6th Grade FEE: \$40 *Financial Scholarships are available to those who qualify.

INTEREST FORM - CLICK HERE:

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Nov 14 - End of 1st Trimester Nov. 21 - Report Cards sent home Jan 15 - 11:30 Early Dismissal Mar 26 - 11:30 Early Dismissal Apr 9 - 11:30 Early Dismissal

May 7 - 11:30 Early Dismissal



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 Covid 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 -

<u>yearbook@stlawrenceparish.org</u>
DOJO - <u>www.classdoio.com</u>

Digital Academy - www.digitalacademy.org

Facebook Page -

https://www.facebook.com/St-Lawrence-School-Cincinnati-OH-102135592048576



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