



Sacred Heart Catholic School

Gervais

Sacred Heart Newsletter – October 9, 2019

SHINE WITH THE LIGHT OF JESUS



October

- 10 **NO Bus**
- 11 **NO SCHOOL-Teacher In-service Day**
- 14 **NO SCHOOL-Accreditation Workday**
- 16 8:15 AM Picture Retakes
9:00 AM Rosary 6/7/8
- 17 Box Top Collection Day
6:00 PM SAC
- 18 8:15 AM Mass
- 20 Parish Potluck after 10 AM Mass

October

- 23 9:00 AM Rosary 3/4/5
12:15 PM Pk-2 Pumpkin Patch Field Trip
- 25 8:15 AM Mass
- 30 Free Dress Day
9:00 AM Rosary K/1/2

November

- 1 8:15 AM Mass-All Saints Day Holy Day of Obligation
1:15 PM All Saints Carnival

Wednesday Bus: There is **NO Afternoon bus** on Wednesdays. We release at 2:00 PM on Wednesdays. We ask all parents to pick up their children by 2:05 PM.

Background check/CASE Training: As we do every year at this time we would like to remind **all school volunteers** that they must have a current background check with the Archdiocese. These background checks are valid for three years and then must be renewed. **The cost for processing the background check is \$15.00. All school volunteers and employees also must complete the CASE (Creating a Safe Environment) training.** Here is a list of trainings in our area.

October 8	6:30 PM	St. Patrick, Canby contact Sara 503-263-1290
October 9	10:00 AM	St. Mary, Mt. Angel contact Cristo at 503-845-2296
October 17	6:30 PM	St. Mary, Mt. Angel contact Cristo at 503-845-2296
October 20	1:00 PM	Sacred Heart Parish Youth Room contact Katie Phelan 503-792-4231
October 20	2:00 PM	St. Mary, Mt. Angel contact Cristo at 203-845-2296 (SPANISH)

Please let the contact person know if you will be able to attend. If you attend a session that is not at Sacred Heart Parish/School, please, bring a certificate to Mrs. Schnurbusch so that she may update her records.

Hot Lunch Program:

- October 16 Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Veggies, and Dessert
Laura Miller, Michelle Salinas, Laura Savage
- October 23 Chicken Nuggets, Fries, Fruit, and Dessert
Brittney Kuschnick, Mandi Van Dyke, Annie Sanchez
- October 30 Chicken Sandwiches, Fries, Fruit, and Dessert
Laura Miller, Rita Gonzalez, Annie Sanchez

Please arrive at 10 AM to help. If you cannot work your shift please let Laura know (503-551-5761).

Parent/Student Handbook – School Directory: Please sign and return the Signature Page to acknowledge that you have read, understand and agree to follow the school policies by October 10.

Picture Re-take Day: We will have Picture Re-take day on Wednesday, October 16, at 8:15 AM. You may order photos online at www.chphoto.com or request a form from the school office. To order online, login and create an account if you do not have one. Enter the code for our school: SacredHeart19MKUP. Print the receipt and submit it to the photographer on picture re-take day.

Annual Appeal: We are in the process of updating our Annual Appeal addresses. We are especially looking for alumni who have recently graduated from high school or college. If you have addresses for alumni, please, send an email to shssecretary@shstl.org.

All Saints Day: Friday, November 1, is a Holy Day of Obligation. We will begin our day with Mass at 8:15 AM. We ask all our students to come dressed as their favorite Saint. We will end the day with the All Saints Carnival from 1:15 PM to 2:45 PM in the gym. We ask each family to bring one or two bags of candy or small toys (pencils, stickers, etc.) to the school office before Thursday, November 1, so it can be used at the carnival. Set up for the carnival will be at 11 AM. If you would like to help please call Georgia Parras at 503-951-8811. We need at least 3 more parents to help!

Pumpkin Decorating Contest: Our Annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest is coming! Carved, painted, or decorated with sparkles and paper! Students may bring their pumpkins to school on October 31 to be judged! They will need to go home the same day!

Scrip: You may purchase scrip from the school office Monday-Friday 7 AM to 3 PM or on Sundays after the 8 AM Mass at St. Louis or the 10 AM Mass at Sacred Heart. The scrip form is available on our website <http://www.shstl.org/scrip> or you may purchase scrip at www.shopwithscrip.com. Scrip is also available on your smart phone by using the Benefit Mobile App. To find out more or download the app visit www.benefit-mobile.com

Emergency Kits: We ask that all our students have Emergency Kits in the school building. These kits would help us care for your children in an emergency until you can arrive to collect them. The Emergency Kit is part of our school supply list. If your child does not have an Emergency Kit at the school, please, deliver one to your child's teacher as soon as possible. Thank you!

Lost & Found: Our Lost & Found will be in the uniform closet in a tub marked "Lost & Found". If your child has lost a clothing item, please, check there. If items have not been picked up from the "Lost & Found" by the 1st of the month they will be disposed of. **PLEASE put your child's name on all jackets, sweaters and sweatshirts.**

Sacred Heart Catholic School, a mission of Sacred Heart-St. Louis Parish, forms children in knowledge, virtue and the spiritual life in a safe and positive educational environment that they may develop into disciples of Jesus Christ.

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Photos are available on our school website <https://school.shstl.org/> and on our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartgervais/>

Around Our Community

- Blanchet Catholic School** will be holding their annual "True Blue Gala" on Saturday, October 12. If you would like to donate or attend, go to <http://www.blanchetcatholicsschool.com/auction/>
- Free Halloween Costume Giveaway:** Kids can pick out a free costume on Saturday, October 19, from 12:00 PM until 2:00 PM at Gervais City Hall. Kids are encouraged to bring costumes they have outgrown to exchange.
- Gervais Senior Class** is selling Poinsettias. Contact any Gervais Senior Class Parent (Ismael & Rebecca Vasquez or Jose & Agnes Ruiz)

Chapel Hour Available: There is an opening in the Adoration Chapel for an adorer on Fridays from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM. This would be a perfect time for a parent who is picking up children from school. Contact Sandi Belleque at slbdre@icloud.com or Carol Kuschnick at 503-792-4419 if you are willing take this time.



