

CTK CRUSADER CHATTER

8/19/19

Thanks to everyone who came out to the first Home and School Association meeting (HASA) this past Thursday night. We had a great turnout and it looks like it's going to be a good year. Also, thanks to those 1st – 7th grade parents for attending Orientation. It is so important for parents to meet the teachers and get an overview of the year to come.



That's right - it's time to take student id pictures. Please remember that students must meet all CTK guidelines in order to have their pictures taken on Tuesday, August 20, 2019. Students must be in full uniform, with hair neat and natural color.

We hope to see everyone out at Skate Country Westbank on Wednesday, August 21, 2019, from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. The Men's Club is sponsoring this night out for the CTK family, with admission only \$5 (including skates). If we have 100 skaters representing CTK, all proceeds will come back to the school. So, let's skate!

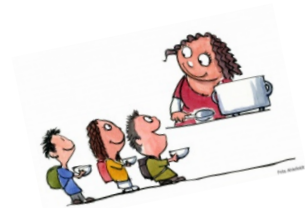


SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

As most of you are already aware, the Archdiocese of New Orleans requires that anyone teaching, volunteering, chaperoning field trips, etc. with our students must attend an Archdiocese Seminar and complete the online registration. There is no cost for the certification. The following are upcoming Westbank seminars:

Tuesday, August 20, 2019	St. Cletus Cafeteria	6:30 p.m.
Monday, August 26, 2019	St. Joseph the Worker	6:30 p.m.

The Safe Environment Training Certificate is valid for a three (3) year period. If you have previously attended the seminar and are up for renewal, you are now able to renew online at <https://safeandsacred-nola.org>. Anyone who is unsure as to his/her renewal status, please contact Miss Lanell at (504) 361-5225.



A few reminders about the cafeteria. No outside food is allowed in the cafeteria. Any food brought in must be rewrapped. Also, no sodas are allowed as per Archdiocese Food Services. Some lunch packs (Lunchables, etc.) contain sodas, so make sure the sodas are removed from the pack prior to sending them to school.

Many parents have asked when the cafeteria will be ready for them to join students for lunch. We will let you now as soon as the cafeteria gives us the okay.

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PARENTS - PLEASE label all clothing, lunch kits, etc. with student name. We pick up so many things at the end of the day and have no way of knowing who these things belong to. Some of these items are expensive and we know that parents would appreciate getting them back. Help us out.

Another note: Skobel's Uniforms will **NO LONGER** stock our official school shoe. You can find the shoes at Shoe Carnival, Academy, and online.

ATTENTION: PLEASE DO NOT CUT IN LINE AT CARPOOL. BE CONSIDERATE OF OTHER PARENTS WHO HAVE BEEN IN LINE AND ARE WAITING PATIENTLY. CARPOOL WILL END WHEN THE LAST CAR COMES IN - NO SPECIFIC TIME. REMEMBER THAT NO CELL PHONE USAGE IS ALLOWED ON SCHOOL GROUNDS.



The Saints Tickets Raffle sponsored by the Men's Club is in full swing. Tickets have gone home with students and we have already had requests for additional tickets. A flyer is attached giving all of the details, so let's sell, sell, sell, and earn money for the Men's Club and for CTK.



Once again, we want to encourage all of you to sign up for Shoparoo. This is a quick, free app that gives back money to CTK. Just download the app on your phone and follow the directions. If you need any help, please give Mrs. Conefry a call (504) 361-5225).

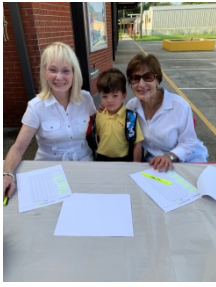


Guess what? There are even more ways to earn money for CTK! Box Tops for Education is now as easy as Shoparoo. Just download the Box Tops for Education app on your phone and get started. It is no longer necessary to cut off the Box Top symbol if you scan your receipt and follow the directions. Mrs. Conefry is always available to help you if you have any trouble getting started. **BONUS: NOW THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, SAM'S CLUB IS AWARDING AN ADDITIONAL 12 BOX TOPS FOR EACH BOX TOP ELIGIBLE ITEM YOU PURCHASE, SO PLEASE START SCANNING THOSE RECEIPTS. CHECK FOR ADDITIONAL BONUS RETAILERS.**

Well, all of our students have now begun the 2019.2020 school year and here are a few pictures from PK1 – K.



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Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for the Back to School Ice Cream Social. Everyone enjoyed it so much.



THIS WEEK:

Tuesday, August 20, 2019 – School pictures (must be in full uniform)

Wednesday, August 21, 2019 – CTK Back to School Skate Party; Skate Country Westbank; 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.; \$5 general admission

COMING UP:

Monday, September 2, 2019; SCHOOL HOLIDAY

Wednesday, September 4, 2019; CANE'S CHICKEN NIGHT