

October 4, 2019

Dear ASA Families,

ASA Spirit Wear

Fall Spirit Wear is now available through Screen Ideas! Please [see this flyer for details](#). Extra order forms can be found in the school offices. Orders must be turned in to either office by October 25. Orders will be delivered to the school as they are ready. Please make checks payable to Screen Ideas. Spirit wear is perfect for our Friday spirit days and holiday gift giving!

Looking for Substitute Teachers

Do you like working with children? Would you like to be paid to work only when you want to? ASA is seeking substitute teachers at all grade levels (toddlers through 8th grade). Candidates must have 60 college credit hours and patience with children. If you are interested, please contact Michael Debri, 447-2997, or mdebri@asagr.org.

Dining to Donate - Save the Date! October 17

Thanks to all who joined us for our fundraiser at Chuck E. Cheese. We earned \$415.76 for our Home & School events! Our next Dining to Donate event will be Thursday, October 17, at On the Border near Woodland Mall. Invite your friends and family or plan a night out and help earn money for All Saints Academy.

Reminder - Clip and Scan Box Tops in October

Our Box Tops 4 Education contest has begun!

What to do?

- Download the Box Tops for Education app and scan your receipt every time you shop. You can do this all year long.
- Clip box tops with an expiration date of 11/1/19 or later, and DO NOT have the word SCAN on them.
- Put clipped box tops in an envelope or baggie, or [affix them to this collection sheet](#) and send them to school before 10/30/19.

The contest runs between October 1 and Wednesday, October 30th. ***All clipped box tops must be turned in by October 30th.***

Here are the award levels:

Level 1 - 4,000 Box Tops (approx. 20/student) - Color Day

Level 2 - 5,000 Box Tops (approx. 25/student) - Hat Day

Level 3 - 6,000 Box Tops (approx. 30/student) - Movie

Level 4 - 7,000 Box Tops (approx 35/student) - Movie with Popcorn

Our next collection month is February - but you can keep scanning the box tops with the app all year long!

Reminder - It's Book Fair Time Again!

The Elementary fair will run October 7-11, and the Middle School fair will be October 28-31.

New for Book Fair this year: eWallet! [Parents can set up an eWallet account for their elementary child here.](#) (The middle school link will be published prior to the MS book fair. Accounts are only linked to one school.) eWallet is a great alternative to cash, and is safe and secure. It is easy to set a spending limit for your child with eWallet. The funds are available immediately, and any unused funds are returned to your credit card!

Also new this year: the Scholastic Store! There are over 6000 items available! And our school still earns rewards! [Click here to start shopping.](#)

All Saints Academy has done exceptionally well with our Book Fairs in the past few years. In the last two years, your purchases have given us rewards to purchase hundreds of new books for both ASA libraries!

Volunteers! Finally, we are looking for volunteers to help this event run smoothly. Volunteers will assist students in selecting and purchasing books. All volunteers must have submitted the proper ASA paperwork and have completed a VIRTUS session. (Please contact either school office if you need more information.) [If you are interested in volunteering, please sign up here.](#)

Employment Opportunity

All Saints Academy is seeking a fun-loving adult to join our Early Childhood Team as an Early Childhood Assistant. We are in need of someone Monday through Friday, from 2:30 PM to 5:30 PM. This school calendar position may require working on non-school days including snow days. The option of summer employment would also be available if desired. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age. Interested Candidates Should email Beckie Patterson - bpatterson@asagr.org.

Reminder ASA Parent Night Out - Fowling

Join ASA Parents for fun at the Fowling Warehouse on October 11th, 9-11 pm. What is fowling? Fowling is a game that combines the football and bowling into one sport with a layout similar to horseshoes and cornhole. It's \$12 to fowl or free to come and hang out. [Please complete this RSVP form if you plan to play](#). Space is limited, so don't delay signing up. Money is due at the time of signup to reserve your spot.

Reminder - Last Call for Winter Sports Registration!

Today, Friday, October 4, is the final day to register for winter sports! We will be offering the following:

Winter I Boys Basketball, Girls Competitive Cheer

Winter II (Jan-March): Girls Basketball, Boys Wrestling

[All registrations must be submitted by using the online form](#). Please remember your child must have a valid sports physical and consent form on file in the school office prior to any participation in practices or games. A valid sports physical is one that has been completed after April 15, 2019. [The sports physical forms can be found here](#).

Reminder - Middle School Office Communications - One Email Address

If you need to contact the middle school office for any reason, including reporting absences or early pick ups, you can now use **one email address: msoffice@asagr.org**. Messages sent to this address will reach both Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Szczytko. Just a reminder, please do not report absences or early pick ups to teachers.

Kids are Using Google Docs for More Than Just Book Reports

Many parents are familiar with Google Docs, Google's online word processing app. It's become a staple of the workplace — easily shareable, great for collaboration, and with a fool-proof autosave feature. For these same reasons, Google Docs has also become popular in schools, with many children using it for schoolwork, homework assignments, and even group projects. But kids are incredibly inventive, and they've managed to turn Google Docs into a de facto communication and social media hub. Confused? [Bark will break it down for you](#). This is why [ASA recommends parents sign up for free Family Alerts](#) through ASA - especially during Summer and other breaks.

Please follow ASA on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

Upcoming Dates

Monday, Oct 7

Elementary Book Fair

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

Tuesday, Oct 8

Elementary Book Fair

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

Wednesday, Oct 9

Elementary Book Fair

10:30 am Elementary (K-3) Mass, Blessed Sacrament Church

3:30-4:25 pm Middle School Jazz Band, Thaddeus Center

6:30 pm Board of Directors Meeting, Middle School

Thursday, October 10

Elementary Book Fair

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

8:30 am Middle School Mass, St. Jude Church

Friday, October 11

Elementary Book Fair

Spirit Day

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

8:00 am Middle School Rosary, Gym

8:15 am Elementary Rosary, Gym

9:00 pm Parents Night Out, Fowling Warehouse

Monday, October 14

Columbus Day

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

Tuesday, October 15

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

6:30 pm Home and School Meeting, MS Holy Family Learning Center

7:00 pm Blessed Sacrament and St. Alphonsus Confirmation, Cathedral of St. Andrew

Wednesday, October 16

10:30 am Elementary (K-3) Mass, Blessed Sacrament Church

3:30-4:25 pm Middle School Jazz Band, Thaddeus Center

Thursday, October 17

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

8:30 am Middle School Mass, St. Jude Church

Friday, October 18

\$1 Jeans Day for HELP Pregnancy

7:40 am Early Birds, Elementary Rm 109

8:15 am Elementary Rosary, Gym

God Bless,

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The Vision of All Saints Academy is to provide a transformative education that is grounded in the Catholic faith. Guided by the Holy Spirit, this education meets the needs of individual learners, preparing them to make a positive impact on others.

The ASA Sponsor/Community Partner of the week is: Bostwick Bakery



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