

St. Ann School

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Wednesday Memo

Lunch supervision volunteers must arrive by 11:15 AM.

Total for 8 Lunches for June: \$23.20

Monday, June 8	Breaded Chicken Patty
Supervision	Langenohl, Pigarelli
Tuesday, June 9	Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza
Supervision	Sorensen, Wahlin
Wednesday, June 10	LAST DAY OF CLASSES!
	Ham & Turkey Subs
Supervision	Pigarelli, Lisa Clark



St. Ann School Color Run Update

As a reminder, the Color Run will take place Monday, June 8, at 1:45 PM, and all students are invited to participate. **The participation fee will be \$5.00, and that money should be turned into the office no later than Friday, June 5.** Checks should be made out to St. Ann School. Students participating should wear a white short sleeved T-shirt (that will be end up being stained with color) along with an old pair of shorts or pants. All participants should bring a pair of sunglasses, swim goggles or can borrow science goggles if we have enough.

If your child does not wish to participate, he/she may throw the color or can watch.

We are looking for parents to donate a container of corn starch and/or food coloring so that we can make the powder ourselves to save on costs. If you are interested in providing these items, please bring them to Ms. Demeter in the science lab no later than June 3.

Reminder: IMPORTANT CALENDAR CHANGE



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Due to the fact that we had only one snow day this winter, we will not have school on Thursday, June 11, which was scheduled to be a half day. **Our last day of school will be Wednesday, June 10 and will be a full day of school.** **There will be All School Mass on that Wednesday, June 10 at 8:10 AM.** Graduation Mass and celebration will be on Thursday, June 11 as scheduled, at 6:30 PM.

Bird Sitter Needed

If anyone would like to take our kindergarten cockatiel, Angel Bird, over the summer, and also the frogs to keep or let go in a pond, please contact Mrs. McGuire, cyndi.mcguire@stanns-school.org



Msgr. Healy Scholarship Matching Funds Opportunity

We are currently at \$10,425. Many thanks to all the generous donors. Our goal is \$13,000. Please consider making a donation to this scholarship fund to assist families who wish to send their children to St. Ann School.

Mandatory Book Fee was due June 1

As a reminder, all tuition for the 2014-15 school year was due and payable by Friday, May 15. **The 2015-16 Mandatory Book Fee of \$350/student in grades K-8 was due June 1.** Please contact the school office if you wish to make payments over the summer. If you are interested in paying tuition for the 2015-16 school year by electronic funds transfer, please let me know as soon as possible. We have plans for 12 monthly payments or 10 monthly payments.



From the Desk of the Principal

A Year Rooted and Grounded in Love

This being the official final newsletter of the school year, I want to take the time to express my gratitude to everyone who has made this school year wonderful. Living in my own world in the computer lab, I never really took a larger look at how everyone truly works together at St. Ann's. I knew this year would be full of challenges and new experiences, and therefore I so appreciate the patience that the teachers and staff practiced on a daily basis. I can say with the utmost confidence that every individual in this building puts the well-being of your children first and foremost. I can't count the number of times I had to come to the staff asking for accommodations for our students whether it involved schedule conflicts or activities, and each time the staff willingly adjusted their plans to meet those needs. In addition, I met with the teachers a number of times individually to talk about the learning needs of various students, and together we were able to create a plan to help those students. In addition to our own staff, I appreciate the numerous individuals from the Stoughton Public School District who worked closely with our staff to help raise student achievement. I am looking forward to continuing our partnership next year.

Finally, this letter would not be complete without my expression of gratitude to the families at St. Ann's. I have always enjoyed teaching and being a part of the students' successes and growth; however, this year I have had a wonderful opportunity to watch our kids from a whole new perspective. I have witnessed the love and respect that they show to each other every day. I have watched them as they prayed the Chaplet of Divine Mercy for a student's grandparent or participated in Adoration of the Holy Eucharist or sang in the choir at Friday Mass. Their love of Christ and respect for each other has truly been an inspiration for me. Watching them gives me the hope and confidence of knowing that those roots of faith that we so often stress are imperative in our children's long term faith development are being planted at St. Ann's. In his letter to the Ephesians, St. Paul expresses what we want most for our children: "that he may grant you in accord with the riches of his glory to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in the inner self . . . that you, rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the holy ones . . . and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God." (Ephesians 3:16-19). I pray that all of you have a safe and relaxing summer and that God may continue to bless you with love and happiness.

~Kara Roisum

This is our last memo for the 2014-15 school year. We will be mailing a summer newsletter in July which will provide all the information for "Back to School" for 2015-16 school year. If you have not received your summer newsletter mailing by July 31 please contact the school office, 873-3343.