



# Saint Hilary School

Where faith, family, and academics thrive!

October 25, 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian,

On August 31, 2017 Governor Bruce Rauner signed into law the “Invest in Kids Act,” a comprehensive education funding bill for Illinois. The law includes a provision for tax credit scholarships, which provide strong incentives for donors to support non-public school scholarships for low-income students in the state. This legislation represents a major step forward that will help create more equity in school funding throughout Illinois, and for the first time provide real school choice for students and their families. See the letter in today’s envelope for more information.

All are invited to join the school children at the 8:30 a.m. mass for All Saints Day on Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. Our third grade students have been studying the saints in class with Ms. Martin. They will provide a saintly honor guard dressed as a saint to welcome us into church.

Halloween is fast approaching. We have a few events scheduled for this holiday.

- On Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup> the Family & School Association will host a Halloween Party. Please see the flyer in today’s envelope for more details.
- Our 8<sup>th</sup> graders will host a Fun Fair for all students during the day on Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>.
- All students will be allowed to wear costumes on Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. At St. Hilary we refer to this day as “Peaceful Spirits Day”. There are some limitations to costumes – no masks, weapons, violent costumes, props, face paint, or morph suits. Keeping our students safe is our first priority.
- We will also hold our annual “Trunk-or-treat” event also referred to as Halloween Tailgating. Parents will have the opportunity to dress up their cars/trunks and pass out candy to the students after school in the school parking lot from 3:00 – 3:45 p.m. In the event of rain these festivities will be cancelled. This is a safe alternative to traditional trick-or-treating for our children. Families are asked to provide their own treats to pass out to the children. Any cars not participating in this event are asked to refrain from parking in the lot at dismissal that day. NO cars will be allowed to leave before 3:45 p.m.

We are blessed with children that have many talents and the ability to create and draw is certainly one of them. The cost of supplies for the art room can definitely add up. Mrs. Rhodes has created a wish list on Blick Art Supplies, which you can access through this link <http://www.dickblick.com/lists/wishlist/CHB72ACGJ5K7C/publicview/> Thank you in advance for your continue support of our arts program.

**Do you shop?** Check out this video [escrip](#) to see how your shopping can help St. Hilary when you shop.

**Have you nominated someone yet? You still have time but don't delay.** We are blessed with amazing and dedicated teachers who know that they are here because they have been called to the mission of Catholic education. The National Catholic Educational Association is accepting nominations for those working in Catholic education. Please see the letter in today's envelope for more details on how to nominate someone from St. Hilary School. They are never recognized or acknowledged enough and they should be. Thank you, in advance, for considering your nomination. Deadline for nomination submissions is November 10, 2017.

#### **Reminders:**

Don't forget our amazing Student Council is hosting their Autumn Abundance Bake Sale after school this Wednesday – Friday. Please support them and enjoy a delicious after school treat!

If you have not yet ordered your Christmas wreath, centerpiece, or tree you are in luck. You have until Friday, Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> to place your order, don't delay. This year the candle in the centerpiece is battery operated and is on a timer. The tree can be planted outside once the holidays are over so that you will have it for years to come.

The School Mall postcards that you received on Monday are due on Mon. Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>. All children who return the completed book of postcards will be entered into a raffle drawing for a remote control Minion. Raffle drawing will be held on Wed. Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> at the end of the day.

As the weather turns the flu season will soon be here. Please keep in mind that neither children nor adults are able to focus and learn when they are not 100%. Please allow your child to regain their health and strength before returning to school; this will also help to reduce the spreading of germs to others. Children do need to be fever free for 24 hours before returning to school. We appreciate your cooperation as we continue to keep everyone's safety a top priority.

### **Help Wanted:**

Our Fun Run is just around the corner starting with the kick-off on Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> and ending with the run itself on Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>. I will need 3-4 parents each morning during these dates to help for 1 – 1.5 hours. If you are able to assist me I would appreciate it, please send me an email. Thank you in advance.

***Friday, October 6<sup>th</sup> marked the halfway point of our first trimester. Please make certain that your financial obligations to Saint Hilary are taken care of in a timely manner. Per board policy, students whose tuition and fees have not been kept up to date by the end of the trimester will be subject to exclusion on Wednesday November 29<sup>th</sup>.***

### **Contents of this Wednesday's envelope:**

- "Invest in Kids Act" FAQs
- FSA flyers
- NCEA teacher nomination letter
- Christmas wreath flyer
- Bake Sale flyer
- Halloween patrol flyer
- Fun Run flyer
- Craft fair vendor flyer

### **Mark your calendars:**

- Wed. Oct. 25-Fri. Oct. 27 – Student Council Bake Sale after school
- Fri. Oct. 27 – FSA hosts Halloween Party
- Tues. Oct. 31 – Peaceful Spirits Day
- Tues. Oct. 31 – Trunk or Treat
- Wed. Nov. 1 – All Saints Day 8:30 all school liturgy
- Fri. Nov. 3 – No School – Teacher In-service
- Sat. Nov. 4 – FSA Craft/vendor fair
- Sat. Nov. 4 – Men's Club Spaghetti Dinner
- Sun. Nov. 5 – Daylight Savings Time – fall back one hour
- Tues. Nov. 7 – Fun Run kick-off
- Tues. Nov. 7 – School advisory board meeting
- Thurs. Nov. 9 – Opera field trip 3 – 6 grades

Please check out the Peek at the Week for a look at the week ahead.

As always, if you have any questions please feel free to contact me at school 773-561-5885 or by email [donovan@sthilarychicago.org](mailto:donovan@sthilarychicago.org).

Gratefully,

*Mrs. Kathie Donovan*

Mrs. Kathie Donovan, Principal

## **#GiveWitnessWednesday**

<https://www.facebook.com/StHilaryChicago/>

<https://www.greatschools.org/illinois/chicago/4407-St.-Hilary-School/>

<https://www.yelp.com/biz/st-hilary-school-chicago>

Word of mouth is very powerful, would you please take a moment to write a quick review about St. Hilary on one of the following social media locations:

Facebook, Great Schools, Google, or Yelp.

**Thank you for helping us spread the good news about St. Hilary on  
GiveWitnessWednesday!**



# A Peek at the Week

## WEEK OF October 30 – November 3

*St. Hilary...where faith, family, and academics thrive!*

### **MONDAY: October 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Altar Servers: Lina, Jeryl, Tyler I.**

- ✓ Religious education classes
- ✓ Yoga class
- ✓ Kids Craft Club 3:00 – 3:45
- ✓ Concert band 3:00 – 4:00 pm in Room 109

### **TUESDAY: October 31<sup>st</sup> Happy Halloween!!**

**Altar Servers: Camille, Sidonie, Claire**

- ✓ No Student Council meeting
- ✓ CODAs 7:10 – 7:45 am in Room 109
- ✓ Children may dress in costumes or black and orange for Halloween.
- ✓ FSA sponsored Trunk or Treat immediately following dismissal in the parking lot

### **WEDNESDAY: November 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Altar Servers: Christine L., Don, Benjamin**

- ✓ 8:30 all school liturgy – All Saints Day – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade hosts
- ✓ 2:00 dismissal
- ✓ Super soccer 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> grade
- ✓ Cadet band 7:00 – 7:45 am in Room 109

### **THURSDAY: November 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Altar Servers: Zachary, Rianne, Billy**

- ✓ Super soccer K – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade
- ✓ Cardinal Choir 3:00 – 4:00 pm in church
- ✓ Concert band 7:00 – 7:45 am in Room 109

### **FRIDAY: November 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Altar Servers: Toni, Isabella A., Sophie F.**

- ✓ No School – teacher in-service day

### **SATURDAY: November 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Altar Servers: 8:30 a.m. Alessandra P. Anthony O.**

**5:00 p.m. Sophia C., Christine L., Aelaika**

### **SUNDAY: November 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Altar Servers: 8 am Phuc, Thao, Anthony C.**

**10 am Sophie F., Nicholas, Madison**

**12 pm Isabella A., Toni, Abigail**

**Sat. Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> – FSA Craft Fair and Men's Club Spaghetti Dinner**

**All are welcome, please support these organizations!!!**

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO CATHOLIC SCHOOLS  
2017/18 SCHOOL YEAR





## Tax Credit Scholarships in Illinois Q&A

On August 31, 2017, Governor Bruce Rauner signed into law the “Invest in Kids Act,” a comprehensive education funding bill for Illinois. The law includes a provision for tax credit scholarships, which provide strong incentives for donors to support non-public school scholarships for low-income students in the state. Illinois students from low-income families may use these new scholarships to attend a non-public school of their choice.

This legislation represents a major step forward that will help create more equity in school funding throughout Illinois, and for the first time provide real school choice for students and their families.

The questions and answers below provide an overview of the scholarships, including important information for donors and scholarship-eligible families. If you have other questions, please feel free to contact Bob Hudzik from the Office of Catholic Schools at 312.534.5200 or [rohudzik@archchicago.org](mailto:rohudzik@archchicago.org).

### **Definition and Eligibility**

#### **What are tax credit scholarships?**

Tax credit scholarships provide an Illinois state income tax *credit* (not just a deduction, like with other charitable contributions) to individuals and corporations that contribute money to a non-profit Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO). That SGO then awards scholarships to eligible students from low-income families.

#### **What is a Scholarship Granting Organization?**

A Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO) is an independent 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that is responsible for the following, among other things:

- Receiving donations from individuals and corporations;
- Receiving and processing scholarship applications from students/families; and
- Distributing scholarships to eligible students/families in accordance with the law.

SGOs must determine whether students meet the income eligibility requirements to receive a scholarship and must distribute scholarships to eligible students on a first-come, first-serve basis. SGOs must honor restrictions placed on donations from individuals, if any.

#### **When are the scholarships available?**

Donors may make contributions and families can apply for scholarships beginning January 1, 2018. The initial scholarships will apply to the 2018/19 school year, and the program will continue for at least five years (based on the current law).

#### **Who is eligible to receive a scholarship?**

Students from families with limited financial resources are eligible to receive a tax credit scholarship.

To be considered for a scholarship, students must be from a household with income below 300 percent of the federal poverty level (\$73,800 for family of four).



However, prior to April 1, 2018 priority will be given to:

- Students from households that are below 185 percent of the federal poverty level (\$45,510 for family of four).
- Students who reside in a “focus district” (explained below).
- Siblings of scholarship students.

Beginning in 2019, priority will also be given to renewals of previous year scholarship recipients.

### **What age students are eligible for tax credit scholarships?**

Scholarships are available for eligible students in kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

### **What is a “focus district?”**

Focus districts are public school districts which have a school that: (1) has one or more subgroups in which the average student performance is at or below the state average for the lowest 10 percent of student performance in that subgroup or (2) has an average graduation rate of less than 60 percent and has not been identified for priority. A list of focus districts in Lake and Cook Counties can be found [here](#).

## **Application Process and Scholarship Details**

### **When can students apply for a tax credit scholarship?**

Students can apply for scholarships beginning January 1, 2018. There has been no deadline established for application, but families should apply as early as possible since scholarships will be awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis.

### **How do students/families apply for tax credit scholarships?**

Students/families must submit an application for scholarship directly to an SGO. There will be an application process established by each SGO after it receives Department of Revenue approval and is operational. There will likely be several SGOs operating in the state. We will share more information and details as soon as they are available.

### **How will schools assist students/families with the application process?**

Once the Department of Revenue publishes a list of approved SGOs, school staff will help connect students/families with the SGOs and assist them with the application process. The Archdiocese will also provide schools, students and families with support and assistance.

### **Will the SGOs’ application materials be available in Spanish?**

We anticipate that applications will be available in Spanish, however the entire process is still being finalized. We will share more information and details as soon as they are available.

### **Will paper applications be available?**

We believe that the application process is likely to be conducted online only, but the application process is still being finalized. If the online requirement poses a problem for some families, support will likely be provided through local schools. Again, we will share more information and details as soon as they are available.

### **What type of expenses are covered through tax credit scholarships?**

Tuition and eligible fees for any non-public school in Illinois are covered through tax credit scholarships.



**How much money can students receive through a tax credit scholarship?**

Scholarship amounts will vary based on the student's household income and be limited to *the lower of* actual tuition and fees for the student's school, or the statewide average expense per student among public schools (currently \$12,280). Students from households that are lower than 185 percent of the federal poverty level receive 100 percent of tuition and eligible fees.

Students from households that are 185 percent to 250 percent of the federal poverty level will receive 75 percent of tuition and eligible fees through the scholarships.

Students from households that are 250 percent to 300 percent of the federal poverty level will receive 50 percent of tuition and eligible fees through the scholarships.

**When will students/families be notified if they have been granted a scholarship?**

SGOs will be responsible for notifying families. The law presently requires SGOs to process applications received before April 1 within ten business days of receipt. The law does not impose an application processing deadline for applications received after April 1. However, we would anticipate that the processing timelines will be similar for all applications.

**How is a scholarship payment made?**

The SGOs will manage scholarship payments. The law presently requires SGOs to distribute scholarship payments directly to the qualified school where the student is enrolled. We will share more information on this process as soon as it is available.

**Do students need to be accepted to a school before they can apply for a scholarship?**

This is still being determined, but we expect that the process will require earlier application to schools than has been the practice in the past. We will share more information as soon as it is available.

**What if a student is already receiving a scholarship from a school or another scholarship program, should the student be encouraged to apply for a tax credit scholarship?**

Yes. We encourage any student/family who thinks they may be eligible for tax credit scholarship to apply.

**Are these scholarships only for Catholic schools?**

No. The scholarships can be used to cover the tuition and eligible fees for any non-public school in Illinois.

**If a student does not receive a tax credit scholarship, what should the family do?**

The family should work with their local school to determine what other scholarships that may be available to them.

**Donations**

**How much of a tax credit do individuals and/or corporations receive?**

Individuals and corporations that donate to SGOs may receive a credit off their Illinois state taxes equal to 75 percent of the donation.

**How much money can be donated to an SGO for tax credit scholarships?**

Donations are capped at \$1 million per taxpayer per year. Total tax credits are capped at \$75 million per year statewide, which equates to \$100 million in donations and scholarships.





**Can donations be directed to a certain school or individual?**

Individuals may direct donations to a particular school or subset of schools, but NOT to an individual student or group of students. Corporate donors cannot restrict their donations at all.

**How do individuals direct their donations to a certain school or subset of schools?**

The process for reserving tax credits and designating a particular school or subset of schools is still being finalized by the Illinois Department of Revenue and the SGOs. Further information will be made available when these processes have been published.

**What is the process for making a donation?**

Beginning January 1, 2018, donors can indicate the amount they want to donate and reserve the corresponding tax credits through the Illinois Department of Revenue's website. The Department of Revenue will grant tax credits on a first come first served basis. Donating individuals and corporations then have 60 days from the date they receive the credit authorization certificate to donate that indicated amount to the SGO of their choice.

After donating, the individual or corporation receives a receipt from the SGO, indicating the donation was made, which then generates the corresponding tax credit. If a donor fails to make all or a portion of a donation payment to the SGO by the deadline, they shall not be entitled to a certificate of receipt for that portion of the donation not made.

**Who can I contact if I am interested in making a donation or learning more about donations?**

For more information on making a donation or if you have any questions regarding the donation process, please contact Jeremy Monty at [jmonty@archchicago.org](mailto:jmonty@archchicago.org).

**Scholarship Granting Organizations**

**Is the Archdiocese of Chicago an SGO?**

No. The Archdiocese of Chicago is not an SGO. The Archdiocese is not able to be an SGO as we operate schools that participate in the tax credit scholarship program.

**What are the SGOs in Illinois? Are there any in place?**

The SGOs in Illinois are still being established. There will likely be several SGOs, all of which may operate independently. We will share more information on the SGOs in Illinois in the coming weeks.

**How many SGOs are there in Illinois?**

The SGOs in Illinois are still being established. There will likely be several SGOs, all of which may operate independently. We will share more information on the SGOs in Illinois in the coming weeks.

# Lead. Learn. Proclaim. Awards

## Recognize Outstanding Catholic School Educators

NCEA has a longstanding tradition of honoring and recognizing excellence and distinguished service in Catholic school education. We are happy to announce the third annual **Lead. Learn. Proclaim. Awards** that recognize the outstanding efforts, contributions, and achievements on behalf of Catholic school education. Individuals, including pastors, superintendents, assistant or associate superintendents, presidents, principals, teachers and/or Catholic institutions, organizations, boards and teams that are active, or affiliated with, active members of NCEA may be nominated for this award. Additionally, all nominees must have served in their current role for at least five years. Self-nomination is not permitted.

[https://www.ncea.org/NCEA/Proclaim/Awards/Lead\\_Learn\\_Proclaim\\_Awards/NCEA/Proclaim/Awards/Lead\\_Learn\\_Proclaim\\_Awards.aspx?hkey=de18e457-eb6c-42a3-a6da-cbedce3e2b22](https://www.ncea.org/NCEA/Proclaim/Awards/Lead_Learn_Proclaim_Awards/NCEA/Proclaim/Awards/Lead_Learn_Proclaim_Awards.aspx?hkey=de18e457-eb6c-42a3-a6da-cbedce3e2b22)

### Lead:

- Exercises responsible decision-making
- Realizes and implements the school's mission and vision
- Works collaboratively toward continuous school improvement
- Actively models service to others within the community
- Demonstrates faithful stewardship of resources
- Engages in responsible financial planning in collaboration with others
- Utilizes outside resources as appropriate to their position to promote operational vitality
- Contributes to long-term planning for continuous improvement to realize the mission of Catholic education

### Learn:

- Supports rigorous academic program that integrates the faith across subject areas
- Collaborates to achieve continuous improvement of instructional practice
- Creatively engages and motivates others to meet the needs of all students
- Demonstrates commitment to personal improvement through professional development and ongoing faith formation
- Guides students in 21st-century skills, including technology integration
- Supports the development of student and family life

### Proclaim:

- Embraces Catholic Identity
- Demonstrates Gospel values
- Adheres to school mission
- Contributes to student and/or adult faith formation
- Participates in liturgical and communal prayer and service
- Promotes the school mission and vision through meaningful communication, marketing and development

**Deadline to submit a nomination: November 10, 2017**

ST. HILARY'S 2017 FALL BAKE  
SALE  
HOSTED BY STUDENT COUNCIL

*Autumn  
Abundance*

OCTOBER 25-27  
ST. HILARY PARKING LOT AFTER  
SCHOOL

PRICES RANGE FROM  
25¢ - \$1.00 PER ITEM



COME PACK THE GYM AND  
SUPPORT OUR 8 TH  
GRADERS!!!



THIS SATURDAY AT 6:00 IS  
ROSE CEREMONY FOR OUR 8 TH  
GRADE GIRLS VOLLEYBALL  
TEAM AND THEIR FAMILIES!



They will be playing against  
the Alumni who will you  
cheer for??





# HURRY!!

Time is running out for St. Hilary Family School Association

Holiday Fund-raiser

## JUST 2 DAYS LEFT

TO GET YOUR FRESH CHRISTMAS WREATH ORDERS IN!!!

We are selling:

- ❖ Fresh Holiday Wreaths,
- ❖ Mini Merry Christmas Tree and
- ❖ the popular Candlelit Centerpieces



These make nice hostess gifts, or a gift for your neighbor.



**The person who collects the most orders will receive  
1 item in the catalog (your choice) for FREE!**



Proceeds will go towards educational development programs for teachers and students.





# FSA HALLOWEEN Dance

Friday, October 27

6:00pm-9:00pm

\$5.00 per person

**\*Children 2 and under are free!**



☠️ INCLUDES PIZZA, SALAD, SWEETS AND BEVERAGES

☠️ GUESS THE # RAFFLE ☠️ TAFFY APPLE SALES ☠️ SELFIE STATION ☠️

**NOT A DROP OFF EVENT CHILDREN MUST BE  
ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT**

Please return form and fee by October 25<sup>th</sup>. Checks payable to St. Hilary FSA  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

(# of kids \_\_\_\_\_ + # of adults \_\_\_\_\_) X \$5.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed

**SERVICE HOURS AVAILABLE**

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094ba4a622a0fe3-fsahalloween>

Contact Florita Barros-Kilroy: [fbkilroyfsa@gmail.com](mailto:fbkilroyfsa@gmail.com) or 773-682-8167



# TRUNK OR TREAT

Join us for some Halloween fun after school! Decorate your cars and pass out treats to our trick-or-treaters!

3 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 31

School parking lot

PLEASE NOTE: For the safety of the children, if you are not participating in Trunk-or-Treat, please do not park in the lot. The parking lot gates will be locked until the event is over.

This event will be held weather permitting. In the event of rain, Trunk-or-Treat will be canceled.







We need your help with the annual  
**Halloween Patrol.**

This year, Halloween, October 31,  
falls on a Tuesday.

Please volunteer to patrol the school grounds  
to help keep away the mischief makers  
and keep our school safe.



This is a good way to earn  
service hours.



Yes, I can help!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



\_\_\_\_\_ 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

\_\_\_\_\_ 9:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.







**IT'S TIME TO BOOK YOUR RESERVATION FOR.....**

## **BATTLE OF THE BOOKS CLUB**

**First informational meeting of the year....**

**For grades 3-8 on Tuesday, November 7**

**Room 106 (Baby Redbirds' Room) 3:00-3:30**

**Meetings will take place on Tuesdays and Fridays**

**A calendar of dates and books to be discussed will be distributed on November 7.**

**Tuesday meetings will be for Grades 3-5 and book discussions will focus on books for younger readers.**

**Friday meetings will be for Grades 6-8 and book discussions will focus on books for older readers.**

## **BATTLE OF THE BOOKS LIST 2017-2018**

### **Books for Younger Readers**

Dory and the Real True Friend – Abby Hanlon

Nuts to You – Lynne Rae Perkins

El Deafo – Cece Bell

Class Dismissed – Allan Woodrow

Mr. Lemoncello's Library Olympics – Chris Grabenstein

Half a Chance – Cynthia Lord

### **Books for Intermediate/Older Readers**

Some Writer: The Story of E.B. White – Melissa Sweet\*

All Four Stars – Tara Dairman

The Detective's Assistant – Kate Hannigan

Crenshaw – Katherine Applegate

A Million Ways Home – Dianna Dorisi Winger

Rain Reign – Ann M. Martin

All Rise for the Honorable Perry T. Cook –Leslie Connor\*

Three Bird Summer – Sara St. Antoine

Dust of Eden – Mariko Nagai

Under the Egg- Laura Marx Fitzgerald

Raymie Nightingale – Kate DiCamillo\*

The Watsons Go To Birmingham 1963 – Christopher Paul Curtis\*

Hatchet – Gary Paulsen\*

Pay It Forward – Catherine Ryan Hyde

Wake Up Missing – Kate Messner

Short – Holly Goldberg Sloan\*

Circus Mirandus – Cassie Beasley

When the Sergeant Comes Marching Home – Don Lemma\*

Chasing Secrets – Gennifer Choldenko

### **Junior High**

The Night Gardener – Jonathan Auxier

Wolf Hollow – Lauren Wolk\*

Adventures of Tom Sawyer – Mark Twain

The War That Saved My Life – Kimberly Brubaker Bradley\*

Ms. Bixby's Last Day – John David Anderson\*



COME JOIN US  
SATURDAY  
NOVEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup>  
FROM 9:00am – 3:00pm  
In the St. Hilary Gym  
For our Holiday Craft  
Bazaar

\$1.00 admission

The St. Hilary Men's Club  
Cordially Invites  
All St. Hilary Parishioners  
and School Families  
to its  
Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 – 9:00 pm  
School Cafeteria



Suggested Donation:  
\$5 per person; maximum \$15 per family  
Includes Beer and Wine



## St. Hilary Fun Run 2017-2018

Parents! This year's main fundraiser is the St. Hilary Fun Run! It's a 9-day program that kicks off with a Pep Rally on November 7th. Families will then gather pledges for every lap your student runs (30-35 laps), and we'll celebrate at the Fun Run on November 16th. With our big goal of raising **\$20,000.00** to balance our budget, we asked the Fun Run experts at Boosterthon to power our Fun Run and make it more profitable, easier, and fun.

This year we have decided to go 100% paid online. As you make your pledges, you will be able to pay for your pledge right on [funrun.com](http://funrun.com). If sponsors do not wish to pay by credit card, they can simply send in cash or check with your student before the Fun Run!

Students will also experience an amazing character theme, **CASTLE QUEST!** An English castle theme all about being brave and living with character. On their quest to regain Bravemore Castle, students will learn the "SIX VIRTUES of a TRUE HERO" from a cast of colorful characters.




Donations will go toward balancing our budget and to the entire 9-day experience. So please help our school by reaching out to sponsors. In addition, I am looking for 3-5 parents to come in each morning for 1-2 hours during the Fun Run experience to help pump up our kids and distribute prizes. Please contact Mrs. Donovan if you are interested. All families are invited to come out and cheer on your student at the Fun Run! Thank you for your support!



# St. Hilary K-8 LunchSmart Menu

## November 2017



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Spotlight Fruit of the Week: Bananas			November 1 Breaded Shrimp Poppers* with Garlic Toast* Corn Kettle-Baked Beans Pineapple	November 2 Cheesy Garlic French Bread Pizza* Riviera Blend Veggies Lentil Soup Pears  Also available: Lasagna Rollup* & Garlic Bread*	November 3  No School
Spotlight Fruit of the Week: Fresh Pears	November 6 Oven-"Fried" Chicken Drumstick* & Breadstick* Corn Kettle-Baked Beans Peaches	November 7 Meatball Sub* with Marinara & Mozzarella California Blend Veggies Mixed Fruit	November 8 Bosco Stick* with Marinara Dipping Sauce Green Beans Pineapple	November 9 Cheesy Beefy Macaroni* & Honey Wheat Dinner Roll* Sweet Potato Puffs Applesauce	November 10 Teriyaki Chicken Brown Rice* Broccoli Florets Honey Oat Goldfish Cracker* Pears
Spotlight Fruit of the Week: Grapes	November 13 Orange Chicken Brown Rice* Sliced Carrots Animal Crackers* Peaches	November 14 All-Beef Hot Dog on a Bun* Oven-Baked Spiral-Cut French Fries Mixed Fruit	November 15 Rotini* with Homemade Meat Sauce Broccoli Florets Pineapple 	November 16 Sliced Turkey with Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Cranberry Sauce & Honey Corn Biscuit* Green Beans Applesauce	November 17 Bean & Cheese Chalupa* with* Garnish Cup & Salsa Black Beans Pears
Spotlight Fruit of the Week: Bananas	November 20 Toasted Cheese Sandwich* with Tomato Soup & Cheddar Goldfish Crackers* Broccoli Florets Peaches	November 21 Build-Your-Own Crunchy Beef Tacos* with Garnish Cup & Salsa Capri Blend Veggies Mixed Fruit	November 22      November 23      November 24  <b>Happy Thanksgiving</b>		
Spotlight Fruit of the Week: Fresh Pears	November 27 Chicken Parmesan Sandwich on a Bun* California Blend Veggies Peaches	November 28 Beef Sloppy Joe on a Bun* Baby Carrots Mixed Fruit	November 29 Beef Burrito Bowl* with Black Beans, Corn & Salsa Pineapple	November 30 Boneless Chicken Wings with BBQ Dipping Sauce & Honey Wheat Dinner Roll* Scalloped Potatoes Applesauce	

### Why Physical Activity is Cool

Developing sound health habits when you are young pays off by keeping you looking and feeling good. One of the best things you can do for yourself is to move. Most health professionals say kids and teens should get at least 60 minutes of physical activity each day. Keep it moving with activities like playing sports, dancing, taking the stairs instead of the elevator, and walking your dog.

### Celebrate France with FSP on November 2!

Available Each Day: Salad and Fresh Fruit / Sunbutter & Jelly Sandwich\* with a Yogurt Cup / Skim and 1% White Milk Plus Fat-Free Chocolate Milk

### Freshly Prepared Additional Entrées

- ▶ **Monday** – All-American Cheeseburger on a Bun\*
- ▶ **Tuesday** – Chicken Nuggets\* with Twisted Breadstick\* & BBQ Dipping Sauce
- ▶ **Wednesday** – Super Nachos\* & Salsa
- ▶ **Thursday** – Breaded Chicken Sandwich\*
- ▶ **Friday** – Pizza\* (pepperoni French bread, cheese personal pan, and Big Daddy's extra cheesy pizza rotate each week)

\*=Item contains whole grains / ^=Item contains pork / L=Locally sourced / S=Sustainable source

Milk served with lunch contains no artificial growth hormones or antibiotics

Menu is subject to change based on availability and quality of food items / This institution is an equal opportunity employer



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