

St. Alphonsus Catholic School

Kaleidoscope Connection

Forming Faith and Future

Dr. Cynthia C. Ryals, Principal

September 23, 2021

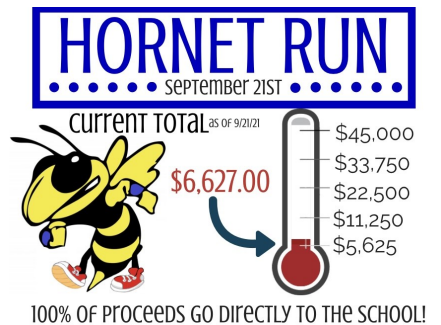
UPCOMING EVENTS

- September 24 - School Mass
- September 28 - Hornet Run Turn In Day
- September 29 - Spirit Dress
- October 1 - School Mass
- October 5 - Hornet Run Turn in Day

The Mission of St. Alphonsus Liguori Catholic School is to form students in the Catholic Faith spiritually, academically, physically, and culturally in an environment of academic excellence.

Hornet Run Fundraiser

WOW!!! We are off to an amazing start for the Hornet Run. The students collected \$6,627.00 for our first week. Don't forget the next turn in day is **Tuesday, September 28th**. 100% of the profits will come to St. Alphonsus School. Don't forget about the Memory Walk signs that are part of our fun run day as well. Thank you for your effort to make our Hornet Run successful!



COVID Update

We continue to be blessed that our COVID cases and quarantines are at a minimum. We ask that everyone remember the following in order to continue with in person learning:

- No one should come to school with any symptoms of illness.
- Please keep your child home if they or another member of your family/household is testing for COVID or plans to be tested for COVID, or if they are showing symptoms of COVID.

We want to continue to keep everyone safe and healthy! We appreciate your patience and support.

Foodbank Friday

Don't forget that every Friday will be a collection day to help our local St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry. They are always in need of boxed dinners, peanut butter, jelly, pasta sauces and any other non-perishable food items. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!



Cafeteria

Free and Reduced Lunch Applications



During these difficult financial times for many families, please take the opportunity to apply for free and reduced lunch. While all lunches are free for students this school year, eligibility for school meals is used to determine eligibility for P-EBT. Your application also assists our federal grant funding for the school year. If you feel that you would be eligible for free or reduced lunch, please submit an application through the child nutrition website (CNP). Eligibility will assist you and your family in future funding initiatives. Go to the child nutrition website: <http://www.cnpbr.org/parent-info>. Scroll down until you see "online free and reduced lunch application". You can apply directly from that link.

2022 Auction/Taste Fair

The 2022 Auction and Taste Fair will be held on February 12, 2022. This fundraiser is shared by St. Alphonsus School and St. Alphonsus Church equally. The committee is looking for some donations from businesses for different items such as gift cards, condos or camps that can be donated as a trip package, or different types of services. Donations are tax deductible! Please let Dr. Ryals know if you are interested in donating for this wonderful fundraiser. More info will come soon on tickets and a theme.

2020-2021 Yearbooks

Yearbooks will be distributed on Friday, September 24th. If you are not sure if you ordered a yearbook, please wait until your child comes home Friday afternoon to purchase one. We only have a limited number of 2020-2021 yearbooks that will be available for purchase. They are \$42 and are first come first serve. Please contact Tammy Fouts at tfouts@stalphonsusbr.org.

Mass Uniform / Sweatpants

Starting on September 24th, boys will be required to wear pants on Mass days.

Sweatpants cannot be worn on Mass days and may only be worn to school on days the temperature is 50 degrees or below.



Athletic News

Come show your support for our boys' football teams this Sunday at St. Aloysius!

3rd and 4th grade play at 12:30 p.m.

5th and 6th grade play at 1:30 p.m.

7th and 8th grade play at 3:00 p.m.



Facts Tuition Management



Incidental Billings for items such as Extended Care, Band and Athletics are now being invoiced through FACTS accounts. Please note that if you did not turn on the auto pay feature for incidental billings, you will need to log into your FACTS account and process a payment manually.

Prepay is another feature that the School will be using. Currently, parents of 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students are able to log into their FACTS ac-

count and pay the \$10 admission fee for the **Middle School Dance** (see more information in this week's KC for the date of the dance).

Please contact Karen Keller, Finance Manager if you have any questions regarding your FACTS account or how to navigate the system. She can be reached at 225.261.5299 or kkeller@stalphonsusbr.org.

Middle School Dance

***DATE CHANGE** - The Middle School Dance has been rescheduled to Friday, October 29th in the gym from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. If COVID guidelines are still in place, students will be required to wear masks. The cost of the dance will be \$10 and must be paid through **FACTS**. We will send out more information closer to the event.

Band/Christmas Concert Date Change

The Christmas Program date has been moved to December 16th and the Christmas Band Concert moved to December 7th.

Room Mother's Meeting

***DATE CHANGE** - The room mother's meeting has been moved to October 5th at 6:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria.



2022 - 2023 ADMISSIONS TIMELINE

AUGUST - May

Private Tours
Upon Request

OCTOBER 27

SMHS Open House
(sign ups required)

NOVEMBER 19

Application Deadline



NOV. 2021 - Jan. 2022

Incoming Freshmen
Interviews
(by appointment)

December 4

Placement Testing &
Tuition Assistance Meeting
(at St. Michael)

SHADOW DAY DATES: SEPTEMBER 21, SEPTEMBER 30, OCTOBER 12, NOVEMBER 10

Visit smhsbr.org/admissions for more information.

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday

 Chicken Tenders
 Red Beans and Rice
 Sliced Peaches
 Homestyle Biscuit

4

 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce
 Caesar Salad
 Orange Wedges
 Garlic Pistolet

5

 Chicken Quesadilla
 Seasoned Black Beans
 Fresh Cantaloupe
 Salsa

6

 Orange Roasted Chicken
 Mashed Potatoes
 Garden Salad
 Fresh Strawberries
 Dinner Roll

7

 Mega Meat Flatbread Pizza
 Corn
 Caesar Salad
 Fresh Pear Wedges

8

 Chicken Filet on a Bun
 Salad Cup with Pickles
 French Fries
 Orange Wedges

11

 Soft Tacos
 with Seasoned Meat
 Mexican Corn
 Garden Salad
 Fresh Cantaloupe
 Cinnamon Stick

12

 Jambalaya
 White Beans
 Red Apple Wedges
 Dinner Roll

13

 Meatballs and Gravy
 over Rice
 Steamed Carrots
 Sliced Peaches
 Dinner Roll

14

 Macaroni and Cheese
 California Vegetable Medley
 Fresh Strawberries
 Garden Salad

15

 Chicken Smackers
 Cheesy Spaghetti
 Steamed Broccoli
 Fresh Cantaloupe

18

 Cowboy Stew
 Garden Salad
 Sliced Peaches
 Cornbread Square

19

 Ham/Cheeseburger
 Salad Cup with Pickles
 Baked Beans
 French Fries
 Orange Wedges

20

 Chicken and Dumplings
 Steamed Carrots
 with Green Peas
 Fresh Strawberries
 Dinner Roll

21

 Pizza
 Carrots w/Ranch
 Fresh Fruit

22

 Chicken Parmesan
 Sweet Green Peas
 Sliced Peaches
 Garlic Pistolet

25

 Roasted Pork over Purple Rice
 Baked Sweet Potato
 Garden Salad
 Green Apple Wedges
 Dinner Roll

26

 Chili in a Cornbread Bowl
 Green Beans
 Garden Salad
 Orange Wedges

27

 Honey Citrus Chicken
 Soy-Glazed Carrots
 Fried or White Rice
 Pineapple Chunks

28

 Ghastly Gumbo
 Petrifying Potato Salad
 Green Goblin Beans
 Scary Berries
 Creepy Crawler Cupcake

29
**BONE
 APPETIT!**

Notes: Menus are subject change. All meals are served with a choice of milk.

Notification Statement: Peanuts and peanut butter are not purchased for meals produced by the Baton Rouge Diocese Child Nutrition Program; however, some products served may contain nuts, may be produced in plants that use nuts and may contain traces of nuts.

