



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

Kaleidoscope Connection

Forming Faith and Future

Dr. Cynthia C. Ryals, Principal

September 8, 2022

UPCOMING EVENTS

- September 9 - School Mass
- September 9 - Middle School Dance
- September 14 - Progress Reports
- September 15 - School Pictures
- September 16 - School Mass

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.

School Pictures



Students will be taking individual school pictures on Thursday, September 15th. This year there will be no picture envelopes. Parents will receive a direct link to view and order pictures online.

Middle School Dance

6th, 7th and 8th Graders are invited to attend the Middle School Dance - Through the Decades

WHEN: Friday, September 9th 7:00-9:00 p.m.

WHERE: St. Alphonsus School Gym

PRICE: \$10

***Parents must log into their FACTS account and pay the \$10 admission fee. No money will be collected at the door.

Athletic News



Come show your support for our boys' football teams this weekend!

Saturday, September 10th - 3rd and 4th grade play at 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. at St. Aloysius.

Sunday, September 11th - 5th and 6th grade play at 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. at St. Jean Vianney.

Sunday, September 11th - 7th and 8th grade play at 3:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Mercy.



Come out and support our girls' basketball teams in the Family Center.

Tuesday, September 13th: 6th grade (Gold) plays at 5:45 p.m. / 6th grade (Blue) plays at 6:30 p.m. / 7th grade plays at 7:15 p.m.



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Library News



The SAS Book Fair will be held on September 19 – September 23! Each student will be able to preview the book fair at the beginning of the week and then come back to the book fair as needed to purchase books. Payment options are cash, check, credit card, and Scholastic eWallet. The eWallet allows parents to load money into a virtual wallet for students to spend at the book fair without having to send cash/checks to school. Unspent monies roll over to the next book fair or funds can be spent on the SAS Book Fair website. For more information on setting up an eWallet and to view our book fair webpage please visit: <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/stalphonsusschool>

There will be several presales for books that will ship directly to the school on or around their release date.

- Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Diper Overlode by Jeff Kinney
 - Presale paperback price: \$9.99. Release date: October 25
- Cat Kid Comic Club: Collaborations by Dav Pilkey
 - Presale hardcover price: \$12.99. Release date: November 29
- Two Degrass by Alan Gratz
 - Presale hardcover price: \$12.99. Release date: October 4

We will once again host a Family Night! Shop With Your Hornet Night will be on Wednesday, September 21st from 6 - 8. Shop with Your Hornet Night allows parents to accompany students to the book fair and preview/purchase books for their child. We will have a sucker pull for a chance to win a poster, books, bookmarks, erasers, or a gift certificate to the book fair. In addition, we will also have a \$1 raffle for a chance to win a book fair gift basket!

All purchases made at the book fair are subject to 10.45% tax.

If you are interested in volunteering any of the days mentioned or would like more information about the book fair please contact Amy Nicosia

at anicosia2@stalphonsusbr.org

Book Fair Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:45-9:15	2A-Nicosia	PK3			
9:15-9:45	2B-Ashford	PKC-Carmena			
9:45-10:15	PKB-Glissman	PKA-Lonibos	Middle		
10:15-10:45	4B-Johnson	4A-Wiebelt	School	Re-Shop	Re-Shop
10:45-11:15	5A-Penton		All	All	All
11:45-12:15		KA-Byrne	Day	Day	Day
12:15-12:45	KB-Martone				
12:45-1:15	1A-Harrison	3B-Weaver			
1:15-1:45	1B-Fisher	3A-Bradfield			
1:45-2:15		5B-Hill			



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Drama Club

The Drama Club is a club that students in grades 4th - 8th are eligible to join. The goal of drama club is to enrich the lives of our members through creativity, hard work and camaraderie. We meet twice a month on Thursdays. The children have two performances a year. The first is our annual Christmas play and the second is our Dinner Theater. The next meeting will be on Thursday, September 15th after school from 3:30-4:30 p.m. The students are to report to room 108 for the meeting. They will get a schedule for the rest of the year at this meeting. Please remember to send a note or an email so that your child can stay after school for the meetings.

We are very excited to get back to Drama this year. We are looking forward to a great year with some wonderful performances!

Michelle Martone, Debra Byrne, Angie Alexander and Blake Bonin

Beginner and Advanced Band



The St. Alphonsus Beginner and Advanced Bands will be forming this month. Band is open to 4th-8th grade students interested in learning to play an instrument in a group setting. Please see the attachments below for information and registration. Please do not send a check in with the registration form, the registration fee will be added to your FACTS account.



LUNCH

SEPTEMBER 2022

Elementary Schools

Daily Choice Elementary:

M/W- PIZZA

T/TH- CHICKEN SMACKERS

F- TACO SALAD

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



5

Soft Tacos with Seasoned Meat and cheese
Pinto Beans
Garden Salad
Jalapeno Cup
Salsa
Orange Wedges

6

Fish Nuggets
Creamed Potatoes
Broccoli with Cheese
Pineapple

7

Meatballs and Gravy Over Rice
Garden Salad
Sweet Peas and Carrots
Diced Peaches
Breadsticks

8

Macaroni and Cheese
Garden Salad
Green Beans
Applesauce

2

Pizza
Baby Carrots
Corn
Pears

9

Chicken Tenders
Red Beans and Rice
Garden Salad
Pineapple

12

Cheesy Beef Pasta
Garden Salad
Vegetable Medley
Orange Wedges
Dinner Roll

13

Corn Dog Nuggets
Creamed Potatoes
Glazed Baby Carrots
Red Apple Wedges

14

Chicken Filet on Bun
Garden Salad
French Fries
Diced Peaches

15

Nachos With Meat and Cheese
Garden Salad
Jalapeno Cup
Salsa
Mexican Corn
Pears

16

Honey Citrus Chicken
Fried Rice
Garden Salad
Glazed Baby Carrots
Pineapples

19

Spaghetti and Meat Sauce
Garden Salad
Sweet Green Peas
Orange Wedges
Dinner Roll

20

Hamburger/Cheeseburger
Garden Salad
Baked Beans
French Fries
Orange Wedges
Diced Peaches

21

Jambalaya
Garden Salad
White Beans
Pears
Dinner Roll

22

Macaroni and Cheese
Garden Salad
Green Beans
Applesauce

23

Chicken Smackers
Spaghetti and Cheese
Garden Salad
Veggie Medley
Green Apple Wedges

26

Soft Tacos with Seasoned Meat and cheese
Pinto Beans
Garden Salad
Jalapeno Cup
Salsa
Orange Wedges

27

Fish Nuggets
Creamed Potatoes
Broccoli with Cheese
Pineapple

28

Meatballs and Gravy Over Rice
Garden Salad
Sweet Peas and Carrots
Diced Peaches
Breadsticks
Celebration Cupcake

29

Pizza
Baby Carrots
Corn
Pears

30

Notes: Menus are subject to 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.

MY SCHOOL BUCKS PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE
MySchoolBucks.com

St. Alphonsus Beginner Band

Dear St. Alphonsus Parents,

I would like to invite all 4th-8th grade students to join the St. Alphonsus Beginner Band! Band students will learn to play a musical instrument, read music, and perform together. Student do not need to have any musical experience to join the band! I will teach the students everything they need to know about their instruments, including how to put them together, how to hold them, how to play them, and how to read music. Band students will have the opportunity to participate in a Christmas Concert and a Spring Concert.

The Beginner Band instruments are:

Flute

Clarinet

Alto Saxophone

Trumpet

Trombone

Percussion (drums, orchestra bells)

Beginner Band rehearsals will be held at school on Tuesday, Thursday, and every other Friday mornings at 7:15. The first rehearsal will be on September 6th.

Band fees are \$200 per semester, and students will need to rent an instrument from Music and Arts, Music Time or another music store.

Band students will be able to indicate a preferred instrument choice, but final instrumental assignments will be made by the director to ensure balance in the band. Once the registration form is turned in, parents will receive an e-mail discussing instrument options.

If your child is interested in Band, please complete the Band registration form and return it to the school office. Fees will be paid through FACTS.

I'm looking forward to teaching your children this year!

Sarah Love

slove@stalphonsusbr.org

St. Alphonsus
2022-2023 Beginner Band Registration Form

Rehearsals begin September 6th

Band fees: \$200 Fall semester
\$200 Spring semester

Student's Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent's Email address:

Parent's name: _____

Phone #: _____

Instrument choice- Students may choose from flute, clarinet, alto saxophone, trumpet, trombone, and percussion. Percussionists will play both orchestra bells and snare drum.

1st choice: _____

2nd choice: _____

_____ Parent's Signature

St. Alphonsus
2022-2023 Advanced Band Registration Form
Rehearsals begin September 7th

Band fees: \$200 Fall semester
\$200 Spring semester

Student's Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent's Email address:

Parent's name: _____

Phone #: _____

Instrument: _____

Parent's Signature