

# St. Alphonsus Catholic School

## Kaleidoscope Connection

### *Forming Faith and Future*

Dr. Cynthia C. Ryals, Principal

January 5, 2023

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

- January 6 - School Mass
- January 13 - School Mass
- January 16 - No School
- January 18 - Elementary Beta Induction 6:30 p.m. / Middle School Beta Induction 7:15 p.m.
- January 20 - School Mass
- January 22 - New Student Open House

*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.*

\*\*\*There will be NO school on Monday, January 16th.

## Happy New Year!

Welcome back and Happy New Year to all! Your generosity for the toy drive and other donations during the Christmas season were greatly appreciated. We also appreciate all of the beautiful cards, treats and gifts we received. We begin this new year in prayer:

Dear Lord, as I look back on this past year, I am thankful for so much. I think of the really happy times and I remember the tough ones, too. In all of these experiences, you have blessed me, Lord. Many people talk about making resolutions for the new year. As for me, I resolve to live a holier life. I ask for your help with this, because I truly desire to be close to you in the way that I live each day. May I grow in wisdom and love throughout these next twelve months and may I come to more deeply appreciate the gift of life itself. And may I choose to be more charitable to all those I meet. I ask this prayer in Your Name, you are my Lord forever and ever. AMEN. (Prayer from *Stand on the Promise: Daily Prayers for Busy Teens* by Fr. Trey Nelson)

## Enrollment for the 2023-2024 School Year

Re-enrollment for currently enrolled students and new siblings is open now. **Please note:** Enrollment will be completed online. Parents will be required to set-up a FACTS account as payments are no longer accepted at the School Office. We encourage parents to re-enroll students now to secure their spot for the 2023-2024 school year. Re-enrollment is available through the "Family Portal" on RenWeb or by clicking on this link: <https://SA-LA.client.renweb.com/pw/>. Once on the Family Portal, select "Apply/Enroll" and then click "Enrollment/Reenrollment". Only new students will require an application. Please contact Tammy Feduccia ([tfeduccia@stalphonsusbr.org](mailto:tfeduccia@stalphonsusbr.org)) to enroll a sibling.



January 5, 2023

## Drama Club Christmas Play and 8th Grade Nativity

The Drama Club performed "A Christmas Peter Pan" for the students. They did an amazing job!

The 8th Graders also did a wonderful job on their performance of the Nativity. It was beautiful.

Thank you to our faculty and staff for your hard work and dedication to our students!



## Open House / New Student Registration

St. Alphonsus School will be hosting a new student open house on Sunday, January 22nd from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Please spread the word to any interested families and please share the flyer that is attached to the Kaleidoscope with prospective families. If you know of someone interested in joining our St. Alphonsus School family, please let them know that new student registration opens on January 22nd.

## Tax Statements for 2022

A *printable payment summary* is available by logging into FACTS, selecting "View Details" and then selecting "View Payment Summary." Our Tax ID is included on the summary. If you need assistance navigating to your FACTS account, please contact Karen Keller, Finance Manager at 225.261.5299 or by email at [kkeller@stalphonsusbr.org](mailto:kkeller@stalphonsusbr.org).

## Free Throw Contest

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a free throw contest at the St Alphonsus gym on January 7th at 9 a.m. The contest is open to all boys and girls ages 9-14. There will be separate divisions for each age and gender. Please see the attached form.



January 5, 2023

# 2022 Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest

Congratulations to the 2022 Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest winners!

## Ages 5-7 Winners

1st Place-Olivia Meier  
2nd Place-Wade Davidson  
3rd Place-Natalie Blanchard



## Ages 8-10 Winners

1st Place-Serianna Kroll  
2nd Place-Jace Rounds  
3rd Place-Colin Sanches



## Ages 11-14 Winners

1st Place-Ainsley Engle  
2nd Place-Della Kroll  
3rd Place-Austin Common



## SAS Home and School Family Bingo Night

SAS Home and School Association would like to invite you to our Family Bingo Night on January 27th! Bingo boards will be \$5 in advance and \$7 at the door.

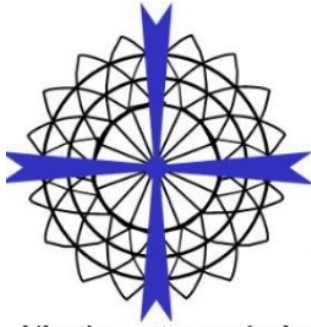


In addition- we are now offering a VIP Package which includes: Tables fit 6+, 10 Bingo Cards, 2 Large 1 Topping Pizzas, (2) 2 Liter Drinks, AND 20 Door prize tickets! All for \$75.00. First Come First Serve!

We will also be selling raffle tickets and concessions during the event!

To Reserve your tickets/tables, please fill out the attached forms and submit it to Home and School by January 23rd. We can't wait to see you there!!





# St. Alphonsus Catholic School

*Forming Faith and Future*

Like the patterns of a kaleidoscope, our students are ever-changing and unique

## OPEN HOUSE

January 22nd 1:00-3:00 p.m.

### Grades Pre K3 - 8th

13940 Greenwell Springs Road  
Greenwell Springs, La 70739  
225-261-5299 - [stalphonsusbr.org](http://stalphonsusbr.org)  
Dr. Cynthia Ryals, Principal



### WHO ARE WE?

- Certified, Caring Faculty
- Excellence in Academics
- Religious Education
- Weekly Mass
- Reading Lab
- Athletics 3rd-8th
- Morning and Extended Care
- Technology
- Computer Lab
- K - 8th Grade 1:1 Chromebook Program
- Multi-Media Library
- Science Lab
- Foreign Language
- High School Credit in Algebra 1, Physical Science, and Spanish 1
- Extracurricular Activities/Clubs
- Summer Camp



# INTRODUCING our NEW Parish Branding



*The St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish Marketing Committee met over several months to brainstorm what core values represent our parish and how we could integrate our Church and School branding under one logo, motto, and mission statement.*

## The CONCEPT Behind the LOGO

*The idea came from the suggestion to use the "two rivers," which is also the name of our annual parish festival.*

*From the merging of the waters (unity) rises the cross (the church).*

*The new logo is modern, simple and clean.*

*It joins basic but powerful elements into one new symbol.*



CROSS

The latin cross is the main symbol of Christian religion. Its the sign of Christ himself and the christian faith around the world. It represents the church.



INTERSECTION

Represents the community. How the people come together, intertwine, unite in the name of the lord.



WATER

Essential to life, shows movement, represents purity, sanctification, the Spirit of God, his Word and so much more. Its so important that its mentioned 722 times in the Bible.

## Our MOTTO

*"One Family United in Christ" reflects the ultimate goal of our parish: Unifying God's people through our Church family.*

## CORE VALUES of our Parish



Faith



Family



Fellowship



Formation

## MISSION Statement:

**St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish celebrates the living waters of Christ by nourishing our Catholic community spiritually and academically so that Christ may be known in our world.**

*Special thank you to our logo/branding designer Yara Gonzalez Oquendo Ashley, who is a parishioner of St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish and member of our Marketing Committee.*



Knights of Columbus

# Free Throw Championship

*Boys and Girls, Ages 9-14*

Location: St Alphonsus Family Center

Date: January 7th Time: 9:00AM

Sponsor: Council # 2807

Contact: Scott Armand scott.armand7@gmail.com



Please note: Entrants may compete in only one local competition.

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# Free Throw Championship Entry Form/Score Sheet

I wish to enter THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP in the category and age group checked below. My eligibility is to be determined by my age as of January 1. I also understand that I may only compete in one council level competition.

☐ Boys ☐ Girls Council # \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ 11 ☐ 12 ☐ 13 ☐ 14

**Note:** This same form must be used for the Council, District and Jurisdiction Competition — please be sure it is passed on accordingly.

Name of Entrant \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Telephone (Circle one: Home Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Entrant \_\_\_\_\_

## This Section To Be Completed By Parent/Guardian:

**Council No.** \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below, the undersigned requests and approves of the entrant's registration and participation in the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP ("The Contest"). In consideration for the entrant's participation in the Contest, the undersigned (1) acknowledges that the entrant's participation will be at the sole risk of the entrant and the undersigned and (2) agrees to release, indemnify and hold the Knights of Columbus Supreme Council, its subordinate units, officers, agents, members and employees harmless from any and all demands, claims or causes of action arising from or relating to the entrant's participation in the Contest. The undersigned also agree to allow representatives from the Knights of Columbus Supreme Council or any of its subordinate units to take and publish photographs or videos of the entrant during the Contest. **The entrant may compete in only one council level competition. Parent or guardian must sign this form before entrant competes.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date signed

## This Section To Be Completed K of C Officials:

**SCORING INSTRUCTIONS:** Each contestant will be allowed **15** consecutive free throws in **council** competition and **25** consecutive free throws in **all other levels**. Indicate number of free throws "made" in first column. Those tied for highest score will compete in successive rounds each being allowed 5 free throws until one contestant emerges as winner. Use other columns to indicate scores in "playoff" rounds.

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(Councils should retain a copy of this completed form for their files)





St. Alphonsus Home and School Presents

# Bingo Night

• **GAMES** • **FUN** • **PRIZE**

January 27th, 2023 at 6:30pm  
In the Family Center

AWESOME  
PRIZES

**Ticket Presale \$5 per Bingo Card**

**\$7 per Bingo Card at the door**

# PREORDER TICKET

28

## Bingo Night

18

31

### Ultimate VIP Package \$75

Reserved Seating: 10 Cards, 2  
Large 1 Topping Pizzas, (2) 2 Liter  
Drinks, and 20 Door Prize Tickets

\_\_\_Pepperoni \_\_\_ Cheese

\_\_\_Coke \_\_\_Dr. Pepper \_\_\_Sprite

\_\_\_Diet Coke

### Bingo Card PreOrder \$5

Number of Cards \_\_\_

Student Name and Homeroom Teacher

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# JANUARY 2023

## Elementary Schools



### Monday



2

### Tuesday

Chicken Smackers  
French Fries  
Green Beans  
Strawberry Applesauce

3

**Choice:** Pepperoni Pizza

### Wednesday

Fish Nuggets  
Creamed Potatoes  
Broccoli with Cheese  
Pineapple

4

**Choice:** Pepperoni Pizza

### Thursday

Pizza  
Buttered Corn  
Garden Salad  
Peaches

5

**Choice:** Chicken Smackers

### Friday

Chicken and Sausage Gumbo  
Garden Salad  
Cantaloupe Wedges  
Garlic Breadstick

6

**Choice:** Baked Potato

Chicken Tenders  
Red Beans and Rice  
Garden Salad  
Pineapple  
Biscuits

9

**Choice:** Pepperoni Pizza

Beef-a-Roni  
Garden Salad  
Squash and Zucchini  
Satsumas  
Dinner Roll

10

**Choice:** Chicken Smackers

Corn Dog Nuggets  
Creamed Potatoes  
Glazed Baby Carrots  
Mixed Berries with whipped cream

11

**Choice:** Chef Taco Salad

Chicken Filet on Bun  
Lettuce and Pickle Cup  
French Fries  
Cantaloupe Wedges

12

**Choice:** Chicken Teriyaki Rice Bowl

Nachos  
Garden Salad  
Jalapeno Cup  
Salsa  
Mexican Corn  
Peaches

13

**Choice:** Baked Potato



16

Spaghetti and Meat Sauce  
Garden Salad  
Cauliflower with Cheese  
Blue Raspberry Applesauce  
Dinner Roll

17

**Choice:** Chicken Smackers

Hamburger/Cheeseburger  
Lettuce and Pickle Cup  
Baked Beans  
French Fries  
Mixed Berries with whipped cream

18

**Choice:** Chef Chicken Smacker Salad

Chicken and Sausage Jambalaya  
White Beans  
Garden Salad  
Peaches  
Roll

19

**Choice:** Buffalo Rice Bowl

Macaroni and Cheese  
Garden Salad  
Green Beans  
Red Apple Wedges

20

**Choice:** Baked Potato

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

23

**Choice:** Pepperoni Pizza

Chicken and Sausage Gumbo  
Garden Salad  
Cantaloupe Wedges  
Garlic Breadstick

24

**Choice:** Chicken Smackers

Fish Nuggets  
Roasted Red Potatoes  
Broccoli with Cheese  
Coleslaw  
Pineapple  
Celebration Cupcake

25

**Choice:** Chef Chicken Caesar Salad

Meatballs and Gravy  
Over Rice  
Garden Salad  
Black Eye Peas  
Satsumas  
Dinner Roll

26

**Choice:** Chicken Teriyaki Rice Bowl

Pizza  
Garden Salad  
Corn  
Mixed Berries with whipped cream

27

**Choice:** Baked Potato

Chicken Tenders  
Red Beans and Rice  
Garden Salad  
Pineapple  
Biscuit

30

**Choice:** Pepperoni Pizza

Beef-a-Roni  
Garden Salad  
Squash and Zucchini  
Satsumas  
Dinner Roll

31

**Choice:** Chicken Smackers

**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.



**PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE**  
MySchoolBucks.com