

St. Alphonsus Catholic School Kaleidoscope Connection

Forming Faith and Future

April 6, 2017

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Easter Holidays - NO SCHOOL on April 14th - April 21st. We will return to school on April 24th.

Stations of the Cross

Thank you to Mrs. Lynette Shaffett, the 6th Grade Class, and all of the many volunteers who participated in the Stations of the Cross. It was a touching and emotional way to share the Passion of Christ. We appreciate you!

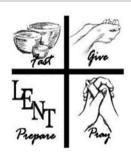


Please Note!!

We may have an unusual amount of first responder vehicles in our parking lot on Friday. No worries, we have a special event taking place that day- no emergencies!

Upcoming Events

- April 7 Field Day 8:30 a.m.
- April 7 Talent Show 1:30 p.m.
- April 10 13 8th Grade Mobile Classroom
- April 11 Fair Shirt with Spirit Dress Guidelines
- April 12 God's Helping Hands Meeting
- April 14 21 Easter Holiday No School
- April 24 Students Return to School





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Field Day



Field Day is scheduled for Friday, April 7th. Opening ceremony will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the Family Center. Parents are welcome to attend!

DRESS CODE: Students will be allowed to wear uniform shorts or their PE shorts and their field day t-shirt. Students will be asked to call home if in any other shorts. Hats and sunglasses will be allowed. PE shorts can be purchased through Cross Threads.

HELP!

Please go to the link for festival volunteers and sign up to help. We need you! Our school depends on this fundraiser to keep our tuition costs down. We need help manning our class game booths. Any time you can give is greatly appreciated!

2017 Summer Reading

Summer reading info and testing dates will go home in this week's Thursday Envelopes. You may purchase these books from any outside vendor, check them out at your local library, or download them to your electronic device. If you have any questions please contact Bethany Richard at <u>brichard@stalphonsusbr.org</u>.

Summer Camp

Limited spaces are left for summer camp. Slots are filling quickly. Registration forms are available on our school website: <u>www.stalphonsusbr.org</u>

Fair Passports

Fair passports are now available to purchase. The forms are available in the school office and on the school website.

Festival of Two Rivers T-shirt Dress Days

Students may wear their 2017 festival t-shirts every Tuesday and Friday (last day will be April 28th). T-shirts may be worn with uniform pants/shorts/skirts OR jeans (tucked in with belts if worn with jeans).

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Athletic News

Come out and support our Girl's Volleyball teams in the Family Center. <u>Saturday, April 8th</u>: 6th grade plays at 9:45 a.m. / 7th grade Jr. Varsity plays at 10:45 a.m. <u>Tuesday, April 11th</u>: 5th grade plays at 5:45 p.m. / 6th grade Varsity plays at 6:30 p.m. / 7th grade Jr. Varsity plays at 7:30 p.m.

Counseling Corner

This past week in guidance lessons, first grade learned about self-control while also reviewing how to follow directions and tattling. Fifth grade continued working on their career collages, which incorporated a future career, and what they would like their life to look like. In middle school, seventh grade discovered comfort zones. We discussed three different zones that most activities fall into: comfort, challenge, and panic. They learned that everyone puts different activities in different categories. What's a comfort zone to one person, maybe a panic zone to another. In sixth grade, we learned about the last habit of Stephen Covey's 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens: Sharpen the Saw. This habit is about recharging ourselves to make us better and more capable. We need to recharge mentally, physically, spiritually, and social/emotionally.

Cafeteria News

The Child Nutrition Program is excited to announce their new online payment system MySchoolBucks! This online payment service provides a quick and easy way to add money to your student's meal account using a credit/debit card or electronic check. The website is <u>www.MySchoolBucks.com</u>. If you have any questions concerning the online lunch payments, please contact Mrs. Nancy at <u>alphonsuscafe@stalphonsusbr.org</u>.

Lunch Prices: PK-8th Grade \$2.90/ Visitors \$5.00

For all Cafeteria news please go to the Child Nutrition website at www.cnpbr.org.

Home and School News

St. Alphonsus Home and School Board is looking for nominations for new officers for the 2017-2018 school year!

The purpose of the Home and School Association is to promote communication, goodwill, and cooperation among parents, faculty, administration, school board and the parish of St. Alphonsus. It also provides leadership and coordination of activities for the purpose of service, special functions, educational programs, and/or fundraising. Each family is a member of the SAS Home and School association.



Email your nominations to <u>homeandschool@stalphonsusbr.org</u> with subject stating 'Home and School Nominations'. Nominations must be received by April 13th.

Festival of Two Rivers Update

Urgent Need for Game Booth Volunteers:

We want to thank those of you who have already signed up to work the game booths. However, we are still in need of volunteers for all of our game booths. We are asking each family to have an adult volunteer for a two hour shift in the game booths. We are asking you to go to St. Alphonsus Church website (<u>www.st-alphonsus.net</u>) and complete the Festival of Two Rivers/ Game Booth Volunteer Form. Volunteer forms are available in the school office. You may also contact one of the room mothers for your child's class to sign up for a shift. **The game booth days and shifts needed are: April 28th (4:30 pm to 11 pm), April 29th (10:30 am to 10pm) and April 30th (10:30 – 5:00 pm). Please complete the form ASAP. Once we have completed the schedule we will confirm the day and time you have been assigned. If you have any questions please contact the Home & School President, Veronica Craven at <u>veronicalisa@cox.net.</u> or the fair chairman, Lisa Deaton at <u>larmas1@aol.com</u> or 225933-3242.**

Craft Booth – Craft items needed

We are looking for craft items for our Craft Booth. If you have an item or items for our craft booth please contact Lynn Frederick 225-324-4289 or Lisa Deaton 225-933-3242. Items may be brought to the school office, please label with your name and contact information.

Who Will Kiss the Goat?

Will Deacon Robert and Deacon Ronnie - Team 1 or Kathie Wilson (P.E teacher) and Sarah Love (music teacher) (Team 2) have to kiss the goat? This weekend, April 8 & 9 we will have donation boxes for the Kiss the Goat contest in the gathering space at all the Masses. Stop by and make your donation, if Ms. Wilson and Ms. Love collect the most money, Deacon Robert and Deacon Ronnie will have to "Kiss the Goat", Saturday evening at the fair.

Ring A Drink Booth

Please consider donating a two - liter drink to the Ring A Drink booth we will have at our annual Festival of Two Rivers. You may begin sending these to school immediately. We appreciate your help and support with this effort.



ST.ALPHONSUS PARISH COMMUNITY FESTIVAL OF TWO RIVERS T-SHIRT ORDER FORM



| NAME: | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|
| HOME OR CELL# | | | |
| HOMEROOM AT SAS | | | |
| | YOUTH T-SHIRT, WIT | TH FULL COLOR LOGO AND I | DESIGN \$10.00 |
| | SMALL(6-8) | MEDIUM(10-12) | LARGE(14-16) |
| | ADULT T-SHIRT, WIT | TH FULL COLOR LOGO AND I | DESGIN \$12.00 |
| | SMALL | MEDIUM | LARGE |
| | XLARGE | 2XLARGE | 3XLARGE |
| | Please return the comp | leted form with payment to | the school office. |
| | Checks should be m | ade payable to St. Alphonsu | us Church Fair. |
| | T-Shirts may also be or | rdered online at <u>www.festiv</u> | valoftworivers.com |
| Forms and | Money mus | t be Returned o | or Ordered Online By |
| | THURS | DAY, APRIL 13,2 | 017. |
| Kids w | ill be able to | wear to school | on certain days. |
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Passports are offered to everyone.

<u>Not</u> limited to St. Alphonsus School students.

<u>Early Birds Only!</u>

- \$45 *Toddler 2nd grade
- \$50 3rd grade & Up

Festival Price \$60

Unlimited Rides All Weekend!

(Height Restrictions May Apply)

Early Bird purchase by April 27, 2017!

- Online at <u>www.festivaloftworivers.com</u>
- Send order form with check to the school or church office.
- Send picture to <u>passports@stalphonsusbr.org</u>

ALL EARLY BIRD ORDERS & PICTURES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2017

Armbands

• <u>Only Available for Purchase</u> <u>at Ticket Booth!</u>

*Parent Armband only with "Toddler - 2nd grade" Passport

*\$10 Good for the entire weekend !

| Session #1 | Friday | 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm | \$25 |
|------------|----------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Session #2 | Saturday | 11:00 am - 3:00 pm | \$25 |
| Session #3 | Saturday | 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm | \$25 |
| Session #4 | Saturday | 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm | \$25 |
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| Fair Opens | Sunday | 11:00 am - 12:00pm | Passports Only! |
| Session #5 | Sunday | 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm | \$25 |
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All Armband sales will end 1 hour before the close of each session!



St. Alphonsus Liguori Catholic Church Festival of Two Rivers April 28-30, 2017

Passport Order Form

PLEASE COMPLETE ONE FORM PER STUDENT

| Passport Name: | Grade |
|---|--------------------|
| Parent(Guardian): | Phone # |
| Additional Contact: (Someone other than youself) | Phone # |
| | SIGNATURE REQUIRED |

Parent or Guardian Signature

"Passport"

| | Early Bird Price | Festival Price |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Toddler-2nd Grade | \$45 | \$60 |
| 3rd Grade and Up | \$50 | \$60 |

Height restrictions may apply.

Please make checks payable to "St. Alphonsus Fair".

Return form with payment to the church or school office. If you do not attend St. Alphonsus School please send picture to passports@stalphonsusbr.org

ALL ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2017

| FOR OFFICE USE ONLY | | | Passport ID# |
|---------------------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Date Pmt Received: | Ck# / Rec#: | Amount: | 17- |
| Received by: | Notes: | | L/- |