



St. Alphonsus Catholic School

Kaleidoscope Connection

Forming Faith and Future

October 13, 2011

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Principal's Message

The Living Rosary was so beautiful and touching. Thank you to all who participated. I am also very excited about our pledge collections for the Hornet Fun Run. I hope that you can make plans to join us that day and bring your camera. It looks like I'll be kissing that alligator!! Keep on getting those pledges. Our students and facilities will benefit directly from your generosity.

Have a great weekend. Cindy Ryals

Carpool Entrance

Please be aware that you should ENTER morning carpool on Frenchtown Road. Carpool begins at 7:45 and ends promptly at 8:10. Students arriving in the carpool line after the 8:10 bell will be considered tardy. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be on Friday, October 14th beginning at 1:30. If you have not received a conference request and would like one, please contact your child's teacher.

Early Dismissal

Due to Parent/Teacher Conferences, there will be early dismissal on Friday, October 14th at 1:00 PM. Please note that there will be no aftercare on early dismissal days.

Spirit Shirts

The office has additional spirit shirts available for purchase. If you missed the initial order, here is your chance to purchase. These shirts can be worn on the last Friday of each month and on field trips (when approved). Shirts sell for \$8.00. Limited sizes are available. Orders can be sent to Dana at ddu-et@stalphonsusbr.org

Rosary Group

Our next Rosary Group will be on Tuesday, October 25th from 4-4:30 pm in the church. The Rosary group is open to all members of St. Alphonsus School and Church.

Report Cards

Report Cards were sent home today for grades K - 8th. Please sign the Report Card Envelope and return it to school by Monday.

Upcoming Events

- October 13 - Report Cards
- October 13 - Drama Club & 4H Club
- October 14 - Conferences & Early Dismissal
- October 17 - School Bus Safety Week
- October 27 - Hornet Fun Run

Don't lose your friend by bullying
with no respect.

Do Conflict Resolution

Addison Porche - 5A



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God's Helping Hands

Our next service project will be October 29th in the Family Center to help Kids in Ministry with St. Alphonsus Church. Start time will be 6pm and will end at 8pm. Our helping hands will be working the game booths, setting up, and helping with the children. As always thank you for your support.

2010-2011 8th Grade Yearbook Signing

There will be a yearbook signing party for last year's St. Alphonsus 8th graders at the cafeteria on Sunday, October 23, at 1:00 pm (after the noon mass). Pizza will be served. RSVP to Melissa LeSage at Melissabr@cox.net or 261-8282 so that we can order enough pizza. If you ordered a yearbook and are unable to attend, you can pick it up at the school office after October 23.

Hornet Fun Run

AWESOME! We passed up the school goal by \$785.21 bringing our current grand total to \$20,785.21!! Keep working hard on your sponsors so we can continue to raise funds for our school. Remember every dollar collected goes right back to the school. Here are our standings as of today:

1st Place Homeroom: 4B Miss Phillips
2nd Place Homeroom: KB Mrs. Martone
3rd Place Homeroom: 8B Mrs. Stanly

1st Place Student: \$745 Cole Alberty
2nd Place Student: \$700 Justin & Claire McNeely (tie)
3rd Place Student: \$600 Callie Wells

Our next collection date is October 18th.

Redemptorist Schools of BR Open House

The Redemptorist Schools of Baton Rouge will be having their Open House on Tuesday, October 18, 2011 beginning at 6 p.m. with a short program in St. Gerard Church. At the conclusion of the program parents and students will have the opportunity to tour the campus. For more information please contact the school at 225.357.0936.

Fun Dress Day Success!

Our last fun dress day on Oct. 5th for Breast Cancer Awareness raised \$463.62. Thank you so much for your generous donations. The next fun dress day will be on November 9th. This will be our Thanksgiving food collection. More information will be sent home.

Home and School

The October Raffle Halloween Basket will be drawn on Monday Oct. 24. The basket will be kept in the office for previewing.

Basket items include:

- * 3-Pack Lighted Ghost Set
- * 5 Piece Lighted Pumpkin Lawn Stake Set
- * 4ft. Halloween Inflatable
- * Kids Halloween CD
- * Pin the Nose on the Pumpkin Game
- * Pumpkin Carving Pattern Book
- * Pumpkin Carving Scraper Scoop
- * Magnetic Picture Frame
- * 2 packages of Halloween Creepy Cloth
- * 2 Halloween Dish Towels
- * Purple Metal Tub

Raffle tickets (which were sent home in last week's KC) are \$0.25 each, 5 for a \$1.00 or \$5.00 for the whole sheet. We kindly ask that you PLEASE CUT the tickets apart. Please send EXACT change in an envelope marked with the child's name and teacher. A check may also be sent for the amount purchased made payable to SAS Home and School. For future raffles you may want to take note of the following hint suggestion: Fill out one sheet and make copies before you cut it up. In the future you will not have to fill them out again!

