



# St. Alphonsus Catholic School

## The Buzz

*Forming Faith and Future*

Dr. Cynthia C. Ryals, Principal

October 26, 2023

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 27 - School Mass
- October 30 - November 3 - Red Ribbon Week
- October 31 - Hornet Run Turn In Day
- November 1 - School Mass
- November 3 - Hornet Run

On November 3rd, students will dismiss at 1:00 p.m. There will be NO AFTERCARE on this day.

## Student of the Year

Congratulations to Caroline Hebert and Emmy Graves! They have been selected as St. Alphonsus 2023-2024 Students of the Year! This program recognizes one 5th grader and one 8th grader every year. These students have demonstrated excellent academic achievement, leadership ability and citizenship. We are so proud of you!!!

Congratulations to the 2023-2024 St. Alphonsus 5th and 8th Grade Students of the Year



Caroline Hebert  
5th Grade

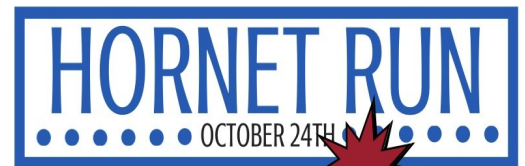


Emmy Graves  
8th Grade

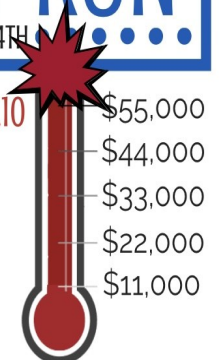
## Hornet Fun Run

Thank you so much for the tremendous support so far for our Hornet Fun Run fundraiser. This week we collected \$20,334.08. As of today, our students have turned in a total of \$86,159.10. The last turn in day is **Tuesday, October 31st**. We are looking forward to **November 3rd** and hope that you can join us for this fun-filled day. Because we do not utilize an outside company to run this fundraiser, 100% of the profits will come to St. Alphonsus School. Thank you again for your awesome support!

*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.*



Current Total \$86,159.10



100% OF PROCEEDS GO DIRECTLY TO THE SCHOOL!



# Red Ribbon Week

October 30th – November 3rd

Wear your Red Ribbon daily for a prize drawing

*The Red Ribbon organization serves as a catalyst to mobilize communities to educate youth and encourage participation in drug prevention activities. This year our Red Ribbon Week will be held from October 30th – November 3rd. During this week, we will have various dress days and activities for the students.*



\*\*Please note that all dress days are optional. Students may wear regular spirit dress or regular school uniforms if they do not wish to participate in the specific Red Ribbon dress day.

- **Monday, October 30th - Red Ribbon Kickoff Assembly - Ready to be Drug Free:** Students may wear a red shirt with spirit dress guidelines.
- **Tuesday, October 31st - Say Boo to Drugs:** Students may wear a school appropriate Halloween shirt with spirit dress guidelines. No costumes or face paint.
- **Wednesday, November 1st - My Future is Drug Free:** Students may wear a college shirt with spirit dress guidelines or spirit dress.
- **Thursday, November 2nd - Drugs Can't Find Me:** Students may wear a camo shirt with spirit dress. No face paint.
- **Friday, November 3rd - Hornet Run: We are Hornet Strong Against Drugs:** Students will wear their Hornet Run shirt with uniform bottoms or SAS PE shorts. No other shorts will be allowed.

## Carpool

- **Slow down and be alert!**
- **Cell phone use is prohibited when in the carpool lane.**
- **DO NOT ENTER ON GREENWELL SPRINGS ROAD IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH!** The turning lane is not allowed to back up traffic on Greenwell Springs Rd.

## Happy 60th Birthday SAS



Happy 60th Birthday to St. Alphonsus Liguori School! We are excited to begin planning some activities to celebrate 60 wonderful years of Catholic education. One of the ways will be to get in touch with all of our past students. Please use the link to be in our alumni database. We would also like you to share your favorite memory from your time at St. Alphonsus <https://forms.gle/do4ephfWaDGc2LUn6> . We will be sharing this link on Facebook, but please share with other alumni of the school. We are looking forward to hearing from our past students!



# Athletic News

## Girls Basketball

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

Let's Pack the Gym for their last home game!

**Thursday, November 2nd**

6th grade plays at 5:45 p.m.

7th grade plays at 6:30 p.m.

8th grade plays at 7:15 p.m.

## Football

Come show your support for our boys' football teams at St. George!

**Sunday, October 29th:**



3rd and 4th grade play at 12:00 p.m.

5th and 6th grade play at 1:00 p.m.

7th and 8th grade play at 2:30 p.m.

## Basketball Camp



We will be offering a basketball camp over Thanksgiving break for our little Hornets. The camp will take place on Wednesday, November 22nd from 9 am-4 pm. Registration is open to SAS students (boys and girls) in PK4-2nd grade. Campers will need to pack a lunch, snack, and drink. Spaces are limited so please register soon using the link below. If you have any questions please contact Scott Armand [scott.armand7@gmail.com](mailto:scott.armand7@gmail.com)

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/aVvupsnn>

## Home and School - Halloween Raffle

The Halloween basket winner will be announced tomorrow, October 27th.




**KIDS IN MINISTRY**  
**HALLOWEEN PARTY**

Sunday, October 29, 2023  
 5-8 PM in the Parish Activity Center  
 for Babies through Fifth Graders

Please RSVP through [alphonus.org](http://alphonus.org) by October 25.



Honoring Our

**VETERANS**

Please join us as we honor all U.S. military veterans and all branches of the U.S. military at our 16th Annual Veterans Mass on Sunday, November 12, 2023, at 10 AM. Reception to follow in the St. Francis Room.



**ST. ALPHONSUS CHRISTMAS DANCE**

Sponsored by the Prime Timers

Saturday, December 2, 2023  
 from 7 - 10 PM

Emmanuel Hall in the Parish Activity Center  
 Doors open at 6 PM.

Ice and drinks will be available.  
 Bring your own bottles.  
 Must be 21+ to enter.

Come dance along to the  
 • Kenny Cornett Band!

Tickets:  
 \$10 each at the Church Office  
 \$15 each at the doors (Cash only)



JOIN US FOR A  
**CHRISTMAS SING-ALONG**

FROM 6-7:30 PM  
**DECEMBER 17, 2023**  
 IN THE PARISH ACTIVITY CENTER

Sponsored by the St. Alphonsus Liturgy Committee





# NOVEMBER 2023

## Elementary Schools

 LUNCH

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



6  
Chicken Smackers  
Spaghetti and Cheese  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Vegetable Melody  
Mixed Berries with Whipped Cream  
**Choice:** Pizza  
Power Cup

7  
Gumbo  
Potato Salad  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Diced Peaches  
Dinner Roll  
**Choice:** Chicken Smackers  
Power Cup

1  
BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich  
Baked Beans  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Diced Pears  
**Choice:** Chef Caesar Salad  
Power Cup

2  
Pastalaya  
Garden Salad  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Sorbet Cup  
**Choice:** Chicken Teriyaki Rice Bowl  
Power Cup

3  
Nachos  
Nacho Salad Cup  
Salsa  
Mexican Corn  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Orange Wedges  
**Choice:** Pizza  
Power Cup

13  
Chicken Tenders  
Red Beans and Rice  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Pineapples  
Biscuit  
**Choice:** Pizza  
Power Cup

14  
Soft Tacos  
Taco Salad Cup  
Pinto Beans  
Salsa  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Sorbet Cup  
**Choice:** Chicken Smackers  
Power Cup

8  
Hamburger/Cheeseburger  
Lettuce and Pickle Cup  
French Fries  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Tropical Fruit  
**Choice:** Chef Chicken Smacker Salad  
Power Cup

9  
**Thanksgiving Meal:**  
Pork Fricassee  
Rice and Gravy  
Corn  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Sorbet Cup  
Dinner Roll  
Celebration Cupcake  
**No Choices Today**

10  
Macaroni and Cheese  
Green Beans  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Strawberry Applesauce  
**Choice:** Pizza  
Power Cup

15  
Chicken Smackers  
Mashed Potatoes  
Buttered Corn  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Red Apple Wedges  
Dinner Roll  
**Choice:** Chef Taco Salad  
Power Cup

16  
Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza  
Buttered Corn  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Garden Salad  
Diced Peach Cup  
**Choice:** Chicken Teriyaki Rice Bowl  
Power Cup

17  
**Brunch for Lunch:**  
Egg Bites  
Biscuits  
Grits  
Tator Tots  
Fruit Choice

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**Thanksgiving Break**

27  
Honey Citrus Chicken  
Fried Rice  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Pineapples  
**Choice:** Pizza  
Power Cup

28  
Spaghetti and Meatsauce  
Garden Salad  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Orange Wedges  
Garlic Bread Stick  
**Choice:** Chicken Smackers  
Power Cup

29  
BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich  
Baked Beans  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Tropical Fruit  
**Choice:** Chef Caesar Salad  
Power Cup

30  
Pastalaya  
Garden Salad  
Garden Variety Veggies  
Sorbet Cup  
**Choice:** Chicken Teriyaki Rice Bowl  
Power Cup



**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](https://www.MyschoolBucks.com)