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THE BUZZ

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St. Alphonsus Catholic School

Forming Faith and Future



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.

Upcoming Events

- **October 16 -** School Mass
- **October 18** - Football Games at SJV
- **October 19 -** Girls Home Basketball Games
- **October 19-23 -** Red Ribbon Week / Sock Drive (See page 2 for more information)
- **October 20 -** Hornet Run Turn in Day
- **October 21 -** Girls Home Basketball Games
- **October 22 -** School Mass
- **October 23 -** Hornet Run / 1:00 p.m. Dismissal / No Aftercare
- **October 25 -** Football Game at Holy Family
- **October 28 -** Spirit Dress / Hornet Run Fun Day

On **October 23rd, students will dismiss at 1:00 p.m. There will be NO AFTERCARE on this day; however, buses will run.*

Hornet Fun Run

Thanks to your incredible generosity, we've collected **$72,930.09** for the Hornet Run so far! With one week left, let's keep the momentum going and finish strong!

- Final turn-in day: **Tuesday, October 20th**
- Don't forget about the **Memory Walk** signs, which are also a special part of our Fun Run Day!
- **Want to get involved?** We're looking for **volunteers** to help make the Fun Run day a success. Whether it's handing out water, cheering on students, or helping with setup, your time and energy make a big difference!

Thank you for your continued support and effort in making the Hornet Run a huge success!



Donate to the Hornet Run
Volunteer at the Hornet Run








Our Hornets are having fun reaching their weekly class goals!

Red Ribbon Week

October 19th-23rd

***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. Click **HERE** for the free dress guidelines (page 34).*

The Red Ribbon organization serves as a catalyst to mobilize communities to educate youth and encourage participation in drug prevention activities and making healthy choices. This year our Red Ribbon Week will be held from October 19th – October 23rd. During this week, we will have various dress days and activities for the students.

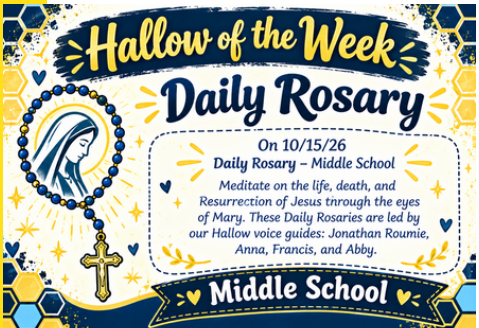


Sock It to Me!

During Red Ribbon Week, we're taking a stand by giving back! We're collecting new socks to support those in need. Every pair makes a difference. Your donations are greatly appreciated!

Donation Dates: **October 19th-23rd**
Please have all donations turned in by **Friday, October 23rd.*





Click HERE to listen to the episodes.

Be the Light of Christ Prayer

Dear Jesus, (hands folded)
Help me be Your light today. (hands over heart)
May my words be kind, (point to your mouth)
my choices be wise, (point to your head)
and my actions show Your love. (hands open in front)
Help me shine at school. (hands raised)
at home. (make a roof with your hands)
and wherever I go. (march two small steps)
Let others see Your light in me. (hand over heart then outward)
Amen. (Sign of the Cross)



Girls Basketball Tournament

This week, we're hosting our Let's Geaux Pink Tournament!
This year, we're proud to Geaux Pink in support of Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center!

A portion of all sales throughout the weekend will be donated directly to Mary Bird Perkins to support their incredible work in the fight against cancer.

Want to make an additional contribution? Scan the QR code below to donate directly to Mary Bird Perkins in honor of our tournament!

Let's pack the gym, support our teams, and Geaux Pink for a great cause!





Save the Date

November 6th - Mass Dress

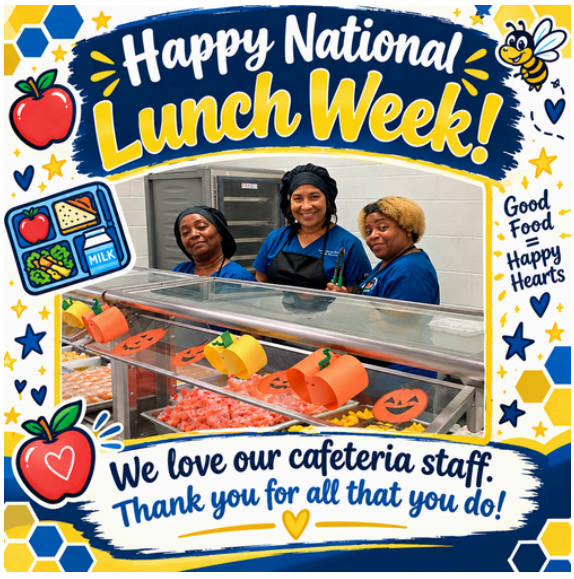
Beginning Friday, November 6th all students are required to wear Mass uniform on Mass days. Click **HERE** for the student handbook (page 29).

December 1st - Online Enrollment Opens

Current / Returning Students and New Sibling online enrollment opens.
Registration Timeline

December 14th - Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest

The Knights of Columbus Christmas Poster Contest is coming soon! Posters are due on **December 14th**. More information will be shared soon.







Soccer and Basketball Registration

Registration is now open for Boys Soccer, Girls Soccer, and Boys Basketball! Don't miss the opportunity for your child to get involved, build skills, and be part of a Hornet team. Click the links below to register.

[Boys Soccer Link 5th-8th]
[Girls Soccer Link 5th-8th]
[BBB Link 3rd-8th]









Congratulations to our third-grade girls' basketball team for placing first and our fourth-grade white team for placing second in the St. Jude Tournament last weekend!



- PK-8th Grade: $3.75 / Visitors: $6.30
- For all cafeteria news, please go to the Child Nutrition website at www.cnpbr.org

CAFETERIA NEWS

My School Bucks

VOLUNTEERS

We can always use helping hands in our cafeteria. Please see **THIS LINK** to volunteer to serve lunch. Parents and grandparents are welcome. The shift is from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and is a recurring monthly spot. Volunteers can start the week of September 28th and must have completed the child protection packet and background check. If you would like to get your background checked, email our Office Manager, Missy Savoy, at msavoy@stalphonsusbr.org for more information.

CAFETERIA REMINDERS

- Personal checks are accepted for meal payments, in addition to our online payment system, MySchoolBucks.
- Parents may join their child for lunch; however, siblings or non-adult guests are NOT allowed due to limited seating and safety regulations.



ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Be the Light of Christ

Let Your Light Shine in the Hive

PRAY TOGETHER WITH HALLOW

Let Christ’s light shine at home.

Prayer helps us grow closer to Jesus and share His light with others. Through our school partnership with Hallow, make time to pray as a family - at breakfast, after school, or before bed.

START WITH YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL ACCOUNT

PK3 & PK4

Email: first name + last initial @stalphonsusbr.org
Example: kristint@stalphonsusbr.org
Password: hornets123

KINDERGARTEN - 8TH GRADE

Select **“Continue with Google.”**
Sign in using your child's St. Alphonsus school Google account credentials.

Families may explore the school-provided prayer content using their child's login.

WANT YOUR OWN PARENT ACCOUNT?

Use our school partnership code for a **free 90-day trial.**

Promo code: SchoolPartner90days

1. Visit **hallow.com/portal/#/redeem** and enter the code.
2. Choose “Continue with Email” or “Continue with Google.”
3. If prompted for a phone number, select “Use Email Instead.”
4. Sign in or create your account and follow the remaining prompts.

Parents may cancel at any time or choose to continue after the trial.

MAKE PRAYER PART OF YOUR FAMILY ROUTINE

Choose a comfortable spot and a regular time to pray. Listen together, share a short reflection, or invite each family member to offer a prayer intention. Even a few minutes can help your family grow closer to God and one another.

“In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.”
Matthew 5:16

Questions? Contact Mrs. Tate at ktate@stalphonsusbr.org



New Student OPEN HOUSE

November 4th
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

St. Alphonsus Catholic School

13940 Greenwell Springs Road
Greenwell Springs, LA 70739
225-261-5299 stalphonsusbr.org
Kristy Monsour, Principal



Sign-up for a tour at
www.stalphonsusbr.org

Who Are We?

- Religious Education
- Weekly Mass
- Dyslexia Lab Program
- GRACE Special Education Program
- Reading and Math Intervention
- Counseling Program
- Morning and Afternoon Care Program
- Computer Lab
- Hands-On Interactive Science Lab
- Spanish 2nd-8th grade
- High School Credit in Algebra 1, Physical Science, and Spanish 1
- Summer Camp
- Athletics 3rd-8th grade
- Extracurricular activities/clubs

PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION

SPACE IS LIMITED — REGISTER YOUR TEAM EARLY!

PLAY. TAILGATE. GIVE BACK.

REGISTER NOW!

The Inaugural SAS Pickleball
CLASSIC & TAILGATE
Saturday, November 21, 2026
St. Alphonsus Gym

GRAB A PARTNER & JOIN THE FUN!

TOURNAMENT DETAILS

- 2-person teams
- Men, women, & mixed teams welcome
- Ages 16+
- All skill levels welcome
- No age divisions
- Fun, family-friendly atmosphere
- Tournament format & schedule will be announced once registration closes

PRICING PER TEAM

$150 GENERAL REGISTRATION

$90 STUDENT RATE (AGES 16-22)

Registration includes:
- Entry for one 2-person team
- Guaranteed 2 games/matches

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER.

Register HERE

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

PLAY. TAILGATE. GIVE BACK.

THE INAUGURAL
SAS PICKLEBALL CLASSIC & TAILGATE

Hosted by the St. Alphonsus Alumni Association

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2026
ST. ALPHONSUS SCHOOL

SPONSORSHIP TIERS:

BLUE SPONSOR $150	GOLD SPONSOR $300	HORNET SPONSOR $500	COURT SPONSOR (ONLY 2 AVAILABLE) $750
• Digital logo displayed on shared sponsor slide at event • Shared social media recognition	• Larger digital logo displayed on shared sponsor slide at event • Shared social media recognition	• Dedicated digital logo displayed on sponsor slide at event • Individual social media spotlight • (1) pickleball team entry ($150 value)	SOLD OUT • Dedicated digital logo displayed on sponsor slide at event • Individual social media spotlight • Courtside logo sign • (1) pickleball team entry ($150 value)

MONETARY OR IN-KIND DONATIONS WELCOME

INTERESTED IN SPONSORING THIS EVENT?
SCAN QR CODE OR CLICK LINK TO COMPLETE THE INTEREST FORM. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED BY THE ALUMNI COMMITTEE TO COMPLETE PAYMENT!

QUESTIONS/INQUIRIES:
Please email **alumni@stalphonsusbr.org** for more information and donations needed!

CELEBRATING A LEGACY, INVESTING IN OUR FUTURE.

ST. ALPHONSUS CHRISTMAS

CRAFT MARKET AND FESTIVAL 2026

FRIDAY, NOV. 13 12 PM-8 PM
SATURDAY, NOV. 14 9 AM-2 PM

CHRISTMAS MARKET

- VENDORS OFFERING UNIQUE ARTISAN GIFTS AND ITEMS
- TWO DAY EVENT: FRI & SAT.
- CHICKEN AND SAUSAGE GUMBO / CONCESSIONS SERVED FRESH ALL WEEKEND
- SWEETS SALE

CAR SHOW AND CHILI COOKOFF

- SATURDAY: CAR SHOW AND CHILI COOK OFF ON THE CHURCH GROUNDS. 9AM-2PM

FR. JASON'S CHRISTMAS VILLAGE

- ON DISPLAY IN THE RECTORY FRI. & SAT.

CHS JAZZ BAND PERFORMANCE

- LIVE PERFORMANCE SATURDAY AT THE CHRISTMAS MARKET

PARISH ACTIVITY CENTER
14158 FRENCHTOWN RD.
GREENWELL SPRINGS, LA 70739



St. Alphonsus Christmas Craft Market



Save the Date: November 13th and 14th
Vendor Cost: $50 for both days (non-refundable)
Vendor space will be 8x8
Location: St. Alphonsus Parish Activity Center (PAC)
14158 Frenchtown Road
Market Times: Friday: 12:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Contacts:
Email Vicki Whittington at gramps00543@cox.net
Call Alicia Miller at (225)241-7570

Vendors Register Here

Activities include a car show and cook off that will be held on the church grounds on Saturday, November 14th. More information to come on additional market activities at a later date.

Vendors Click HERE to Register





Click HERE to Register









