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#### **Mother's Day Gifts**

Bundtlets for Sale! HSA is sponsoring a Mother's Day fundraiser with Nothing Bundt Cakes. Choose from 10 flavors of these delicious treats and help support our school. Orders are due May 2 and delivery will be May 6. Flyers came home last week. You can also contact Margaret Vagnoni at <a href="mailto:mvagnoni74@yahoo.com">mvagnoni74@yahoo.com</a> for more information.

#### **Cougars Game**

Here's a great way to end the year! Join us for Holy Angels Night with the Kane County Cougars on Thursday, June 2. The HA Choir will be singing "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" during the 7th inning stretch. Hotdogs, pop, and draft beer will be selling for only \$1. Flyers will be sent home and tickets are only \$10 through HSA.

#### **Restaurant Night**

This month's HSA restaurant fundraiser will be at Banana Split next Wednesday, April 27. Flyers with coupons will be coming home today.

#### **Nursery Help**

The parish is looking for help from 5-8th graders in the nursery for the 9:30 Mass. Contact Lynn Kavcar (<u>Ikavcar@holyangelsschool.net</u>.) if your child is interested in serving.

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#### April Showers Bring...Babies?

April showers bring May flowers but in our case they brought a baby! Mrs. Watgen and her husband, Nick, welcomed Brantley Nicholas on Saturday, April 16 at 12:25 PM. Brantley weighed 6 pounds 4 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long. Considering that Mrs. Watgen wasn't due for another 5 weeks, Brantley truly was a healthy surprise. Mom and baby are both doing well.

#### Read-A-Thon

We started our *Read-a-thon* on Monday. This is a week that we set aside to turn off the TV and read. It's also a simple way to raise a few dollars for our school. One hundred percent of the proceeds go to our school to support various programs. This year we want to purchase a new reading series for our primary grades. Money that we raise will go towards purchasing the leveled library that goes with the basal



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#### **NIU Summer Camps**

Northern Illinois University is excited to announce great opportunities for middle school students at their 2016
Academic Summer Camps. If you are interested in having your child participate in a digital media camp or creative writing camp, contact the College of Liberal Arts at 815-753-5200 or email LASEP@niu.edu.

## **Summer Sports Camps**

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Marmion will be hosting a variety of camps this summer for students in grades 3-12. Camps being offered are: basketball, cross-country (coed), football, and soccer (coed.) Please visit <a href="https://www.marion.org/sportscamps">www.marion.org/sportscamps</a> for additional details and registration information.

#### **RLS Tutoring Camps**

RLS Tutoring will be offering academic camps this summer for students in grades 2-8. Camps being offered are: balanced literacy, math camp, military games camp, and study skills camp. These camps will be held at either Holy Cross School or St. Peter's School in Geneva. Please visit <a href="https://www.rlstutoringinc.org">www.rlstutoringinc.org</a> for more information.

## St. Anne's Scholarship

For any 8th graders applying for a St. Anne's Scholarship, forms are due to the office tomorrow.

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We are planning a book swap this year for our annual *Read-a-thon*. The library will collect these books to be distributed during the *Read-a-Thon*. For every book brought in by a student, they will receive a ticket. During *Read-a-Thon* those tickets can be redeemed from the books collected. What a fun way to dispose of old books and embark on new reading adventures with a new book!

During *Read-a-thon*, students will be able to purchase raffle tickets to win reading baskets donated by our teachers. One of the most exciting raffle items is the complete collection of the <u>Minecraft Complete Hardbound Handbooks</u>. Tickets are \$1 apiece. Classes will also be competing to be the top readers of the event.

Our Family Reading Night will be held in the gym on Tuesday, April 26 from 6:30-7:30. Families are encouraged to bring their favorite books and blankets. Along with reading with mom and dad, the book swap will be available as well as concessions. Students may also make book marks.

Please consider gathering pledges or making a flat donation towards our *Read-a-thon*.

### Junior High Play

Holy Angels junior high students will present Mirror Image on Thursday and Friday, April 21 and 22. Show times are at 7:00 pm each evening. "Fantasy comes face to face with the hard reality of high school in this pop musical adventure where the best — and worst! — of both worlds meet." Some of the main characters are played by Dominic Diedrich, Olivia Hawkins, Ryan Schiltz, Justin Dorpat, Corrine Pierce and Ella Havertape; and Bryanna Alvarez. Plan to come and support our talented actors and actresses.

Thank you to all of the generous families who were able to meet our need to purchase new microphones. Within three hours of sending the Flocknote, we had enough money to buy all of the body-mics. Isn't that incredible?

#### **Next Week**

Monday - Read-a-thon continues

**Tuesday -** Family Reading Night 6:30-7:30 Jordan Gym

Wednesday -

Thursday -

Friday - Mass 8:15

Early Dismissal 11:20 Morning Bus Only

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