

ECHOES OF ANGELS

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ...

Report Cards

Report cards will be available for viewing after 3:00 tomorrow. You must be current in tuition to be able to view report cards. As a gentle reminder, you must also be current by February 15 or students will not be allowed to return to school.

Education Credit

Please be on the lookout for your education credit letter in your email for taxes purposes. If you do not receive one, please contact Mary Sadowski directly in the office.

Junior High Dance

The date for the final junior high dance has been changed to Friday, May 5 to avoid conflicting with our spring choir concert.

Uniform Sale

Schoolbelles is offering 20% off all fleece, sweaters & sweatshirts, including school specific items. You can shop online at www.schoolbelles.com.



Spelling Bee

Congratulations to Lola Blankenheim from Room 602 who is our school's spelling bee champion. She will compete in the Kane County regional semi-finals on February 16.

First Communion Retreat

There is a mandatory parent retreat scheduled for Wednesday, March 22 from 6:30-7:30 PM in Connor Hall or Saturday, March 25 from 9:00-10:00 AM in Connor. One parent must attend one of these sessions. As the mom of an 8th grader who had to attend a mandatory confirmation retreat last fall, I can attest that this was incredibly inspirational and very affirming as a parent trying to raise a faith-filled child. More





Pasta for Priests

The Knights are also sponsoring **Pasta for Priests** event on Saturday, January 21 from 5:00-7:00 in Connor Hall. The cost is \$10 per person or \$25 per family for salad, bread, all-you-can-eat spaghetti, a drink and dessert. This event will help support the awesome priests, seminarians, and evangelization efforts. They are also looking for students who may need service hours to help them with this event. Contact Pat Gengler if your child can volunteer.

Free Throw Contest

The Knights of Columbus Annual Free Throw Contest will be held on Tuesday, January 24 from 2:30-4:00 in the Conover Gym. All students ages 9-14 are encouraged to attend. Students should hold onto their permission slips until the day of the event.

information will be sent via email to all second grade parents.

Dress for Fundraising Success

Still deciding what to wear to the Seraphim Ball on March 11? Wondering what styles will be seen at the ball? Still searching for the perfect necklace or shoes? Guests can dress in classic or themed formal wear - whatever they choose (black tie optional).

Still need a zoot suit or dress? Don't stress! Revive an old look or swap clothes with a friend - the possibilities have no end. And remember, the kids will benefit more if you give at the ball...and spend less at the store!

For those who want to take part in the '20s fun, try these options for a look that's second to none:

Flappers: Feather boas, long pearls and beaded necklaces, gloves, fringed shawls, fur stoles, beaded headbands, etc.

Fellas: Fedoras, suspenders, winged tips, vest, derby hats, etc.

Whether you're flaunting new feathers or an old party dress - supporting Holy Angels School is sure to impress!

Ball Sign Up Parties

Calling all Holy Angels families and staff!! Are you interested in supporting the Seraphim Ball but not sure what to do? Why not be a host of a Sign-up Party? As a host you get to pick the activity, date, time and maximum number of participants for your party. The host coordinates the details of the party and supports all costs associated with it. A value will be assigned for someone to participate in your party, then families will sign-up at the ball and pay that amount, which goes to the profits of the ball.

Some party ideas are:

- Pizza and bowling at Funway
- Rollerskating at Aurora Skate
- Back to school happy hour at someone's home in August
- First grade breakfast/tea party
- Mommy and Me Yoga
- Build your own sundaes with a teacher
- Craft and games
- Just for Men Poker Party
- Dance and pizza Party during lunch/recess

- Girls' manicure parties
- Movie night in the gym. Join teachers on a Friday night for a movie and popcorn
- Tank time - spend an afternoon at Cantigny Park exploring the army tanks

The possibilities are endless - you are welcome to come up with the theme/activity of your choice. Please contact Natalie Jump with any questions or to sign-up for a party at njump76@gmail.com or [630-802-1560](tel:630-802-1560).

Fine Arts Fair

In conjunction with our Open House to celebrate the kick-off of Catholic Schools Week on Sunday, January 29, from 10:30-12:30, Holy Angels will be sponsoring a Fine Arts Fair in the school library. Every Holy Angels student is invited to submit one or two original works of art for display for the fair. Categories include photography, sculpture, fabric craft, painting, drawing, weaving, or any other original creation. Please mount any two-dimensional art on black poster board. All artwork must be labeled with the student's name and homeroom number. All entries must be submitted to Mrs. Williams' office by Friday, January 20. Please contact Bethany Hollarbush (rnpga@hotmail.com) or Ann Belskis (annbelskis@gmail.com) with any questions.

Crazy Colossal Carnival of Fun

The Crazy Colossal Carnival of Fun is coming! February 4th is this year's Family Fun Fest and the committee is looking for volunteers to help with a variety of tasks and donations. Please check out the volunteer sign-up link on the Holy Angels website (<https://signup.com/group/12783822100117>). If you have any questions please email Dan and Mary Piecuch at dmpiecuch@yahoo.com. Information will be coming home to purchase early bird wristbands and will be due January 27th.

Chicago Wolves Game

Please join Holy Angel Families and choir members for a fun day out with the family at the Chicago Wolves game on Sunday, February 12th at 3 pm! Tickets are \$20 per person and Holy Angel families will be seated together. This is a fundraiser for our school. Our choir will be singing before the game and our name will be displayed during the game. Information came home last week, but please email megswiatek@comcast.net with any questions or concerns. Order forms are due at the latest Friday, January 27. Come join the fun!

Next Week at a Glance

Monday -

Tuesday - Free Throw Contest Conover Gym

Wednesday -

Thursday -

Friday - Mass 8:15

Saturday - Pinewood Derby Conover Gym

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, Holy Angels School is committed to spiritual formation, which nurtures the Catholic faith and inspires its practice. It is committed to academic excellence, which fosters the growth of each individual. Holy Angels School strives to meet the intellectual, social, and ethical challenges of living in a technological, global, and culturally diverse society.



Mass Times

Saturday: 4:30

Sunday: 6:45, 8:00*, 9:30, 11:00

*1st & 3rd Sundays Extraordinary Form of the Mass (in Latin)

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