

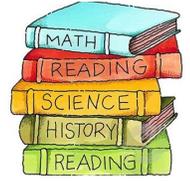


THE THURSDAY NEWS

September 12, 2019



Sunday, September 15th: Grandparent's Day Celebration
Tuesday, September 17th: 9:30AM-10:30AM, High School Fair for Jr. High Students
Tuesday, September 17th: Save the evening: Dine & Share At Dog Stop Restaurant
Thursday, September 19th: 1st Grade Field Trip to Safety Town
Friday, September 20th: No School; Staff Development
Tuesday, September 24th: Fall Picture Day (Wear dress up clothes)
Saturday, September 28th: 8th Grade Car Wash



Handbook Acknowledgement Form Contest

Don't forget: The first homeroom to turn in all of their Handbook Acknowledgement Forms will win an ice cream treat!
 Acknowledgement forms were included in last week's folder.
 The Family/Student Handbook is available online at: <http://saintferdinandschool.org/parent-corner/family-handbook/>
 If you can not access the electronic version, you may request a paper copy in the office.

World's Finest Chocolates

The Chocolate Sale begins today! Each family is receiving 1 box today, and is responsible for selling this box. Prizes are available for the top sellers. Don't forget: The Chocolate fundraiser ends on Thursday, September 26. All money should be returned by this time.

Grandparents Day Celebration

You are invited to our Grandparents Day Celebration on Sunday, September 15!
 We will begin with Family Mass at 10:00AM in the Chapel, honoring all grandparents.
 This is also our first Family Mass of the school year.
 Then, your family is invited to brunch with our staff in the Activity Center from 11:00-1:00PM.
 We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Back to School Fundraiser at The Dog Stop

On Tuesday, September 17, from 5:00PM –8:00PM, the Dog Stop Restaurant (6100 W. Belmont Ave.) is hosting a fundraiser. 15% of all food purchases will be donated to St. Ferdinand. Please mention St. Ferdinand School when ordering.

Picture Day

Picture Day will be Tuesday, September 24. Students are asked to wear dress clothes (please avoid the color green). Please make sure to return the enclosed envelope indicated your order prior to picture day.
 Retakes will be on October 29 for students that are absent.

Reminders

- Walking Home Permission:** Parents that wish to have their children walk home may fill out a permission slip. These forms are due ASAP if you want your student to be able to walk home by themselves.
- New Playground Equipment:** St. Ferdinand School received a donation from the estate of Mary Margaret Daley, Class of 1968, which was used to purchase new playground equipment (balls, jump ropes, chalk, etc.) We would like to thank her for remembering our school!
- Headphones/Earbuds:** Because students are using iReady software, each student in grades K-8 is asked to have their own pair of earbuds / headphones with them to use with the program.
- Health Records:** Students in grades K, 2, and 6 were required to turn in updated health records at the beginning of the school year. If you have not yet turned these in, please do so now.
- Sports Council Needed:** We still need parents for sports council! Please contact Mrs. Folino if you are interested!