

# Cardinal Stritch Catholic High School & Academy Newsletter

## October 27, 2017

### **Athletic Reverse Raffle – October 28**

All fall, winter, spring athletes grades 7-12 should have received their Reverse Raffle tickets. Please check with your student-athlete and make sure they give them to you. **Mark your calendars for October 28<sup>th</sup> for a great night!**

- **Reverse Raffle Clean up help is needed on Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>.** Clean up will be from 10am - 12pm on Sunday, October 29, 2017. Come and help - service hours will be awarded.

### **PreK, K and Grade 1 Halloween Parade – October 31**

Our annual Halloween parade will take place Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. The Pre-K, Kindergarten and Grade 1 will trick or treat through the entire school in their costumes. The parade will begin approximately at 9:30am.

### **Academy Halloween Jeans Day**

Students in grades PreK-8 will have a jeans day with a Halloween shirt/colors on Tuesday, October 31.

Our little cardinals in grades PreK through Grade 1 will dress in costume and parade through the hallways at approximately 9:30. Once they have completed their parade the little cardinals may remove their costume and wear jeans.

### **HS Open House – November 5, 2017**

**Sunday, November 5, 2017 is our Stritch High School Open House from Noon to 3pm.**

### **Mark your calendar for the next 2-hour delay – November 14**

**Our next scheduled 2-hour delay because of a Teacher In-Service is Tuesday, November 14, 2017. Please mark your calendars.**

### **March For Life (Jan. 18-20) - Sign-Up**

The March for Life Rally will be held January 18-20, 2018. Sign-ups for High School Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors have begun. Please have your son/daughter sign up with Mrs. Smith or Miss Azzi if he/she is interested – space is limited so sign up today!

Total cost for the Rally is \$225 which includes: Hoodie, transportation (busing), hotel, “Life is Very Good” evening prayer, Mass and Rally! The initial non-refundable deposit of \$75 is due on November 15, 2017.

Please direct questions to Mrs. Goedde at [dgoedde@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:dgoedde@cardinalstritch.org).

### **High School 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Honor**

Congratulations to all the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Honor Students! The list of scholars can be found on the school website. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter began October 16<sup>th</sup>.

### **ID Badges and School Lanyards**

Greetings Cardinal Family:  
Cardinal Stritch Catholic High School & Academy is committed to constantly reviewing and updating our safety procedures and protocol. Last year, in conjunction with the Oregon Police Department and the Oregon Fire Department, we conducted a full-scale safety drill on our campus that has helped us identify some opportunities to strengthen our daily procedures. One particular area for growth was quickly identifying students and staff during a potential incident on our campus. Therefore, **beginning October 16, 2017 we will be requiring all students to wear their photo ID badges, with the school-provided lanyard, throughout the school day.** Each student has received their ID and lanyard. If a student loses either item, they can come to the Main Office and purchase a new lanyard or ID for \$5 a piece. Thank you in advance for your support of this important procedural change. If you have any questions, please email me at [kparkins@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:kparkins@cardinalstritch.org). In Christ ~ Kevin F. Parkins

### **Attention Seniors!**

Seniors need to have their yearbook portraits taken at Prestige Photos at Levis Commons to appear in the yearbook. If the senior goes for a yearbook sitting only, it is free. **Pictures need to be taken by Thanksgiving to appear in the yearbook.** Second chance coupons were given to seniors three weeks ago. Please call and make an appointment TODAY!!! (Levis Commons, 2110 Preston Parkway, Perrysburg OH 43551 – 419-872-7550)

### **Attention 8<sup>th</sup> graders!**

Looking to get a leg up on the upcoming High School Placement Test? On November 15 and 29, Stritch will be conducting a practice test for 8<sup>th</sup> graders. Come to one or both to better prepare yourself for the test on December 2<sup>nd</sup>. To reserve your spot, email Lauryn Vargas at [lvargas@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:lvargas@cardinalstritch.org)

### **Ed Choice Checks**

Ed Choice checks have arrived. Please stop in the office to sign your check M-F 7:30a – 3:30p. Please contact the school office if you are unable to stop in during this time. **Deadline to sign is Wednesday, November 1, 2017.**

### **PTA News**

**The November PTA meeting is scheduled for next Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Media Center from 6pm to 7pm.** We will be discussing spirit wear, our Adult Wine & Canvas event that is scheduled in December and the Father/Daughter Dance. Babysitting is provided; we just ask that your child is toilet-trained.

## **Kroger Community Rewards**

**Second Quarter (8/1–10/31/17) earnings will post by the end of November.** Each quarter earnings will be replaced with the most recent quarter earnings, so you must print off your earnings quarterly and turn them into the Main Office. If you do not print off your earnings statement within the time period, you will lose those earnings! It is to your benefit to print and turn in your earnings with the *Kroger Community Rewards Earnings Statement* found on the school website or at the Main Office preferably within one week of posting.

## **From the College and Career Advisor – Mrs. Bihn**

For more college, scholarship, and more information from the College & Career Advising Office, visit my announcements page on our website here:

<http://www.cardinalstritch.org/student-life/daily-announcements/118-student-life/guidance/964-scholarships-and-college-info.html>

## **Upcoming College Visits**

Central Michigan University Tue October 31 – 8:30am

Salon Institute Tue October 31 – 12pm (cafeteria)

US Navy Thursday November 2 – 12pm (cafeteria)

Terra State Community College Friday November 17 -11:40

## **POINTS ACT Prep Course Offered**

We are excited to be offering the POINTS ACT Prep Course here at Cardinal Stritch Catholic High School & Academy. If interested, please sign up on the list in the Guidance Hallway and fill out and return the registration form with check to the Main Office by Friday, January 5, 2018. The course will run from January 6-February 17. The State-funded ACT Junior (Class of 2019) Test will be in school on February 27, 2018. While the course is scheduled to prepare Juniors (Class of 2019) for the State-funded ACT test, all students (grades 10-12) are welcome to take the POINTS ACT Prep course. Any questions or concerns, please contact the Course Instructor Mr. Eric Sieja at [esieja@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:esieja@cardinalstritch.org) or 419-693-0465, ext 234; or the College and Career Advisor Mrs. Angie Bihn at [abihn@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:abihn@cardinalstritch.org) or at 419-693-0465, ext. 218.

You can find the registration form here

<http://www.cardinalstritch.org/images/POINTSRegForm2018.pdf> and dates and course information can be found here

<http://www.cardinalstritch.org/images/POINTSFormDates2018.pdf>

## **Senior FAFSA Information**

FAFSA-Free Application for Federal Student Aid. There is no charge to complete. All students attending college fill out. **Can be completed online as early as October 1, 2017.** Use 2016 tax information when completing. Limited funds, apply early! <https://fafsa.ed.gov>

## **Junior Class of 2019 State-Funded ACT Test**

The Junior Class of 2019 will be given the State-Funded ACT **Test in school on February 27, 2018.** Cardinal Stritch will be handling the registration paperwork. On test day, students will test from roughly 8:05 – 12:00 and will be dismissed after testing. Please make transportation arrangements. The school will not be providing transportation. Students will be completed with the test and dismissed for the day around 12pm. Any

questions, please contact Debbie Pultz at [dpultz@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:dpultz@cardinalstritch.org) or Angie Bihn at [abihn@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:abihn@cardinalstritch.org)

## **10<sup>th</sup> Annual HS Financial Aid at Lourdes University**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual High School Financial Aid at Lourdes University is on November 1, 2017 from 6:30-8 at the Franciscan Center at Lourdes University. High school seniors, interested underclassmen, and their families are encouraged to attend. Students who do not plan on attending Lourdes are still invited to participate. Light refreshments will be provided before the presentation begins and there is no cost to attend. They plan to cover the following topics.

- Completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Explanation of the new Prior-Prior Year FAFSA
- Explanation of the various types of federal and state aid available
- Tips on scholarship searches
- How to compare costs after aid is offered from different schools

After the presentation, the financial aid staff will be available for questions.

## **Cardinal Family Service Hours**

***All school volunteers must complete the VIRTUS training and background check before volunteering. Once the training and background check is completed, the certification is good for the next 5 years.***

- **Athletic Home Games** – Volunteers Needed:  
You may sign up to work the home games by going to “Sign Up Genius” Just follow the directions below:
  1. Type “Sign Up Genius” in the search browser
  2. Click on “Find a sign-up”
  3. Use [athletics@katerischools.org](mailto:athletics@katerischools.org) for email address
  4. Complete security puzzle, hit search
  5. Click on the Cardinal icon for the sport you want to work.
- **Lunch/Recess Help** – Volunteers are needed to help during the lunch/recess period from 11:00 until 1:30. We can always use the extra help to ensure the safety of our students.
- **We are in need of help with the PreK lunch and recess period.** On a regular schedule day the lunch period begins at 11:05 to 11:35. Please call the office if you are available to help with PreK.

Please feel free to call on me at any time if you need assistance regarding the Cardinal Family Service Hours – Jean Badik, 419-693-0465 ext. 204 or email [jbadik@cardinalstritch.org](mailto:jbadik@cardinalstritch.org)



## Mark your Calendar

- Oct. 28 ACT – 8am  
Robotics Competition Game Day –  
Stroh Center, BGSU – 8am  
Athletic Reverse Raffle – 6pm
- 31 Halloween Hall Parade – 9:30  
Central Michigan University – 8:30am  
Salon Institute – 12p (Cafeteria)
- Nov. 1 **All School Mass – All Saints Day – 9:30**  
2 First Thursday Reconciliation - 9:40  
US Navy – 12p (Cafeteria)  
Young People’s Concert-Grades 4&5 – 9am  
**Cardinals Nest Meeting – 6pm**  
Musical Revue Rehearsal
- 3 Oregon Library visit to PK  
Senior Lunch  
Musical Revue – 7p
- 5 **High School Open House – 12p-3p**
- 6 Grades 3&4 Fieldtrip to Valentine Theater – 9:15a
- Nov. 7 Academy Mass – 8:15a  
MS Quiz Bowl @ All Saints – 9:30a  
Winter Sports Pictures
- 8 Senior Kairos Retreat  
HS/MS Mass – 9:40a
- 9 Senior Kairos Retreat
- 10 1<sup>st</sup> Trimester Ends – Academy  
Senior Kairos Retreat
- 12 HS Fall Sports Banquet – 5p
- 13 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester Begins – Academy
- 14 **2-Hour Delay – Teacher In-Service**  
Academy Eucharistic Adoration – 2p
- 15 MS/HS Eucharistic Adoration – 9:40a  
Practice HS Placement Test – 7p
- 16 Juniors & Seniors Check It Out Program – 9:30a  
MS fieldtrip to Walleye Game – 9:30a
- 17 Spanish Classes field trip to Sofia Quintero  
Cultural Center – 10am  
Terra State Community College – 11:40am
- 18 Theatre Workshop Performance of  
“The King’s Horses” – 7pm
- 21 Academy Mass – 8:15a  
Freshman Retreat – 8:30a  
8<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to My Day In Court – 8:30am
- 22 **Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL**
- 23 **Happy Thanksgiving Day – NO SCHOOL**
- 24 **Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL**
- 28 Academy Mass – 8:15am  
MS Quiz Bowl @ St. Rose
- 29 MS/HS Mass – 9:40am  
Practice HS Placement Test – 7pm
- 30 Elementary Core Value Jeans Day
- Dec. 1 Oregon Library Visit to PK – 9am  
Senior Lunch
- 2 HS Placement Test – 8am  
Hall of Fame – 5:30pm
- 7 First Thursday Reconciliation – 9:40am  
Cardinals Nest Meeting – 6 pm
- 8 **All School Mass – Feast of the Immaculate  
Conception – 9:30a**  
Gr 2 field trip to Stranahan Theater – 9:50a  
PTA Adult Wine and Canvas event – 7pm