

# **COUGAR TRACKS**

Mission: Saint Joseph Catholic School Community is committed to all students to provide spiritual and personal growth, academic excellence, and service to others.

"Growing Together in Christ"

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#### Mass Schedule

Next week we will be having mass on Tuesday and Thursday. The 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will have mass parts. All parents, grandparents, and parishioners are welcome to join us!



## Fall Field Trip

Our field trip is tomorrow! At this point we are not sure that the weather is going to cooperate for the second part of our trip. We will just see what it is like when it is time to head to the park. If it is raining and we are not able to go to the park we will come back to school, enjoy sack lunches, play games, and watch a movie. We hope that we can go at least for a while, so please be sure that your child(ren) are dressed for the weather and being outside. Don't forget to pack a lunch in a Ziploc bag with their name on it. Dress is a spirit wear shirt, jeans, shoes good for walking, and a coat. Say a prayer for nice weather Friday!

### Save the Date

The Student Council's Soup Supper and Bingo night is set for Saturday November 3<sup>rd</sup>! This week there are raffle tickets in Friday folders for themed baskets the members have put together. The tickets are 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5. If anyone would like to donate their own basket for the raffle, please contact Mrs. Watring or Mrs. Wirths. Please return tickets to school before November 2<sup>nd</sup> or bring to bingo night. Proceeds from this year's event will go towards our spring field trip and to the church roof fund.

## **Roof Fund**

Donations for the roof fund can be sent in Friday folders, to the office, or put in the offertory baskets at church, be sure the envelope is marked church roof.

## **End of Quarter**

Friday marks the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter! Report cards will be given out at parent teacher conferences on Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup>. This will also be the last day to take quizzes to meet AR goals for the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter. Students have been STAR tested again and reports will also be given out at conferences.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

10/12-End of Quarter

10/12-Fall Field Trip

10/18-Parent Teacher

Conferences/Dismissal @ 12:45

10/19-No School

10/20-Home & School Auction

10/26-Picture Retakes

10/31-Halloween

11/2-Early Out @ 12/No Bus

Service/Balloon Rosary

11/3-Speeh Meet @ PG/Soup

Supper and Bingo Night

#### **Parent Teacher Conferences**

Parent Teacher Conferences are next Thursday beginning at 1. Reminders are in folders with your conference times. If your scheduled time does not work for you please contact your child's teacher.

#### Halloween

This year we will again be going to the Trunk or Treat at the public school. We plan to leave school at 1:15 and walk over to the school. We will return around 2 and will begin our classroom parties at that time. Please keep in mind when picking out costumes that we will be doing some walking and will be outside. The preschool and kindergarten will also be going to Katy Manor in the morning for their annual Halloween festivities. Any parents that wish to join us are welcome to do so! Teachers will be sending out emails for sign-ups for classroom parties if they have not already done so.

#### **Home & School Auction**

The Home and School Auction is next Saturday! Please make plans to attend this event that supports our school. The auction committee has been working diligently to put the event together. It is always a great meal, fun time, and you never know what you might go home with! We are looking forward to seeing everyone there!

#### No School

Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> we will dismiss at 12:45. There will be bus service that day, morning and afternoon. School will not be in session on Friday, October 19<sup>th</sup>.

#### Picture Retakes

School pictures were sent home in folders. If you wish to have a retake, please send the pictures back to school by next Thursday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. Retakes will be on October 26<sup>th</sup>. This will be our free dress for October so students needing retakes will be able to wear free dress for pictures.

## Cougar Closet

As the weather begins to change keep the Cougar Closet in mind, whether you need some new uniform clothes or have some to donate. We have a wonderful volunteer that keeps the Cougar Closet nicely organized. Be sure to check and see if it has what you're looking for!

