



Wolverine Notes

Weekly Newsletter

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"For we are his handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for the good works that God has prepared in advance, that we should live in them."

~Ephesians 2:10

The Week in Review:

- It's been a wonderful Teacher Appreciation Week! A **HUGE THANK YOU** to all **our parents and especially our PTO committee** for making all of us feel so special and appreciated. We are honored and truly grateful for the opportunity to work with each one of your children each day. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONFIDENCE AND SUPPORT!
- The **students** enjoyed Pajama Day on Monday as a reward for selling Rafflemania tickets. And fourth grader **Kaleigh M.** reigned as Queen for the Day on Wednesday for being the top ticket seller with 102 tickets sold. Congratulations also to **Anna G.** and **Taylor T.** for selling the next highest amounts. The latest Rafflemania winners are **Fran/Tony Mastropaolo, Ed Brown, Lynn Schmidt, Julie Koesterer, Jeff Helton, Marquita Monsour, James Elder, Tony Zimmerer, Jeff Morris, Linda Furdek, Sally Locraft.**
- The **preschoolers** really enjoyed their trip to Slow Poke Farm on Wednesday--they were both happy and tired when they arrived back to school in the afternoon!
- Our **2nd graders** were in the procession as the **8th graders** led us in praying the rosary for the May Crowning prayer service on Thursday. What a lovely way for us to celebrate the Mother of our Lord!
- The **7th graders** dissected fetal pigs in their culminating lab experience for their unit on body systems. The students shared their knowledge with students from other classes who visited during the lab times.
- **Esther House students** had a great time at Lazer Blaze on Thursday to celebrate their House Championship. Kudos to **Ms. Beasley** and **Mrs. Schepers** for coordinating House activities with the House mentors **Mrs. Ousley, Mrs. Harrison, Mr. Dauenhauer, Mr. Sedelmeier, and Mr. Reed** through the year.
- Congrats to **Mrs. Stubblefield** who was publicly recognized at yesterday's archdiocesan Safe Environment Training workshop for keeping comprehensive and up-to-date records on our volunteer SET training and background checks!

The Week Ahead: Last full week of school

Monday, 5/14 *MS Chromebooks Collected; 8th Grade Park Day*

- LFPL Summer Reading Program Visits K-5, Library, 1:15-1:45
- Spring Choral Concert, teachers/students in homerooms, 6:30; prelude 6:45

Tuesday, 5/15 *8th Grade Final Day*

- Final 8th Grade Mass and Graduation Practice, 8:30
- 8th Grade Luncheon Cruise, Captain's Quarters, 11:00-1:30
- Graduation, Church, 7:00 pm

Wednesday, 5/16

- 6th Grade Model Solar System Presentations, 8:30-9:15
- Preschool Graduation, Library, 10:45

Thursday, 5/17 *Field Day*

- Pound Exercise Class, Cafeteria, 5:30

Friday, 5/18 *Park Day; Preschool Last Day*

- K-7 to George Rogers Clark Park, 9:30-2:30

Monday, 5/21 *K-7 Last Day of School*

- Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast Gathering, 10:30
- Prayer Service, Student Awards, Volunteer Recognition, Church, 11:00
- Noon Dismissal

Did you know??...Email etiquette is an essential skill taught to our students as they learn about digital citizenship. It is key for them to understand that every e-mail they send adds to, or detracts from, their reputation. They learn that other people's opinions matter and in the educational and professional world, others' perception of them will be critical to their success. For more information about email etiquette, check out "[25 Tips for Perfecting Your E-mail Etiquette](#)."



SUPPORTING LIFELONG SCHOLARS

- The **Spring Choral Concert** is this **Monday, May 14th** in the gym. **Students will arrive at 6:30** and proceed to their homerooms. The **preschoolers will perform a prelude at 6:45**, and the **K-8 performance will begin at 7:00 pm**. Parents/guests will sit in the bleachers for the performance.
- Our **final mass with the 8th graders will be this Tuesday, May 15th**. Parents of 8th graders are encouraged to sit with their students and their Kindergarten buddy for the mass. Please join us!
- House leadership duties will be passed to the new House captains and co-captains following mass.
- The Preschool Graduation ceremony will be Wednesday, May 16th at 10:45 in the library.
- **Field Day will be Thursday, May 17th**. The **K-7 classes will also be having Park Day at George Rogers Clark Park on Friday, May 18th**. Please read class newsletters for information about attire and plans for both events.
- **All Parents and Volunteers are invited to our Parent/Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast Gathering on Monday, May 21st at 10:30** in the cafeteria. Please then stay for our **Student Prayer Service and Awards Presentation at 11:00 in the church**. Please park for carpool, as all students will return to their classrooms after the prayer service and be dismissed together at noon so they can receive their report cards and bid farewell to their classmates for summer.
- **Join us Saturday, May 19th as we cheer on the Louisville City Soccer Team, 7:30 pm at Slugger Field! Tickets start at \$14, and a PORTION OF THE PROCEEDS ARE RETURNED BACK TO ST. LEONARD.** For tickets, call (502) 384-8799, Option 2 or go to www.louisvillecityfc.com/tickets; use access code SLCS. See the flyer attached to the newsletter email.
- As discussed in last week's parent presentation, through a generous grant and a partnership with the Alliance Française de Louisville, **St. Leonard will have a French Language program beginning next school year**. This grant allows for the purchase of the comprehensive Middlebury Curriculum developed by Middlebury College as well as funding of a French instructor to teach grades 3-8 and collaborate with the K-2 teachers. Our collaborative relationship with the local Alliance Française de Louisville will bring experiences and programs that engage the students in the language and cultures of French-speaking peoples.
- Would you like to be part of a **team of energetic individuals to recover the school library chairs**? We need people to cut fabric, sew straight seams, disassemble/reassemble and operate a staple gun! We will begin the project after school is out for the summer. Whether you can spare one hour or several hours, we could sure use your help! Contact the **parish office (897-2595) or school office (897-5265)** if you are interested.
- **Louisville's Cultural Pass**, presented by Churchill Downs and in partnership with Louisville Metro Government, Louisville Free Public Library (LFPL), Funds for the Arts and Arts and Culture Alliance, provides free access to many of Greater Louisville's arts and cultural institutions for children, ages 0-21. Passes are good from June 1 to August 11. Pick up your Cultural Pass at any Louisville Free Public Library, Jeffersonville Township Library, New Albany-Floyd County Public Library, or Bullitt County Public Library location. For more information, see www.fundforthearts.org/culturalpass
- Back by popular demand—**WOLVERINE DOLLARS!!!** Recommend a family to St. Leonard School or Preschool. When they enroll their child, YOU get \$500 (or \$250 for preschool part-time enrollment) toward your 2018-19 tuition.
- Check out the SLS Facebook page to see pics and read about all the latest activities occurring at our wonderful school!!--<https://www.facebook.com/Stleonardlou/>

SAFETY PATROL DUTIES

Week of May 7th

AM

Carpool Assist:

Hayden G.

Stella M.

Flag and Cones:

Vince P.

Taylor T.

PM

Flag and Cones:

Harmony S.

Maggie W.

May Calendar of Events

May 14	8 th Park Day
May 14	Spring Choral Concert
May 15	Final 8 th Mass/CQ Princess Luncheon
May 15	8 th Grade Graduation
May 16	Preschool Graduation
May 17	Field Day
May 18	SLS K-7 th Park Day
May 18	Preschool Last Day
May 21	Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast
May 21	Prayer Service/Student Awards
May 21	Last Day of School/NOON DISMISSAL