



Family Folder - Wednesday, October 30, 2024

End of First Quarter: It hardly seems possible that 1/4th of the year is almost gone already! The end of the first quarter is Friday, November 1st. Report cards will go home in the family folder on the 6th. Please use these grades as a way to start a conversation about work ethic, study habits, and setting goals. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or Mrs. Hytry.

Costume Day, Thursday, October 31: Time to celebrate the ghosts and goblins! The St. Charles Student Council is sponsoring a Costume Day **tomorrow**. Wear your costume for only **\$1**. Please avoid blood, guts, or gore. Masks or face coverings aren't allowed for safety reasons. Remember the next day is a Mass day so please make sure any face paint or hair color is washable. The kids will have to go outside for recess and PE so proper foot wear and jackets will be needed.

Veteran's Day: In recognition of their sacrifices, we'll dedicate our mass on Tuesday, November 12th, for our veterans and their families. During that week the students will also create an addition to our Peace Wall, writing pieces dedicated to peaceful solutions in the hope that one day God's peace will reign here on Earth. We are planning a presentation and community lunch so stay tuned for details.

PTO (Jessie Cina):

- **Pancake Breakfast - November 10th from 10-1130 AM.** Please fill out the volunteer sheet and send it back by next Monday, **November 4**. Also see list for bake sale ideas - at least 2 items per family. Post the flyer enclosed in your aea.
- **PTO meeting** is next Monday, **November 4th at 530 PM** - we will finalize pancake breakfast, upcoming events and more. Any agenda items please send to Jessie asap. Hope to see you there!
- **Santa Sale** will be in **December** - if you're cleaning and see good (new or used) items you no longer want that can be used as gifts for the kids to purchase for family members please send them to school labeled "Santa Sale".
- **Concerns** - please text 608-780-1148 OR email me at (Jessie) at jbutterfly12384@gmail.com

Inclement Weather Reminder: We will follow De Soto's announcement for any school closings. You can always check the news channels for closures (keep in mind that the announcement will be for De Soto schools, NOT St. Charles school), sign up for a text directly from De Soto schools, (**see instruction below to sign up for Message Alert**), or wait for an email from Mrs. Hytry. If school has to close early for any reason we will notify you through email and follow your emergency pick-up plan that you filled out in your school packet.

De Soto Area Schools Message Alert Information per De Soto instructions for inclement weather and/or other school closures: SchoolMessengerSetup (SMS): We offer text message notification service to all the school families. Please email your cell phone number to: jkreuzer@desoto,k12.wi.us with **SchoolMessengerSetup** in the title. **Three days after you send**

your request, please text "YES" to 67587 to opt-in to receive SMS messages from De Soto Area Schools.

Snacks reminder: We do have a student in the 4K-1st grade with an allergy to nuts and milk. The nut allergy is not severe but, to be safe, **any treats should be free from nuts or nut products and milk.** Please remember that any snacks brought to school should be on the more nutritious side, rather than more to the just-sweet side. If you are planning treats for the whole school, especially birthday treats, please check to see if the treats are made without nuts and nut products. Healthy snacks include fruit, vegetables, baked snack chips, low sugar granola bars, popcorn, graham crackers, whole grain cereal, or rice cake snacks, etc.

The Second-Hand Shack (Ellen Michuta): Questions and/or concerns, check the **September 18th** family folder for information from Ellen Michuta on the Second-Hand Shack – replacement for Thrifty Pickins’.

RaiseRight (Megan Olson): Questions or concerns, check with Megan at 608-385-7815.

Taking care of the body God gave us: A sweater, sweatshirt, or jacket might be needed for chilly morning recesses and can be kept at school just in case. Sweatshirts worn as jackets outside should be taken off and hung up instead of worn in the classroom.

Hunger Knows No Season: Please join us in collecting for the local food pantry! Bring in a nonperishable food item every Tuesday to help those in need. We will place the items in the food basket at the altar before Mass. The food items will support the St. Matthew’s Food Pantry.

St Charles Facebook Page: Like” the St Charles Facebook Page for updates and events occurring at school.

Handouts:

- Server List
- Menu & Activity Calendar
- Pancake Breakfast Flyer (to post)
- Fall Pancake Breakfast Worker Sign Up (back to back)
- Bake Sale Item Flyer

Dates to Remember:

- October 31: Costume Day
- November 01: All Saint’s Day, mass at 8:30 AM; End of First Quarter, report cards go home
Wednesday, November 6th
- November 04: Feast Day of St. Charles Borromeo
- November 08: Adoration at 2:30 PM
- November 10: Pancake breakfast
- November 27 - November 29: Thanksgiving Break
- December 01: First Sunday of Advent
- December 17: Christmas Concert and Art Show at 7:00 PM

Birthdays:

- October 22: Ezio Olson

Server schedule for November

Date	Day	Servers
11/01/24	Friday	Celia, William, Shelby
11/05/24	Tuesday	Ari, Keilana, Thomas
11/07/24	Thursday	Shelby, Autumn
11/08/24	Friday	William, Lorenzo
11/08/24	Friday Adoration	Ari, Shelby, Ezio
11/12/24	Tuesday	Celia, Autumn, Dekker
11/14/24	Thursday	William, Keilana
11/15/24	Friday	Ari, Dekker
11/19/24	Tuesday	Ari, Ezio, Thomas
11/21/24	Thursday	Shelby, William
11/22/24	Friday	Celia, Keilana
11/26/24	Tuesday	Celia, Lorenzo, Ezio

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, November 10, 2024

Free Will Donation



St. Charles School PTO

707 Eagle St. Genoa

Serving: 10:00-11:30 AM

Plain and pumpkin pancakes scrambled eggs, sliced ham, applesauce, coffee/juice/milk

Bake Sale hosted by 5th & 6th grade students



Fall Pancake Breakfast

When: November 10th, 2024 Serving - **10:00-11:30**

What: Homemade plain/pumpkin pancakes, egg, ham, applesauce & drink

Where: St. Charles School cafeteria

What to do: Sign up to help & bring baked goods for the bake sale

Return this sheet to the school by Monday, Nov 4th.

Final work list will be sent in family folder on Nov. 5th after PTO meeting on 4th. Thank you in advance!

Worker sign up

We need all of you and appreciate everyone's help! Kids are welcome to come help with some tasks. See list of ideal workers needed below

Shifts:

Sunday 9-11:00 am

Sunday 10:30 – 12:30 pm

Name of workers: _____

_____ I am available for the Sunday 9-11:00 am shift

_____ I am available for the Sunday 11-12:30 pm shift (including clean up)

_____ I am available to work from _____ to _____

_____ I am unable to help at this event

Ideal number of workers needed –

Pancakes 9-11

2 – making eggs

3 – making pancakes

2 - set/start up

2 (5/6th grade kids) – bake sale (needed at 9:45 am)

10:30-12:30 or gone/clean up

2 – making eggs

3 – making pancakes

4 – servers

1 – runner/refilling

2 (5/6th grade kids) – bake sale (till sold)

Thank you!

Bake Sale Items

Funds from the bake sale support the 5th/6th grade fund

Bring at **least 2** Bake sale items per family.

Examples: Loaf of bread (big or small), plate of cookies, brownies or cupcakes, pie, snacks in bags, etc.

Each should be individually wrapped and ready to sell.

Label items.

Prices will be marked at event.

Drop off at school Friday or Sunday morning by 9:30 am

Any questions, can ask Jessie.

Thanks