



St. Aloysius School is a family of God  
where we can grow in Catholic Faith, Character and Knowledge  
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September 12, 2017

Dear parents/guardians,

Please take time to complete and return the Title 1 Survey in today's Tuesday notes.

Some of our households may qualify for government funds, thereby allowing us to provide extra services throughout the school year. Thank you. Mrs. Sozinho

**NO SCHOOL TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13<sup>th</sup> (Fair Day)**

**TK/K SNACK MILK-** Reminder that if you have a TK or Kinder student there is a Snack Milk monthly fee aside from buying lunches for your child.

**PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES-** If you have not yet returned your conference slip please do so as soon as possible.

**SCRIP ASSESSMENT-** Reminder that SCRIP assessment (\$200) is due Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA LIVE AUCTION (T.D.E.S.)-** Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> from 1:00-6:00 pm. The auction will start when the parade returns and ends before dinner. Please plan on participating in the auction by attending and/or donating an item. A good rule of thumb is to donate an item that you would be interested in bidding on. You may drop off your donation in the school office. For donations or more information, please call Billy Ingram 805-8591 or Gabe Martin 686-9139.

This would be a great opportunity to donate your required auction item for this school year. Please remember to write your donated item on your service hours card.

**FATIMA-** If you are interested in working in the Kitchen, Pepsi-Beer Booth, Cake Walk, or Linguica Booth during Fatima weekend, sign-up sheets are now in the school office. Please come and get on the work schedule as soon as possible. **Lots of help is needed!**

You may also earn service hours by baking goodies for the cake walk. Earn one hour for every 3 dozen cupcakes, cookies or an hour for 2 cakes. Some baking suggestions for the cake walk are cookies, brownies, cupcakes or small cakes for the booth. The items should be homemade or Costco quality. There is no limit on the amount of baked items. Please deliver to school office on Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup> or you may deliver to TDES Hall on Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>.

**\*Lady of Guadalupe Club** is also looking for volunteers to help in their Burrito booth. This is also a great way for parents to earn service hours. If interested please contact Cheryl Soares at 805-2457.

**STUDENT COUNCIL DIME TOSS BOOTH-** Student Council is now collecting glassware for the Dime Toss Booth at Fatima. Now is the time to clean out those cupboards and donate all that unused glassware to a worthy cause. You may drop off your donations in the school office.

**TUTORING AVAILABLE-** If your child needs help with math, Mr. Nunes is volunteering his time after school Monday's, Wednesday's and Thursday's until 4:00 to anyone who would like help.

(See Reverse Side)

**PARENTS' CLUB**- See attached minutes from September 6<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA TICKETS**- If you have not yet picked up your tickets to the Holiday Extravaganza/Reverse Draw, you can pick them up in the school office. All families are required to sell (2) tickets. Return payment and completed ticket stubs to the school office by Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Any questions regarding ticket sales, please contact Lynn Roberts at #300-3147 or email to [sagajachly@gmail.com](mailto:sagajachly@gmail.com). Thank you!

**LOGO UNIFORMS**- The deadline for September orders is Friday, Sept 29th. Remember it takes 3 weeks to get the orders to you so please plan ahead for when it starts to get cold in the mornings! I also have stock on hand so please call or text Jessica Saltzman 631-6147 with your order or you may send it to the office.

**TOP O'THE MORN CAPS**- Have you been saving your milk bottle caps all Summer? Top O' The Morn Farms has kicked off their "Caps for Kids" program, and St. Aloysius is a participant. Participation is easy – simply save your Top O' The Morn glass bottle milk caps and bring them in to school. The school will receive money for each cap submitted. Please send caps into the office in a plastic bag.

**MASS**- 8<sup>th</sup> grade will prepare the liturgy on Friday, Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> 8:15am

**GAMES**- Football and Volleyball Tournament will start at 12:30 this Friday at St. Aloysius School.

## **St. Aloysius Parents' Club Meeting Minutes September 6, 2017**

The meeting was called to order at 6:37 p.m. Mrs. Luan Sozinho led the prayer. A motion was made by Jaymie Nunes to accept the corrected August minutes. Motion seconded by April Beck. MOTION APPROVED.

**Secretary's report:** Eileen Miller read thank you cards from Colleen Rocha, Eric Nunes, DeAnna Pitman, and Mrs. Griesbach.

**Treasurer's Report:** Julie Starr reported balances for the checking account of \$43,200.77, and in the money market account of \$25,054.28 for a total of \$68,255.05. A \$25,000 Check will be paid to the school on September 7. It is the first of two installments the Parents' Club will make this school-year. Katie Rocha moved to approve the Treasurer's Report. Motion seconded by Adrianna Barrueta. MOTION APPROVED.

### **Parent's Club Fundraiser Chair Reports:**

- a. **Fashion Show - November 8:** Marianna Gentert reported that there are currently 7 paid vendors. There will be 2 outfits per model, the first being casual. There is still a need for adult models. Kortnee Faria read Tania Ribeiro's report that 33 out of 50 tables are accounted for, and that there will be a bake sale.
- b. **Holiday Extravaganza – December 3:** Lynn Roberts passed out tickets to parents in attendance, and reminded everyone that extra tickets are available.
- c. **Enchilada Casseroles – February:** Jaymie Nunes and Lara O'Neil reported that they will need help in the kitchen. They are looking for a person to make calls to ask past customers if they'd like to place orders. They also invited anyone interested in being trained to be a future chairperson of this event to let them know.

### **School Fundraiser Reports:**

- a. **Horseshoe Tournament – August 13:** Julie Starr reported that this was the biggest year so far. The food delivered from Tulare Meat Market was good. The initial payment to the board will be made next month.
- b. **Fatima Celebration – September 30 - October 1:** Sign-ups are in the office. This is a good event to donate an auction item to.

### **New Business:**

- a. **Trunk or Treat – October 30:** Sign-ups will be accepted after the fair. The entire school participates in trunk or treat. The carnival is for the students through grade 4.
- b. **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Breakfast – November 19:** Tickets are going home this Friday.
- c. **New Fundraiser – Craft Fair:** Marianna Gentert suggested a Craft Fair to be held on a Sunday possibly in November. The booth price will be determined. Admission will be free. There could be food truck vendors and a Santa available for photos. Julie Starr moved to approve the new fundraiser and for Marianna Gentert to chair it. Motion seconded by Adrianna Barrueta. MOTION APPROVED.

**Principal's Report:** Mrs. Sozinho's report included the following:

- The staff was trained and certified in CPR on August 8.
- The K-5 staff was trained in the online History and Science curriculum
- Thank you to the Horseshoe Tournament volunteers. It ran very smoothly.
- Back-to-School night was well attended.
- The PLCs (Professional Learning Communities) began August 23 with a review of WASC goals. At the most recent PLC, Donna Smith, Assistant Superintendent of the Diocese of Fresno, reviewed and analyzed the STAR testing program.
- On August 21, STAR testing began. Results will be given at Parent Conferences on September 27.
- Thank you Natalie Mendonca and Kortnee Faria for painting the staff bathroom and to those who painted the teachers' workroom.
- There is a report for the diocese due September 17 regarding information about the St. Aloysius staff and student population.
- On September 27, there will be no school due to conferences. The upper grade teachers may hold their conferences in the cafeteria so all teachers will be available to parents.

**Announcements:**

- **St. Aloysius Calendar Subscription:** [sastulare.com](http://sastulare.com)
- **School Board Meeting:**
- **Don't forget - we collect rebates for the following items – turn into the office:**
  - Box Tops,
  - Top O'the Morn Bottle Caps

**Attendance Drawing:** Congratulations to Art and Laura for winning the attendance drawing.

**Next Meeting:** The next meeting will be October 4 at 8:00 a.m. in the library.

**Adjournment:** Adrianna Barraeta moved to adjourn the meeting 7:24 p.m. Motion seconded by Julie Starr. MOTION APPROVED.

Respectfully submitted,

Eileen Miller,

Secretary



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September 5, 2017

Dear St. Aloysius Parents and Guardians:

We need your help! St. Aloysius Catholic School has an opportunity for the children who really need extra academic support to receive it through the Title I program under Every Student Succeeds Act, but we can't do it without YOU! These extra services will only come to the children if you fill out the attached survey. Services such as extra assistance in reading and math, teacher professional development, and parent activities may be available through the support of the Title I program.

In order to determine the funding available for this important program, we must have an accurate count of children from low-income families. I want to assure you that your privacy will be protected and that no names are required on the attached family survey form. Each form has a unique identifying number only to monitor the total of surveys returned, and the match between your name and the number is confidential. Only the address and grade levels are provided to the school district so that its staff members can determine the funding for the Title I program for the eligible children.

Thank you for giving this your immediate attention. If you have any concerns or questions, please call me at 559 686-6250 or email at [lsozinho@sastulare.com](mailto:lsozinho@sastulare.com)

Sincerely,

Luan Sozinho, Principal

# Survey of Low-Income Children for Title I Purposes

Family Address

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Age or grade levels of children living in your household and attending St. Aloysius Catholic School

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Locate your household size and the income earned each year.

Family Size	Income Earned Each Year
1	\$21,978
2	\$29,637
3	\$37,296
4	\$44,955
5	\$52,614
6	\$60,273
7	\$67,951
8	\$75,647
<i>For each additional family member, add \$7696</i>	

- My family's yearly income is equal to or less than this amount.
- My family's yearly income is more than this amount.

If your child(ren) did not attend private school, which public school(s) would he/she be assigned to:

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Please return this form to:

Luan Sozinho

St. Aloysius School, 627 Beatrice, Tulare, CA 93274

Forms must be returned no later than September 22, 2017