

St. Ann School

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Wednesday Memo



Lunch supervision volunteers must arrive by 11:15 AM.

Total for 19 Lunches for April:
\$55.10

Monday, April 27 Supervision	Cheese Quesadillas Perez, NEEDED
Tuesday, April 28 Supervision	Beefy Italian Dunkers Apel, Lisa Clark
Wednesday, April 29 Supervision	BBQ Riblette Wahlin, Caravella
Thursday, April 30 Supervision	Scalloped Potatoes & Ham Bailey, Collins
Friday, May 1 Supervision	Breaded Chicken Patty Hellenbrand, Howard

JOTH Gift & Plant Fair

Saturday, May 2, 2015 9:00 am 2:00 pm

St Ann Parish

Over 30 vendors with hand-crafted jewelry, knit & fabric arts, straw baskets & African artifacts, stained glass & suncatchers, cards & signs, food and drink baskets, sewn & knitted baby/children/adult items, kitchen towels & accessories, cardigans & sweatshirts, home decor; also Wildtree, Origami Owl, Thirty-One Gifts, Lulu Avenue, Tupperware, The Pampered Chef, Watkins, Norwex, Gold Canyon Candles, Scentsy, Jamberry Nails, Younique, Just Jewelry, Lilla Rose, Perfectly Posh.

Lots of great spring/summer gifts for graduation, Mother's Day, Father's Day, birthdays and more.

Beautiful baskets of annuals will also be available for purchase.

Funds benefit our teen summer mission trip.

JOTH is selling flats, half flats and individual pots of your favorite annuals and greenery. Orders must be placed by April 26 and can be either picked up at Spring Fever Gift & Plant Fair or delivered to your home on May 2nd—just in time for planting. Orders forms are available in the gathering area and can be turned in to Cathie Truehl.



DO NOT FORGET! Today is the last day to order this

month! We have two free items in April. For every \$40 or more purchase you get a 1 lb. bag of California Blend vegetables and for every \$90 or more purchase with the promo code: APRBONUS you will receive a 1 lb. bag of Chicken Gems. April is also Cookie Dough Stock-Up time! You will receive a FREE Chocolate Chunk Cookie Dough with purchase of any three pre-portioned Cookie Dough flavors! Don't forget to qualify as a Frequent Buyer! Make two purchases of \$40 or more between February and April, then one more in May to receive a FREE Set of Collapsible Storage Bowls at your May sale pick-up. All orders are due on **Wednesday April 22**. Paper orders need to be turned in by 3pm in the Market Day box outside of the Teacher's Lounge and online orders need to be made by 11pm at marketday.com. Pick-up is on Monday April 27 from 4 to 6pm. We have very little freezer space to store your orders so please plan to pick up your orders. If you need to make other arrangements or have any questions, please contact Koreen Kuhn at 712-4126 or at jhkuhn@charter.net.



Our Faith Stories
Featuring Kara Roisum & Bill Weiss
Thursday, April 23,
at 6:30 PM

We continue to be blessed to hear the witnessing of two of our St. Ann parishioners. Bill Weiss and our fantastic principal Kara Roisum will be sharing how they see God working in their lives. Their journeys of faith are sure to be an inspiration to us all. Please join us!

Because of the mature nature of these two talks, we ask that you do not bring children under high school age.



Principal's Corner

With May quickly approaching along with the end of another school year, we have wasted no time in getting our plans ready for next year. At the beginning of this school year, I everyone know that we were going to be trying a few new things, some of which would work well and others perhaps that would simply flop. Overall, I'm very pleased with how the schedule worked this year and am even more grateful for how everyone, including staff, students, and parents alike, all patiently rode this wild train as we experimented with many different things.

Next year, I'm again looking toward creating an even better learning environment for our kids. With much added brainstorming from our teachers and suggestions from the Accreditation Team in March, I am proposing the following additions and alterations for the 2015-2016 school year:

Our school day will increase slightly from 7:50 until 3:05 to allow for an actual passing time to be built into the schedule. For years, teachers have been expressing frustration with students taking too much time to wander between classes. A large part of this is due to the fact that our classes end and begin at the same time, so there has always been confusion over dismissal times. I have been in communication with the bus department to see how this change might affect our transportation, but at this point, I don't anticipate any major changes in busing.

We will be changing our grading periods from a semester and quarters grading periods to a trimester schedule. The elementary schools in the district have already switched to this schedule, and many of the schools in the diocese who have also switched have very much liked the trimester schedule. The longer terms allow for teachers to more adequately assess student learning. In addition, Specials will also be reporting each trimester.

There will be a couple of important changes to the student schedules beginning next year. As part of the WRISA recommendations, we will be providing Physical Education twice a week for students in grades 4-8. Margaret Jamison will still teach Phy Ed for students in Grades 1-3, but Julie Grutzner will be teaching classes for Grades 4-8 in addition to her 4th Grade. Also, students in Grades 4-8 will have Art classes twice a week. Grades 1-3 will still have Art once per week for an hour.

The current lunch times will stay much the same with the exception of 4th Grade being regrouped with K-3, from 11:30-12:30, to allow for a longer lunch recess. Grades 5-8 will still eat at 11:00 a.m. and will have until 11:40 to eat and/or go outside.

Again, I'm very excited about the changes and believe, especially with the added classes for upper grades, that we will be able to provide your children with an even better educational experience at St. Ann's. As always, if you have any questions, feel free to stop into my office or email me, Kara.roisum@stanns-school.org.

~ Kara Roisum



SCRIP orders are due on Monday, April 27. Remember Graduations, weddings,

Confirmation, Mother's Day and 1st Eucharist when planning your SCRIP order.



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putting faith in education

**St. Ann School Msgr. Healy
Scholarship
and The Prone Family
Foundation Matching
Funds Opportunity**

Reminder

On May 4, St. Ann School is In Session but the Public School is not. Please carpool that day.

We have been blessed to collect \$8525 in donations to the scholarship fund. We are well on the way to our goal. Please consider a donation which will help a child receive a Catholic Education at St. Ann's. Any amount you give is tax deductible and will double in size thanks to the Prone Family Foundation who will match your donation. Checks can be made payable to the Monsignor Healy St. Ann School Scholarship Fund and directed to either Virginia Carrano or Shaun Kleitsch.