



Wolverine Notes

Weekly Newsletter

For the Week of May 8, 2017

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Thought for the week: *"There is within each of us a potential for goodness beyond our imagining; for giving that seeks no reward; for listening without judgment; for loving unconditionally."*

~Elisabeth Kubler Ross

The Week in Review:

- On Tuesday, many students auditioned for our upcoming **Talent Show on May 15th at 2:00 pm**. Thanks to **Mr. Norrid** for coordinating these performances with the assistance of **Mrs. Barry** and **Mrs. Emly**.
- The **fifth and sixth grade students** enjoyed their fieldtrip to Squire Boone Caverns in Indiana on Wednesday. The students participated in a guided caverns tour, panned for gems and minerals at the sluice, watched a candle-making demonstration and hand-dipped their own candles, watched a lye soap-making demonstration and a grist mill demonstration, and explored a nature trail.
- The students "stopped, dropped, and covered" and then very orderly evacuated the building as they practiced an earthquake drill on Wednesday. All students and staff were accounted for using the "Group Me" app the staff have created.
- Congratulations to the members of **Theresa House** who ended the year with the most points through the SLS House System! The students will attend a special fieldtrip on Thursday to celebrate their victory. We commend all the **Grade 4-8 students** on their cooperative spirits as they worked together in problem-solving and team-building activities through the year. Special thanks to **Ms. Moore** for coordinating the program and activities and our House Mentors, **Mr. Reed**, **Mr. Dauenhauer**, **Mr. Sedelmeier**, **Mrs. Schepers**, **Ms. Ousley**, and **Ms. Downer** for their guidance of students.
- The rain did not dampen the spirits of our annual Derby Parade as the students paraded their "floats" and Derby attire through the gym while singing several Kentucky and race-related songs led by **Mrs. Barry** and **Mr. Brown** and listening to the parade commentary of **Mr. Reed** and **Ms. Wettig!** We are glad so many families were able to participate with us as well as join the children for their Chow Wagon lunch. We also give a special shout-out to **Ms. Lisa Smith** for her assistance to the cafeteria staff in preparing the Chow Wagon meals!
- S.T.A.R. STUDENTS:** We are proud of all our S.T.A.R. ticket students! The following were our weekly winners: **Finley C., Hank K., Caiden S., Michael S., Kari S., Lilly P., Logan K., Andrew R., Alexander W.**

The Week Ahead: Water with Blessings 6th Service Project Fundraiser

Monday, 5/8

- 7th Acuity Exam
- K-4 to Louisville Zoo

Tuesday, 5/9

- Water with Blessings Dress Down Fundraiser
- Mass Servers Breakfast, Heritage Room, 7:20-7:50 am
- STEM Makers Club, 3:00-4:00

Wednesday, 5/10 *Forensics Day!*

- Cafeteria Planning Committee Meeting, Cafeteria, 5:30 pm

Thursday, 5/11

- May Procession, 8:30 am
- Theresa House Winners Fieldtrip, 11:00-2:30
- STEM Makers Club, 3:00-4:00

Friday, 5/12

- 8th to Kings Island, 8:00 am-10:00 pm

Saturday, 5/13

- PTO's Trivia Night



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Small classes, **big** future!



Did you know??... *Two SLS Seventh Grade students, Kaelyn D. and Avery M., achieved State Recognition from the Duke TIP (Talent Identification Program) for their outstanding scores on the ACT exam. Congratulations, ladies!!*

SUPPORTING LIFELONG SCHOLARS

- Clean water, a basic necessity! The **6th grade** fundraiser for Water with Blessings begins on Monday with a demonstration of water filters to the whole school during morning assembly. **On Tuesday, May 9th**, students may purchase a “Dress Down Day” (\$1 to wear non-uniform bottoms; \$1 to wear a non-uniform top) with the proceeds benefitting the program. On **Wednesday-Friday**, the 6th graders will take **classroom donations**. **The class with the highest participation in the fundraiser will receive an extra recess.** Please donate!
- Just a reminder that registration forms for PTO’s annual **Trivia Night on Saturday, May 13th** are due in the school office by **Monday, May 8th**. **Doors open at 6:15 with the first round beginning at 7:00 pm.** Cost is **\$15/person or \$100/table of 8**. Bring food to share with your tablemates; beer and wine will be sold at the event. **Babysitting** for children potty-trained and older will be provided by the YMCA for **\$10/family**.
- May is the Month of Mary, and we will honor Mary, the Mother of Jesus in our **May Procession on Thursday, May 11th at 8:30 am**. The students will then pray the rosary. Please remind your child to bring his/her rosary, and please join us!
- Plan to attend our **SLS Talent Show on Monday, May 15th at 2:00 pm in the gym**. We are excited to see the performances of our students!
- The **Kindergarten through 4th grade students** are busy reading their books, conducting research, and preparing their presentations and costumes for the **Wolverine Wax Museum, Friday, May 19th from 8:30-9:30 in the gym and cafeteria**. Please join us to learn more about favorite book characters, animals, saints, and famous Kentuckians as they come to life that morning!
- On **Thursday, May 18th** the **7th grade class** will be hosting our annual **SLS Field Day**. Please read class newsletters and emails for information on class colors and activities.
- Due to the **K-7 grades** extending their **last day to May 25th** for make-up snow days, **Preschool** is now extending their official last day to **May 23rd**.
- Are you a mother looking to rediscover and reconnect with your powerful gifts and your call to motherhood? Join other moms for “**Momnipotent**” beginning **May 17th at 6:30 pm in the library**. For information and to register, contact our Pastoral Associate **Jacqui Rapp**, jrapp@stleonardlouisville.org or **897-5265**.
- Assumption High School camps start on June 5, and spots are quickly filling up! AHS is offering a variety of enrichment and athletic summer camps for children in grades K-12 that are taught by their award-winning faculty and top-ranked coaches. Space is limited, so visit www.ahsrockets.org to learn more and register today! Contact lauren.lega@ahsrockets.org for questions.

May Calendar of Events

SAFETY PATROL DUTIES

Week of May 8th

AM

Carpool Assist:

Isabella B.

Corleica M.

Flag and Cones

Ania E.

Andrew R.

PM

Flag and Cones:

Kaelyn D.

Nia G.

May 8	Grade 7 Acuity Exam	May 17	PreK to Slow Poke Farm
May 8	Grades K-4 to Louisville Zoo	May 18	Field Day
May 10	Forensics Day	May 18	PreK 4 Graduation
May 11	May Procession	May 19	K-4 Wolverine Wax Museum
May 11	Theresa House Fieldtrip	May 22	Park Day
May 12	Grade 8 to Kings Island	May 23	Fr. BJ Final School Mass
May 13	PTO Trivia Night	May 23	PreK Last Day
May 15	Grade 8 Pizza in the Park	May 24	Kindergarten Graduation
May 15	Talent Show	May 25	K-7 Awards Day
May 16	Grade 8 Final Mass and Boat Cruise	May 25	Volunteer Appreciation Gathering
May 16	Graduation	May 25	Last Day of School—Noon Dismissal

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