



# ***Wolverine Notes***

## ***Weekly Newsletter***

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**For the Week of January 16, 2017**

Thought for the week: ***"Celebrate what you want to see more of."***

~Tom Peters

### ***Last Week in Review:***

- **"Orange" you glad you sold your Rafflemania tickets last week?** We certainly are!!! We are two weeks in, and many tickets have been sold. We celebrated with oranges distributed at carpool Friday courtesy of the PTO. The **2<sup>nd</sup> Grade** is our top selling class, with our top individual seller **Aiden W.** We encourage families to send in their ticket sales each day or at least by Thursday, as those numbers are used to determine our weekly class prize winner. **Our goal is to sell 1200 tickets, easy to do when each family sells their ticket packet!** Ask your friends, relatives, neighbors, parishioners, co-workers...Additional tickets can be received from the school office.
- Planning continued for our school's **60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration following the masses on February 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>.** The planning committee is collecting St. Leonard School pictures/memorabilia to display. If you have anything of interest or know of someone who does, please contact **Susan Norsworthy**, [susanbn@hotmail.com](mailto:susanbn@hotmail.com), **Fran Mastropaolo**, [fmastro6@twc.com](mailto:fmastro6@twc.com), or **Laura Emly**, [lemly@stleonardlouisville.org](mailto:lemly@stleonardlouisville.org).
- **Registration for the 2017-18 school year opened last week through Sycamore as Mr. Reed and Mrs. Stubblefield updated the online enrollment portal at <https://app.sycamoreschool.com/admissions/index.php?schoolid=2494>.** (Please see the January 13<sup>th</sup> email for more information.) Re-enrollment at this time allows you to reserve your child's place in his/her class for the coming school year and allows us to plan our budget. We are receiving inquiries from prospective families daily, so early registration is strongly recommended. **The \$50/per student non-refundable registration fee is payable through Sycamore's Pay Junction.** No credit card information will be stored. eCheck (ACH withdrawal) payment is also available. Registration is not considered complete until the payment is made. **All families who complete registration with payment by Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> will be rewarded with FREE DRESS FRIDAYS for the month of February!**
- **Application for Tuition Assistance for K-8<sup>th</sup> grade is now open online at <https://online.factsmtg.com/aid>.** Our school has a variety of financial aid opportunities available through the Catholic Education Foundation, Jochum Foundation, School Choice, the Archdiocese and Parish, Ulmer Foundation, and Community Catholic Center. The online application is used for all of these sources. The **Jochum Scholarship** has an **additional paper application** which can be downloaded [here](#). **Applications must be submitted online completely by March 15<sup>th</sup>. Parents will be notified of award amounts by June 1<sup>st</sup>. Please see the email sent on January 13<sup>th</sup>.** Call the school/parish office with questions about tuition assistance.
- **S.T.A.R. STUDENTS:** We are proud of all our S.T.A.R. ticket students! The following students were weekly winners: **Isaiah S., Charlie R., Nelson C., Gaby S., Nikki L., Olivia I., Owen M., Anna G., Megan F.**

### ***The Week Ahead: Rafflemania Continues!***

Monday, 1/16 ***Martin Luther King Day***—No School

Tuesday, 1/17

- Yearbook Club, 3:15-4:15
- Quick Recall Practice, 3:15-4:15

Wednesday, 1/18

- Quick Recall vs. Holy Trinity, 3:15
- Book Bee, 3:15-4:15

Thursday, 1/19 ***1:00 Dismissal***

- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade to Mt. Holly Nursing Home, 9:45

Friday, 1/20

- Fire Drill

Saturday, 1/21

- 6-8 Governor's Cup Competition

Small is **big!**

St. Leonard Community School

Small classes, **big** future!



Did you know??...Our school is having a huge **60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration** following the masses on **February 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>**. There will be light hors d'oeuvres, birthday cake, school tours, and fun times socializing with friends old and new on Saturday evening as well as brunch on Sunday! Spread the word to other SLS families and alum about the event and invite them to attend with you!

### **SUPPORTING LIFELONG SCHOLARS**

- We will host an **Open House for new families** during Catholic Schools Week on **Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:00-11:00 am and 5:30-7:30 pm**. Please let your extended families, friends, and other prospective families know of this Open House. Help us spread the word that **Small is big!** and share with them the many wonderful opportunities that a small school environment has for their children.
- Mark your calendars for these upcoming PTO events planned for February:
  - **Father/Daughter Valentine's Dance on Saturday, February 11th at 7:00 pm in the cafeteria**
  - **Family Skating Party on Wednesday, February 15th, 6:30 pm at Champs Rollerdrome**
- **If school is delayed due to weather, the school doors will open at 9:00 am. Morning Assembly will begin at 9:30.**
- We have used one of our two inclement weather days built into the school calendar at the end of the school year. After the next snow day, students will complete up to five online school days. Assignments will be posted to the Sycamore Homeroom Class Page each day. Please contact Mr. Reed, [jreed@stleonardlouisville.org](mailto:jreed@stleonardlouisville.org) with questions.

### **Prizes and Incentives for Rafflemania:**

- **Win the \$600 Grand Prize drawn at our Birthday Celebration on February 4<sup>th</sup>!**
- **Win \$60 at one of the daily weekday drawings held for 60 days starting on February 6<sup>th</sup>-April 27th!**
- **Each individual child who sells 3 chances will receive a 1-subject homework pass (one per child).**
- **Students in families who sell all 10 tickets will receive a full dress down day.**
- **Top 3 INDIVIDUAL ticket sellers (can't combine for families) will receive a \$100, \$75, and \$50 VISA gift card, respectively.**
- **The TOP Selling student also becomes Principal for the Day (Date TBD).**
- **The class that sells the most tickets each week (must be turned in by Thursday, 3:00 pm) will receive donuts in their classroom after announcements Friday morning.**
- **School wide incentives:**
  - **800 tickets sold = Free Donut Friday**
  - **1000 tickets sold = School-wide Pajama/Comfy Clothes Dress Day (Date TBD)**
  - **1200 tickets sold = Outside obstacle course plus popsicles for each student (Date TBD)**

### **SAFETY PATROL DUTIES**

*Week of January 16<sup>th</sup>*

#### **AM**

**Carpool Assist:**

**Anthony M.**

**Cedric S.**

**Flag and Cones**

**Gracelyn M.**

**Miranda S.**

#### **PM**

**Flag and Cones:**

**Miguel H.**

**Rachel P.**

### **January/February Calendar of Events**

Jan 16	MLK Day—NO SCHOOL
Jan 19	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade to Mt. Holly
Jan 19	1:00 Dismissal
Jan 21	Governor's Cup
Jan 23	SAC Meeting
Jan 24	Conservation Education Grades 4-6
Jan 25	Grades 4-6 to Kentucky Center
Jan 25	Schoolwide Spelling Bee
Jan 26	Meet Mrs. Whyte Kindergarten Intro Night
Jan 29-Feb 4	Catholic Schools Week
Jan 31	Catholic Schools Week Liturgy
Feb 1	SLS Open House
Feb 3	House Dance Presentations
Feb 4-5	SLS 60 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration!
Feb 11	Father/Daughter Valentine's Dance
Feb 15	PTO Skating Party

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