



# Wolverine Notes

## Weekly Newsletter

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*"Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success."*

Henry Ford

### The Week in Review:

- The **PR Committee (Nia G., Tate C., Noah L., Corea M.)** for the 20% Time Library/Media Center project presented to the St. Leonard Parish Council on Wednesday evening. The council is very excited about the work the middle school students have done and has invited the group to present at the joint St. Leonard-St. Frances of Rome Parish Council meeting next month. The committee has also presented to the SAC and created a website that describes the project. It is linked on the school webpage at <https://sites.google.com/stleonardlouisville.org/st-leonard-renovations/home>. Check it out and see how you can become involved in this project!!
- **Ann McMahon from the Clifton Heights Newsletter** interviewed students **Kaelyn D., Anna G., Nadia L., and Riley N.** for an article about the library/media center project. She also attended the Parish Council meeting to see the students' PR presentation. Watch for the article in the upcoming *Clifton Heights* edition!
- A letter to parents from Mrs. Parola, Ms. Beasley, and Fr. Lou concerning a response to the recent school violence events was sent home with your children on Wednesday. It is also attached to the school newsletter email, as a document in Sycamore, and on the school website. The letter included an infographic on ways to talk to your children as well as a prayer that we have been saying at school. If you would like additional information on any of the material in the letter and handouts, please contact Mrs. Parola or Ms. Beasley.
- The **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation candidates Kaelyn D., Anna G., Nia G., Nathan I., Alaina L., Megan L., Caroline N., Lucy R., Andrew R., and Emma Lei S.** will participate in a retreat with St. Frances of Rome candidates on Saturday. Please pray for them as they continue in this sacramental discernment process.

### The Week Ahead:

Saturday, 2/24 **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Retreat**

Monday, 2/26 **Trimester 3 Begins; Dr. Seuss Week**

- K Norton Children's Hospital Fieldtrip, Slugger Field, 8:30-11:30
- SAC Meeting, Library, 6:30

Tuesday, 2/27

- Wake2Walk/Rise2Run, Gym, 7:30-7:45 am

Wednesday, 2/28 **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATIONS DUE TO FACTS & JOCHUM APPLICATIONS DUE TO OFFICE TODAY**

- Wake2Walk/Rise2Run, Gym, 7:30-7:45 am
- Quick Recall Round 2 Tournament @ SLS, 3:15

Thursday, 3/1

- Wake2Walk/Rise2Run, Gym, 7:30-7:45 am
- Miss Natalie LFPL reads to Preschool/K, Library, 9:00
- SLS Science Fair, Grades 5-8, Cafeteria, 6:00

Friday, 3/2

- Fish Fry, 5:30

Saturday, 3/3 **Parish Discernment Listening Session, Cafeteria, 9:30-11:30**

Did you know??...NEA's *Read Across America* is an annual reading motivation and awareness program that calls for every child in every community to celebrate reading on March 2<sup>nd</sup>, the birthday of beloved children's author Dr. Seuss. The SLS students will show their love for reading by reading books with their buddies and peers on Friday morning and participating in special Dr. Seuss celebration events all week.

### SUPPORTING LIFELONG SCHOLARS

- Submit your **FACTS Tuition Assistance Applications for the 2018-19 school year** by February 28, 2018 for priority consideration. Apply at <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3W8W3> and use your 2016 Tax Returns and W-2 forms. The Lurline Jochum Scholarship paper application is available [here](#) or contact the school or parish office.



- Please plan to attend and provide your thoughts and perspectives on our parish future at our Parish Discernment listening session on Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:30-11:30, in the St. Leonard cafeteria. During this time, we will seek to acknowledge the ways in which God has abundantly blessed our parish and discern His will for our future. Come share your ideas and insights. Refreshments will be provided.
- Next week, February 26<sup>th</sup>-March 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will be celebrating Dr. Seuss Week! Each day the students will wear something special or have a special treat to go with a Dr. Seuss book.
  - ❖ Monday: *Oh, The Places You'll Go*: **Wear a high school or college t-shirt with uniform bottoms.**
  - ❖ Tuesday: *Hop on Pop, One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish*: **Students will receive a special treat/snack during the day!** Can you guess what it might be?
  - ❖ Wednesday: *Wacky Wednesday*: **Crazy Hair Day!** No hair spray, hair dye, or wigs. Wacky Uniforms! **Wear your school uniform backwards or inside out.**
  - ❖ Thursday: *The Cat in The Hat*: Hat day! **Everyone can wear their favorite hat to school!**
  - ❖ Friday: *Fox in Socks*: Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss and National Read Across America Day! **Crazy sock day- wear any fun socks with your school shoes!**
- Sell your tickets in support of PTO's Tax Relief RAFFLEMANIA! The grand prize drawing of \$1,000 will be on April 16<sup>th</sup>, followed by daily weekday drawings of \$100 through May 18<sup>th</sup>. **Tickets are \$10 each. Each family has been given 15 tickets to sell; ticket stubs and money must be returned to the school BEFORE April 16<sup>th</sup>.** Please write your child's name on the back of the ticket stub so sales can be tracked. We've had many tickets sold already!! **CONGRATULATIONS EIGHTH GRADE—Our top sellers for this week!** Please see the PTO Rafflemania email/flyer for additional information about selling opportunities and incentives.
- **Friday Fish Frys** continue each Friday through March 16<sup>th</sup>, with proceeds benefiting our school athletic program! Each week families from two classes are responsible for assisting in set up, serving, clearing tables, and clean up:
  - ❖ February 23<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> grade and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade
  - ❖ March 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade
  - ❖ March 9<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade and 4<sup>th</sup> grade
  - ❖ March 16<sup>th</sup> – K and PreK
- Please send in donations of cakes, cookies, breads, pies, etc. (or an \$8 donation for a purchased cake) for the Cake Wheel at the Fish Fry each week. If you can spare a few hours one Friday to help at the cake booth, please contact the parish office. Thanks!!
- **SERVICE OPPORTUNITY!!!** Are you looking to connect with fellow parishioners while being of service to our wider community? **St. Leonard Parish Life** is arranging a service project within our Louisville area. We have some ideas on the table already but would love to hear your ideas. Please contact **Fran Mastropaolo at 292-2863 or [fmastro6@twc.com](mailto:fmastro6@twc.com)** to share your ideas. You are also invited to join us at our next **Parish Life meeting, March 6<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm in the Parish Office.**
- Registration for the 2018-19 school year continues through Sycamore. The \$50/per student non-refundable registration fee is payable through Sycamore's Pay Junction. Click [here](#) to begin your family's re-enrollment.
- **If school is delayed due to weather, the school doors will open at 9:00 am. Morning Assembly will begin at 9:30.**
- **If school is cancelled, we will have a Distance Learning Day (DLD) with online assignments posted to Sycamore. We have had four online days to date and can only have one more according to Archdiocesan policy.**

#### SAFETY PATROL DUTIES

Week of February 26<sup>th</sup>

##### AM

Carpool Assist:

Taylor T.

Aiden S.

Flag and Cones:

Dia C.

Sterling C.

##### PM

Flag and Cones:

Tate C.

Atri O.

#### February / March Calendar of Events

Feb 23	SLS Fish Fry	Mar 2	SLS Fish Fry
Feb 24	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Retreat	Mar 3	Parish Discernment Session
Feb 26	Trimester 3 Begins	Mar 5-9	Terra Nova Testing
Feb 26-Mar 2	Dr. Seuss Week	Mar 9	SLS Fish Fry
Feb 26	K fieldtrip to Slugger Field	Mar 13	6-8 Reconciliation
Feb 26	SAC Meeting	Mar 14	PTO Meeting
Feb 28	Financial Aid Applications Due	Mar 15	8 <sup>th</sup> to Dare to Care
Feb 28	4-5 QR Tournament @ SLS	Mar 15	1:00 Dismissal
Mar 1	Ms. Natalie reads to PreK-K	Mar 15	Internet Safety Parent Workshop
Mar 1	Gr. 5-8 Science Fair	Mar 16	Gr 3-5 Bike Rodeo
Mar 2	Dr. Seuss Reading Day	Mar 16	SLS Fish Fry
		Mar 23	SLS Talent Show
		Mar 26	SAC Meeting
		Mar 30	Good Friday/Noon Dismissal