



Wolverine Notes

Weekly Newsletter

For the Week of May 15, 2017

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Thought for the week: ***"God never goes back; He always moves forward...God always wants our future to be bigger than our past, and God always moves forward."***

~Matthew Kelly

The Week in Review:

- Our **K-4 students** enjoyed their annual trip to the Louisville Zoo on Monday! The weather was perfect to see many playful animals outside enjoying the spring weather too. Thanks to all our parents who joined the children in this fun activity.
- The students enjoyed investigating the disappearance of Draco the bearded dragon from the science lab in this year's Forensics Day on Wednesday. Each class (**3rd-8th**) had a specific task to complete as they gathered clues and evidence and charted it throughout the day. The **3rd graders** finally solved the mystery and captured the culprit—**Mrs. Whyte** and the **Kindergarten Class**!
- Please give a BIG SLS WELCOME to our **new Business Manager, Monika Vowels**. Monika joined our team on Monday, May 8th and will be training on various responsibilities over the next few weeks. Please stop into the parish office and introduce yourself.
- The **6th grade** service project collected **\$676** during last week's Water with Blessings fundraiser. Due to your generosity, we surpassed our goal of enough money to purchase seven water filters. Our funds will be used to purchase 11 water filters to provide millions of gallons of water to families who don't have access to clean water.
- Hats off to our **PTO** for another successful Trivia Night on Saturday evening! We had many teams compete, with the **SLS Teacher Team** taking the top honors this year in a very close contest all evening. Special thanks to the **Trivia Committee** for planning such a fun-filled event!
- **S.T.A.R. STUDENTS:** We are proud of all our S.T.A.R. ticket students! The following were our weekly winners: **Emma L., Jack G., Nelson C., Max R., Isabella S., Will W., Vince P., Andrew R.**

The Week Ahead:

Monday, 5/15

- 8th Pizza in the Park, 10:00-1:30
- Talent Show, Gym, 2:00

Tuesday, 5/16 ***Graduation Day!***

- Final 8th Grade Mass, 8:30
- House Captain Ceremony, 9:30 (following mass)
- Graduation Practice, 9:45-10:30 followed by all-school Clap-Out!
- 8th Grade Luncheon Cruise, boarding begins 11:15; cruise 11:30-1:30
- STEM Makers Club, 3:00-4:00
- 8th Grade Graduation, 7:00 pm

Wednesday, 5/17

- Preschool to Slow Poke Farm, 9:00-2:30

Thursday, 5/18 ***Field Day!***

- K-7 Field Day, 9:30-2:00
- PreK 4 Graduation and Brunch, Library, 10:00-11:00
- Final STEM Makers Club, 3:00-4:00

Friday, 5/19

- K-4 Wolverine Wax Museum, Cafeteria/Gym, 8:30-9:30
- 3rd Grade sorted into Houses for 2017-18, 2:00



Did you know??... *Theresa House earned the most points in our House Program competition for the year followed by Esther, Sebastian, Aquinas, and Anastasia Houses. The students in Theresa House celebrated their victory by bowling and playing laser tag at the Main Event. Thanks to Ms. Moore for a very fun-filled year of House Activities working with all our House Captains and Co-Captains: Nia G., Patrick L., Savannah F., Alaina L., Anabel M., Matthew B., Alexander W., Lucy R., Avery M., and Kiley Y.!*

SUPPORTING LIFELONG SCHOLARS

- 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!
- On **Thursday, May 18th** the **7th grade class** will be hosting our annual **SLS Field Day from 9:30-2:00**. Please read class newsletters and emails for information on class colors and activities. Also, many events will take place outside. Please have your children wear sunscreen and their PE shoes.
- 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!
- Students in **grades K-4** will be visiting St. Matthews Community Park for Park Day on Monday, May 22nd. Please see class newsletters for information about what to wear and what to bring. Thanks!
- Please send in all your **aluminum can pull-tabs** for the **first grade** service project to the Ronald McDonald House. The last day for collection will be **Wednesday, May 24th**. Please continue to save them over the summer, as next year's first grade will continue the project. Thanks!
- **Our final school mass with Fr. BJ will be Tuesday, May 23rd at 8:30 am**. Please join us as we celebrate the Eucharist one last time with him as a school community.
- 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.
- Now is the time to register for this summer's **rising 4-6th "Math Masters: Computation"** and **rising 6-8th "Math Masters: The Road to Algebra"** Math Camps and/or **rising 5-8th "The Write Stuff—Making Fiction Fun"** Writing Camp. Please see the flyer attached to the email for this newsletter and contact Mr. Dauenhauer, adauenhauer@stleonardlouisville.org and Mr. Sedelmeier, ksedelmeier@stleonardlouisville.org.
- Please join us for our **Volunteer Appreciation Gathering** the morning of **May 25th**, our last day of school. We so appreciate the time and talents our school volunteers share with us to help make our school year successful. Hope to see you there!

SAFETY PATROL DUTIES

Week of May 15th

AM

Carpool Assist:

Avery M.

Taylor T.

Flag and Cones

Jack L.

Morry O.

PM

Flag and Cones:

Reece C.

Alaina L.

May Calendar of Events

May 15	Grade 8 Pizza in the Park
May 15	Talent Show
May 16	Grade 8 Final Mass and Boat Cruise
May 16	Graduation
May 17	PreK to Slow Poke Farm
May 18	Field Day
May 18	PreK 4 Graduation
May 19	K-4 Wolverine Wax Museum
May 22	Park Day
May 23	Fr. BJ Final School Mass
May 23	PreK Last Day
May 24	Kindergarten Graduation
May 25	K-7 Awards Day
May 25	Volunteer Appreciation Gathering
May 25	Last Day of School—Noon Dismissal

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