

St. Anthony School



Roadrunner Newsletter

September 12th, 2018

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Upcoming Events

9/19: Curriculum Night/Book Fair

9/27: PTC Meeting

10/6: Octoberfest



School News

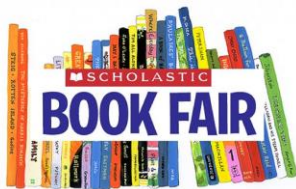
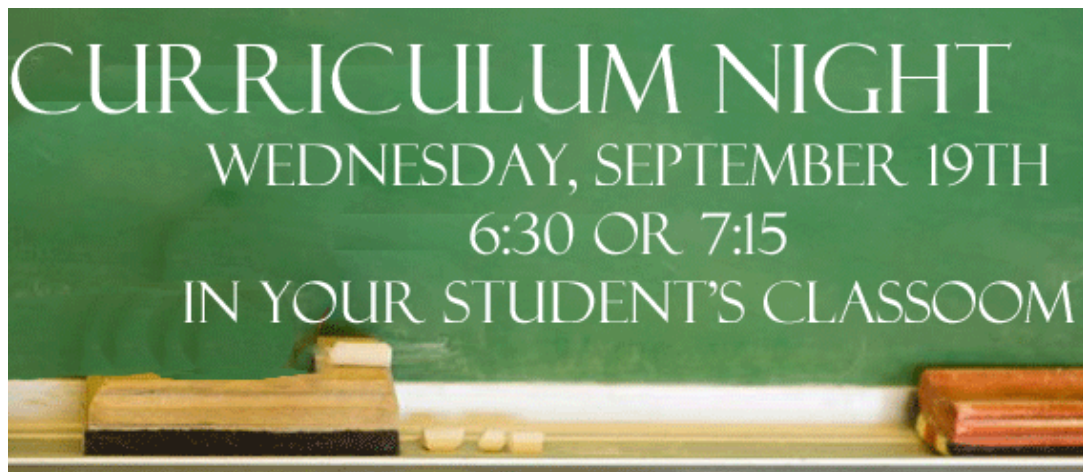
Update on Mr. Cantu

Monday afternoon, Mr. Cantu was admitted to the hospital and on Tuesday afternoon had a heart procedure. The procedure was successful and he is expected to be released from the hospital today (Wednesday).

He will be resting at home the rest of the week but has been told that he can

return to school next week.

Please keep him in your prayers for a continued speedy recovery.



The Scholastic Book Fair will be taking place in the MPR during Curriculum Night. Stop in before or after your session. Students will visit during the school day.

Only nine days left to get your student's Grandparents or Special Friends on our mailing list for an invite to our Grandparents Tea.

If your student's grandparents or special friends are not on this list, they won't get an invite. Don't delay...fill it out today.

[Grandparents/Special Friends Mailing List](#)

Disaster Preparedness Kits are due Monday, September 17th.

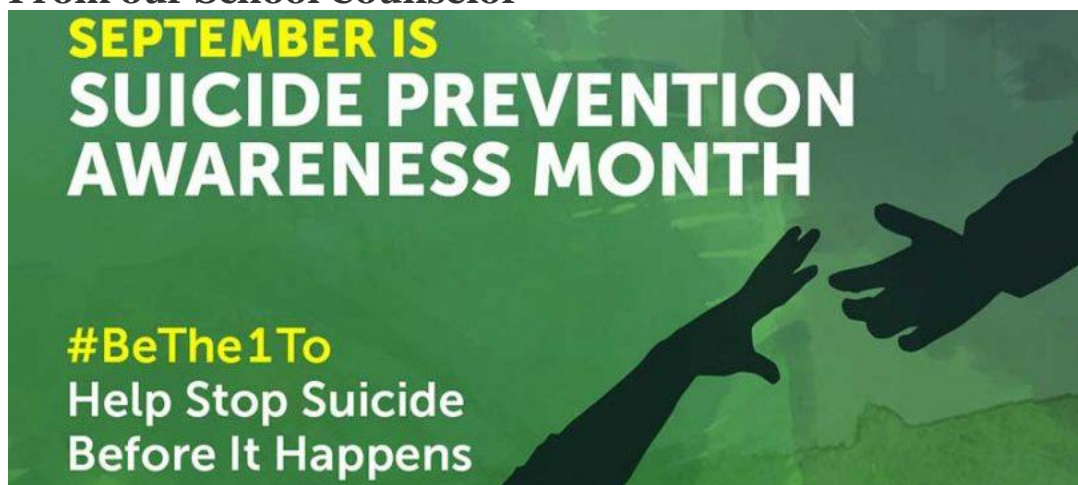
The list of what is needed is linked below.

[Disaster Preparedness Kit List](#)

Drop-Off/Pick Up Reminders

Please remember not to pull over and drop off your students on either 4th Ave, Shattuck Ave South or any of the business parking lots. Use either the parish parking lot or carpool.

From our School Counselor



- [Warning Signs of Suicide in Kids and Teens](#)
- [BeThe1To Know the Signs](#)
- [BeThe1To Make a Safety Plan](#)
- [BeThe1To Know the Risk Factors](#)
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[The Peer Mentors](#) had their 2018-2019 Training and Assembly last Friday, September 7th. Starting this October, Peer Mentors will be out on the playground, volunteering their time to help younger students have a fun and safe recess. Thank you for supporting our program!

BASS Bulletin

Safe Environment / "Protecting God's Children" Training

The Safe Environment Program was established by the Archdiocese of Seattle in an effort to protect children and young people and to establish norms for those working with them, whether in schools, parishes or clubs.

It is the policy of the Archdiocese, as well as St. Anthony School, to require all staff and volunteers to complete one three hour Safe Environment session entitled Protecting God's Children and a background check. This class teaches how to prevent and identify possible child abuse and need only be taken once. The background check will be valid for three years. When it is time to renew your background check, you will be required to take an online refresher Safe Environment class.

Any volunteer that is:

- Working in the Classroom
- Driving on a Field Trip
- Assisting at Lunch, during Recess, or at BASS
- Running a club
- Teaching an after school class

is required to be up to date with Safe Environment classes and have a current background check.

I am new to volunteering, how do I get started?

The 3-hour foundation class, “Protecting God’s Children” is held at different parishes throughout the Archdiocese and you may sign up to take a class at any parish or school.

The next one happening at St. Anthony Parish is on Saturday, September 22nd from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm in the Parish Hall. You must create a profile, electronically sign policies, submit your background check information and pre-register for this class at [this link](#). If you have any questions please contact Diane Kane at 425 277-6162 or kane@sasr.org.

Readerboard

Want to get your student's name on the Readerboard to wish them a Happy Birthday, congratulate them for an accomplishment or just say hi?

For \$25 dollars, your student can have their name in lights. Fill out the form linked below and send a check (payable to St. Anthony School) or cash into the Development Office marked Readerboard before the day you would like the message displayed and we'll make sure to have it up.

Your payment must be received before the date the message is to be displayed. If there is a problem with the date, we'll let you know beforehand.

[Name in Lights - Readerboard Message](#)

Latest Volunteer Opportunities

Dessert Dash Lead for the Auction: This is a fun and delicious way to get some volunteer hours in for the Auction (and you can still attend!). If you're interested or would like more information, contact Carolyn Wiemals at wiemals@sasr.org

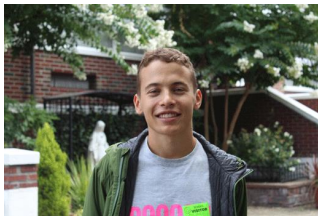
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Have you signed up for your volunteer preference?

Before we open volunteering opportunities in the newsletter for events, we send out an early opportunity email to those that have indicated their interest in volunteering for that event. If you haven't already done so, click through to the form linked below to indicate your top three preferences of Development and PTC Events and then look for those volunteer emails as the event approaches.

[Volunteer Event Preferences](#)



St. Anthony Alumnus Alex G. (class of '14) stopped by the school today to say hi to some of his old teachers before leaving for Northwestern University in Chicago this coming weekend. He'll be studying engineering thanks to, in his words, "my first grade teacher Mrs. Seeley." When they ran a city in their class, she assigned him an engineering role. Apparently it stuck.

Good luck to you Alex and to all our alumni who are off to their first year of college this fall.

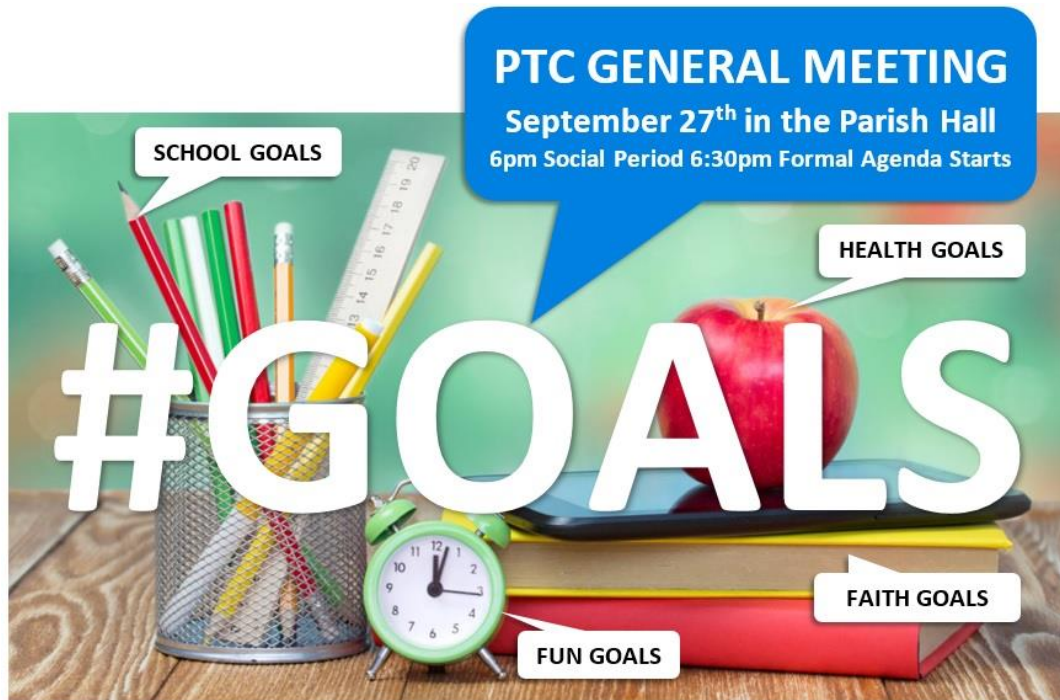
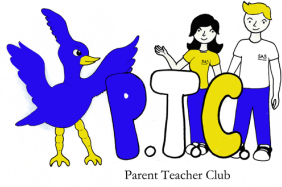


After School Chess Club

The Fall session is filling up! Get your registration in soon. The first class is Friday, September 21st. The cost is \$150 for the Fall session. Dates, times, and payment information are all on the flyer. If you have any questions, contact Chess Wizards at 1-866-94-FUN

[Chess Wizards @ St. Anthony School](#)

Parent Teacher Club



The first PTC General Meeting of the school year will be on **Thursday, September 27th from 6 to 8 pm in the Parish Hall**. Doors will be open at 6 pm for socializing, catching up with old friends and making some new ones. Refreshments will be provided. The formal agenda will begin at 6:30 pm.

Childcare for students in grades K-6th can be reserved by using the link below or contacting the school office (425-255-0059 or eaton@sasr.org) by Tuesday, September 25th.

[Childcare for the PTC Meeting](#)

We are looking for volunteers for all three PTC General Meetings. This is a great way to earn credit for the PTC requirement. Support these events by clicking the link below.

[PTC Meeting Volunteering](#)



Octoberfest is Saturday October 6th, 10 AM – 5 PM at the Parish Hall.

We need your help in volunteering and participating to make Octoberfest a success!

Sign up to volunteer in your child's class booth or to support additional activities through the Octoberfest sign-up genius link. The first class to have all its volunteer spots filled will receive a pizza party!!!

[Octoberfest Volunteering](#)

Pre-sale ticket information was sent home this week with students. Discounted game tickets (5 for \$1.00) can be purchased through the school office through October 2nd. You can also download a form below:

[Octoberfest Pre-Sale Tickets](#)

Calling all bakers! We would love to highlight your baking prowess as part of the annual Cake Walk. Bake and decorate a cake and donate to the Cake Walk. All students who bring a cake will receive an extra free dress day!

Questions about Octoberfest? Contact either of the Co-Chairs [Roger Rammer](#) or [Beth Asher](#)

Thank you

From the **wonderful tailgate party** (A “little rain” can't stop Roadrunners from reconnecting, meeting new families, enjoying each other and good food) to a **successful uniform exchange** (We received \$114 in donations) to an **informative new family business meeting**, many school parents came together to make these events happen. Thank you to:

- **Tailgate:** The Tailgate Planning Committee: Ging and Chad Ramage, Nancy Tran, Jamey Starkey, Tina Ho, Angelica deCorte and all the fabulous volunteers who powered this event, especially our cooks and those who helped with a very wet clean up.
- **Uniform Exchange:** Maggie and Sedona L., Jennifer Ramos, Julie

Mineard, and Marin S..

- **New Family Business Meeting:** Rob and Myra Pacleb, our New Family Social Coordinators!



Open Position

Do you like party planning and working with an awesome team? Come join the PTC Steering Group! We are searching for a HOSPITALITY REPRESENTATIVE.

[Click Here for More Information](#)

Active St. Anthony Parish Parents (ASAPP) Group News

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All St. Anthony School families that are members of St. Anthony Parish are automatically members of ASAPP! ASAPP works to increase visibility of the school within St. Anthony Parish and show appreciation for the Parish's support of the school.

Volunteer hours earned with ASAPP go towards meeting your Parish volunteer commitment so you can continue to receive in-Parish tuition rates. Read below for important ASAPP news and upcoming activities:

ASAPP Meeting on Monday, September 24th

Our ASAPP Meeting is Monday, September 24th at 6 pm in the Music Center (building directly North of the Church). We will review plans for the year and welcome the new ASAPP families. Ms. Donna Schlager from St. Anthony Parish will discuss the importance of the Parish/School relationship. We would love to see all St. Anthony School families that are members of St. Anthony Parish!

Octoberfest ASAPP Raffle Prize Booth – We need your Support!

Each year ASAPP sponsors the raffle prize booth at Octoberfest, which is on October 6th. We are requesting ASAPP families donate time and/or prizes for the booth. Thanks to everyone who has signed up to volunteer already! We just have a few more openings that we need to fill for set-up

(12:00 pm-2:00 pm on October 5th) and the first shift coverage of the booth on October 6th. See the sign-up link below to volunteer.

[Octoberfest Raffle Prize Booth Sign Up](#)

Please bring Octoberfest prize donations to the school office marked “ASAPP Octoberfest” starting now, or bring them to the September 24th ASAPP meeting. Having the prizes gathered in the next few weeks will facilitate planning for the raffle booth. We need prizes that appeal to Kindergarten through 8th grade valued around \$25. Some suggested items include: Nintendo games, portable speakers, battery packs, electronics, gift cards (Apple, Google, Aeropostle, Family Fun Center, Go Kart racing, etc.), movie tickets, \$20 bills, sports items (including footballs, basketballs, soccer balls, rollerblades, etc.), Seahawks/professional sports apparel, etc. We can accept cash to go toward the purchase of prizes (please have cash to the office by September 14th). Unused gifts from birthday parties, etc., can make good donations as well. If you are a Microsoft employee with access to the Microsoft store, please contact Lora.

Please direct any questions to Lora Hastings at hasbarr@msn.com with a copy to HastinL@amtrak.com, or contact her to volunteer your time. We are looking for someone interested in shadowing Lora to take on focal responsibilities for next year. Please contact Lora if interested.

Poinsettia and Wreath Fundraiser

We will be kicking off our annual Poinsettia and Wreath Fundraiser to fund our 2019-2020 Student/Family Scholarships next week. Watch the Roadrunner and kid-mail for pre-order forms and additional information.

E-mailed Newsletters

Watch for the first ASAPP monthly newsletter via email in the near future.



CYO News



Parish and Community News

Washington State Fair Parking at All Saints Parish

All Saints Parish and School is located just 2 blocks from the main fair entrance. Every year we raise money for the school by parking cars for the fair. Our main lot is located on 7th Ave SW between 2nd St SW and 3rd St SW in downtown Puyallup. Look for our parent volunteers in the red aprons and please consider parking their and helping out our parish and school.

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