



CALENDAR

Thursday, October 12

Gian's noodles
Picture Retake
3rd gr. art - 12:50pm

Friday, October 13

2nd gr. art - 1:00 pm

Saturday, October 14

Fall Festival
8th Gr. departs for
Washington, D.C.

Tuesday, October 17

Baked potato
5th gr. art @ 1:30pm

Wednesday, October 18

Hot dogs
1st gr. art @ 12:30pm

Michael's Pizza Tonight!

The 7th grade Wednesday's for Washington fundraiser today at Michael's Pizza. Bring your flyer!

Flyers in the office

- CYO Spirit-wear
- Miss Cheri's music class
- Gian's Deli order form
- After School Spanish Class
- Daddy Daughter Dance
- Harlem Globetrotter tickets



God's Corner...

*Those who hope in the Lord
will renew their strength.*

Isaiah 40:31

It's Festival time!

The Fall Festival is just around the corner and we are all looking forward to spending a beautiful fall day with our families and friends in support of this wonderful event. What makes this day so successful is the amazing team of festival volunteers who have contributed an abundance of time and energy behind the scenes, planning, preparing and scheduling. Festival day volunteers are also essential to the function and success of this event! Thank you for doing your part, as we could not do this without you. If you are scheduled to work, we ask that you report to the volunteer check-in table by the nut hut 15 minutes early. This will help ease the stress of our volunteer coordinators knowing that the volunteer you are relieving will also be able to enjoy some of the days festivities. Annunciation School is blessed to have such great parent support!

Festival scheduled hours have been sent home. If you did not receive it and do not know your volunteer assignment, please contact Nanette at mussi23@aol.com.

Festival pre-orders were sent home today. Please check to make sure your order is complete and correct.

SEE YOU AT THE FALL FESTIVAL!!

Calling all bakers!

The Bakery Barn will once again be offering homemade goodies and coffee during the Fall Festival. If you, or someone you know, loves to bake and would like to donate tasty treats (muffins, loaves, cakes, cookies, pies, cupcakes, etc.), please contact Karen Morelli (639-2706)

- *Bring your goodies Saturday, Oct. 14th when you come to the festival
- *Label your item with both your name and the name of your goodie.

So, take out those favorite recipes and fire up those ovens! Thank you in advance for adding to the fun!

PTO News

This Friday, PTO will distribute pumpkin muffins to our students during their first recess to help kick off the school festival and the Fall season! Gluten and allergen free muffins will be available. Thank you to all parents helping us bake and share this treat!

Please join us at our next PTO meeting on October 19th at 7 p.m. in the Staff Lounge. All are welcome!

Shining Stars!

The Harlem Globe Trotters have invited our school choir to sing the National Anthem at the beginning of their show, November 1, at 7:00 pm. at Enoch High School in Modesto. All are invited to support our choir and be entertained by this fun and talented basketball team. Discounted tickets are available for \$19.00 each. Return your form (available on website) and money to Mrs. Rainwater by October 19.

Eyeglasses for the needy

During the month of October, Mrs. Ross' first grade class will be collecting old eyeglasses that will be refurbished and given to those in need. If you have an old pair, or two, you are no longer using, please drop them off at the school office or to first grade.

CYO Spirit-wear

Check out the new Annunciation CYO spirit-wear for Volleyball, Cross Country, and Boy's Basketball. Spirit-wear is available in short or long-sleeved shirts and crew or hooded sweatshirts. Spirit-wear is an added bonus to the dry-fit practice shirt athletes receive when registered for a CYO sport. Get your order in before the November 1 deadline. Order forms are available on the school website.

Our faithful departed

During the school Mass on Tuesday, November 1, we will be remembering the souls of the faithful departed. The student body would like to remember your loved ones who have died. Please return the form, that was sent home, by Friday, October 20 with your list of names you would like for us to include.

Learn a second language

An after school Spanish program, designed for children, will be offered by the Spanish Language Institute (SLI). Children will stay at school for one extra hour, once a week, to learn Spanish in a natural, comprehensive and engaging approach. Research shows that learning a foreign language from an early age enhances a child's overall mental development. For additional information, pick up a flyer in the school office.

Picture re-takes

Picture re-take day is tomorrow, October 12. If you were absent and need to have your picture taken please complete a Lifetouch order form (available in the office), include your payment and give to the photographer. If you are in need of a re-take, your complete original photo package must be returned to the photographer that day.

Looking ahead

- October 11 - Michael's Pizza - Wednesday for Washington fundraiser. Bring your flyer!
- October 12 - Picture re-take
- October 13 - Rosary Club @ 3:00 pm
- October 14 - Fall Festival 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
- October 15 - St. Mary's Open House 11:00 am - 1:00 pm.
- October 18 - Girl Scout meeting 2:50 - 4:00pm. Wear your uniform for the Halloween themed meeting!
- October 23 - 27 - Red Ribbon Week



Red Ribbon Week 2017

Your Future is Key, So Stay Drug Free! October 23 - 27, 2017

Monday, October 23rd - **You Hold the Key to Your Dreams!** - PJ Day - All students may wear pajamas to school today. Sweet dreams!

Tuesday, October 24th - **Don't Pink About It** - To promote breast cancer awareness and our theme don't "pink" about being drug free; just let healthy living be your way of life, students may wear a pink shirt with free dress bottoms for \$1.00. All proceeds benefit McHugh's Marchers, our October charity.

Wednesday, October 25th - **Black-Out Bullies** - Students may wear all black today. All students will be given a ribbon to wear for Unity Day. This ribbons symbolize that we stand against bullying. We will take a pledge and let the community know that we are buddies against bullies. Together we take a stand against bullying, and we want to let everyone know that we will show kindness, acceptance, and inclusion to all our students.

Thursday, October 26th - **Team Up Against Drugs** - Students may wear a team jersey or team t-shirt of a sports team they play on or a professional sports team with free dress bottoms. Go Team Annunciation!

Friday, October 27th - **Real Superheroes Don't do Drugs** - Students may wear a superhero t-shirt, superhero colors, or a superhero costume. Free dress bottoms may be worn with the t-shirt or colors.



October 31, 2017



Tuesday, October 31st - Halloween - Students will come to school dressed in their Halloween costume. Please remember, there can be no weapons, accessories, or inappropriate costumes worn at school. We will have a school wide morning activity and our annual Halloween rally at approximately 1:15 pm. After the rally, we will go to the big yard (or it will be moved indoors if the weather is bad) where students will participate in the PTO sponsored trunk-or-treat. Trunk-or-treat is a safe and fun area where students can go from car to car in the big yard and trick-or-treat from each "trunk." All parents are invited to participate in the trunk-or-treat and pass out candy to the students. PTO is looking for parent volunteers to decorate their vehicle and participate in the trunk-or-treat event. Please contact Paige Lombardi at pto@annunciationsaints.org for more information. Students will be dismissed at 2:50 p.m.

