

SAINT JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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School Pictures:

As stated in last week's newsletter, our All-School Picture Day will be on Tuesday, September 24th. Sarah Monson Photography in Benton will be taking pictures of our students starting at 8:00 a.m. This year is going to be different from past years. The pictures will be taken on the 24th and Sarah will be setting up a portfolio for each of your children. You will be able to access your child's portfolio and order the picture package and items that you want totally online. I will not need to send forms home or collect money from you. When the picture packages are ready to go, Sarah will do a drop off at school. There will be no charge for this initial drop off. Down the road if you would like to order additional items from Sarah for gifts, etc., there will be a charge to have them delivered to your house.

Preschool Parents-A majority of our 3K and 4K students are at school on the 24th. If your child is not at school on Tuesdays, I am hoping that you, a grandparent, or a friend would be able to bring your child to school that morning before or close to 8 to get their picture taken by Sarah. If not, we will need you to go to Sarah's studio in Benton to get your child's picture taken.

I will contact our families whose children are not here on Tuesdays next week to see what your plans are so that I can inform the photographer.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Can You Donate?

St. Joseph School will be holding a Blood Drive on Wednesday, September 25th from 2:00-6:00p.m. in the school gym. If we have 20 donors, our school will receive \$250 in grant money to use for our students. We use the money that we receive from the blood drives to help with the cost of a bus to attend different field trips.

Please call the office to set up a time if you would like to donate.

St. Joseph Apparel:

Last week there was an order form for St. Joseph apparel in your Friday Folder. If you would like to purchase some St. Joseph clothing for your child, please return the form and money to my office by next Friday, September 13th.

Catechetical Sunday:

On Sunday, September 15th we will celebrate Catechetical Sunday at St. Joseph Parish. This is where we recognize everyone who is helping to bring Catholic education to our students. We will begin with Mass at 8:30 a.m., followed by a gathering in the school. The PEC will be serving doughnuts and juice in the cafeteria after Mass.

Mark Your Calendar:

9/8-Volleyball Games at Cassville
(B-girls at noon; A-girls at 1:30 p.m.)
9/15-Catechetical Sunday (8:30 Mass)
9/22-Volleyball Games at St. Rose
(G-girls at noon; A girls at 1:30 p.m.)
9/24-Picture Day
9/25-St. Joseph Blood Drive (2:00-6:00)
9/26-St. Dominic Pastorate Mass at St. Rose
Church (8:30 a.m.)
9/27-No School

Enjoy your weekend!

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