



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER May 11, 2018

Dear Families –

I hope everyone enjoyed the band and choir performance as much as I did. Our student talent is absolutely outstanding! Hats off to our band and choir students!

As graduation is approaching, we recognized our 8th graders during our Recognition Mass on Thursday morning. I will miss them – they are a great group of students!

The next Parent Club meeting will be Wednesday June 6, 6:00 at Mulligan's. We will be picking officers that evening for the 2018-2019 school year. All are welcome!

Don't forget the Sports banquet for bowling, IESA music and band, Scholastic Bowl, and track at 6:00 p.m. at the KC Hall. Pizza and pop will be provided and we are asking for following groups to bring:

- Band/Choir - appetizers/side dishes
- Bowling/Scholastic Bowl - chips
- Track - dessert

Is your business interested in being an Our Saviour MAGIC MATCH for the 2018-19 school year? Magic Match pairs a business or interested family with an Our Saviour grade level or classroom. This sponsor helps fund the assigned grade level or classroom with the funds necessary for those "extras" that our teachers or students may need to enhance our curriculum efforts. To learn more or receive information, please email Mrs. Jones: pjones@oss-shamrocks.com Thank you!

Congratulations to Mrs. Burgess and Mr. Gibson on their Jacksonville Area Chamber of Commerce "Those Who Care" Certificate of Appreciation. This certificate was "for benefiting children by the giving of yourself, you have made a difference in children's lives." Congratulations to both of you!

The 20th annual ShamRocket Volleyball Camp, a.k.a. Gibby Camp, will run Tuesday, May 29th through Thursday, May 31st. This camp is open to all girls, grades 4 to 12 (as of Aug. 2018), and will be held at The Dome at Routt Catholic High School. Forms were distributed to all eligible Our Saviour girls the week of April 16th-20th. If you have not seen a registration form, they are available on the Our Saviour School website and the Routt Catholic High School website. Forms are due by May 18th to ensure correct t-shirt size for campers.

We have two openings on our Advisory Board and are looking for interested candidates. Please contact the school office if you would be interested on serving on the advisory committee, so that we can get an application to you for completion. This group typically meets the 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. The time completed for serving on this committee can be used for service hours.

Just a reminder, our last day of school will change to Friday, May 25th. The K – 7 Awards will move to May 25th. 8th Grade events on Tuesday, May 22nd will remain unchanged.

Protecting God's Children sessions have been scheduled for June 2 at 9:00 am. For parents planning to help with field trips, play day, or even Family Fun Festival in September, or any other volunteer activity involving our children, you must have completed this course. Call the parish office for further information.

The girls' basketball coaches at Routt and Our Saviour are coming together to host a Basketball Academy for girls in 3rd through 8th grade. The curriculum was put together to help girls continue to develop their skills and enhance their overall knowledge of the game. Applications will be handed out to all of the girls in these grades - please turn them back into the office once completed, Attn: Colleen Doyle. Girls may also register on the first day of the academy. Should you have any questions, please contact Colleen Doyle at cdoyle@oss-shamrocks.com or 217-408-6745.

The gym floor will be redone on July 27. We will need to stay off of it until August 6. While this doesn't affect many people during that time (with it being summer), I wanted to let everyone know of this.

The thought for this week is from Romans 12:10 "Love one another with mutual affection; anticipate one another in showing honor.

Blessings,

Mrs. Stevie VanDeVelde

Dates to Remember:

May 14 – Skate Night – 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

May 16 – Sports banquet for bowling, IESA music and band, scholastic bowl, and track – 6:00 p.m. – KC Hall

May 17 – Last day of Pre-K for 3 year olds

May 18 – Last day of Pre-K for 4 year olds

May 21 – No bus service

May 22 – 8th grade awards – 8:30 a.m. – Gym

May 22 – 8th grade graduation – 6:30 p.m. – Church – Children Choir performs

May 22 – No bus service

May 23 – No bus service

May 23 – Play Day – Notes to be sent home

May 24 – Advisory Board – 7:00 p.m.

May 25 – Last day of school – K – 7 grade awards – 12:15, followed by Mass at 1:45 and dismissal at 2:30 p.m. No bus service.

June 1 – Playground Pledges are due

June 2 – Protecting God's Children – 9:00 a.m.