

Holy Spirit Regional Catholic School

Tiger Talk

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Principal's Message

Dear Friends,

Welcome back! I pray that you all had a relaxing and rejuvenating break that has prepared you to finish out this first semester. We have some exciting things coming up in the next three weeks, so be watching for details and updates.

We are now in the period of Advent. The word "advent" translates from Latin to mean "coming." While the holidays are certainly coming, a lot quicker than many of us are able to prepare, the weeks of Advent are intended to prepare for the physical coming of our Lord and Savior. These weeks are meant for reflection and appreciation for, not just the sacrifices that our Lord made, but also for those that surround us each and every day in our lives. What better way to have begun this than with the celebration of Thanksgiving? In the next weeks, take some moments to recognize where you are, how far you've come, and how far you can still go with the help of Christ.

One of the most exciting things unfolding here at Holy Spirit is the installation of our SMART Lab. Construction began just this week and is well underway. It will officially and formally open with the new year in January. This offers a world of opportunities for our students, so I hope that you are as excited as I am. Be watching the social media accounts for photos and updates as all of that unfolds.

I am looking forward to seeing you all in the coming weeks as we enter into this festive time of year!

Blessings,
Vince Aquila
Principal



Calendar at a Glance

DECEMBER

- 5 Come See Night for Potential New Families at Holy Spirit
- 9 - 12 PTO Santa's Shop
- 9 - 10 Collect wine donations in carline for BASH
- 10 Spirit Night @ Nothing But Noodles
- 11 Band Concert @ 6 pm in the Auditorium
Out of Uniform if family donated a bottle of wine for BASH
- 13 - 19 7th/8th Exams
- 19 Christmas Program @ 6 pm in the Church
- 20 12 pm Dismissal - No AfterCare

Re-Enrollment is Open!

PLEASE NOTE Enrollment fees for returning students are as follows:

If enrolled between December 1, 2019 and January 6, 2020 the fee is \$125

If enrolled between January 7, 2020 and February 10, 2020 the fee is \$150

If enrolled after February 10, 2020 the fee is \$175

Thank you and Holy Spirit Regional School looks forward to a great 20/21 school year.

Reminder!



SANTA'S SHOP

Happy Holidays! The Santa Shop opens on Monday, December 9th and continues through Thursday, December 12th from 8:15am-12:15pm in Meeting Room 3. PK-5th grade will visit the shop at a designated time during the day. The shop will also be open on Tuesday, December 10th from 3pm-5pm for siblings/6th-8th grade students who want to shop after school.

The items range in price from \$0.50 to \$11 with most of the items priced at \$3 and under. The gifts will be wrapped and placed into gift bags with labels after purchase so your child can place the gifts under the tree when they get home!

Please fill out the white envelope and return the envelope with money for your children to shop for gifts. Remember to include who you want your child to purchase gifts for and how much you want him/her to spend on that person. With the help of volunteers, your child will shop for the names on the envelope. *If you send in a check please make payable to Holy Spirit PTO and write for no more than \$25.00.*

In order to make this Santa Shop an enjoyable shopping experience for our students, we need VOLUNTEERS! Please sign up and join us for even just 30min/1 hour or more if you can so that we can ensure each child gets ample time to shop. If you would like to volunteer please sign up at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D4CA9A928A1FA7-santa>

*******The students LOVE this shop and the fact that they can buy gifts on their own for their friends and family. PTO is always excited to provide this event for our students and relies on the help of volunteers to run it! Join us please!

If you have any questions please contact Amanda Pillsbury | Santa Shop Chair: ahpillsbury04@yahoo.com

PARENTS' SHOPPING DAY OUT

LET US WATCH YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN WHILE YOU GET SOME SHOPPING or Holiday Cleaning DONE!

Saturday, November 30, 2019

And Saturday December 14, 2019

OPEN HOURS: 8:00AM UNTIL 4:00PM

In the youth room

CHOOSE 5 HOURS TO SHOP FOR \$20.00 PER CHILD.

WE WILL PROVIDE SNACKS, BUT PARENTS MUST SEND A BAGGED LUNCH.

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