



TIGERS TRACKS

October 1, 2021

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ST. PAUL'S OKTOBER-FEST CELEBRATION is Saturday, October 2nd from 6pm-10pm at St. Paul's Lutheran School. If you signed up, we will see you there. It will be held outside in the back behind the school. Live music from Die Musikmeisters (6:30PM-9:30PM). German Food served by Parish Fellowship. Free will offering to help cover food. Bring your own drinks.



Child Care provided by the Youth Group from 7PM-10PM.

**If you didn't sign up, you are still welcome to come listen to music and dance.



MEDICAL RECORDS

The State of Illinois requires Medical records for new students, preschool, K, 2, 6 grade. The final deadline for these

to be turned in is October 8. Failure to satisfy these health requirements by October 8 will mean that your child may not attend classes until health requirements are in full compliance. If you have missing records, letters were sent home in September. Records will be reviewed on Tuesday, October 12th. You will be notified about not attending/return to school date thereafter.

THANK YOU to the Sexton family for the donation of the trellis/ pergola in the garden at school. A special thank you to Mr. Sexton for building it. It is a lovely addition to our garden.



CHAPEL-Chapel is Wednesday at 8:30AM. We have a special Chapel for the October. All Chapel offerings will be given to Fortitude Community Outreach. Fortitude is a grassroots non-profit in Kankakee County that provides emergency shelter (Oct-May), street outreach, transitional housing, and workforce development for the homeless. They operate primarily with the support of our local community. St. Paul's downtown location is currently a shelter site 5 nights of the week during the winter months. We are proud to partner with Fortitude in helping the homeless in our community.



MOTHER SON CAMPOUT

Thank you to Tori Silski, Lori Fuchs and Angela Heldt and all of the other volunteers for leading the fun at the mother son campout. Everyone had a great time. Thank you to Thrivent Financial as our sponsor. Thank you to the Nelin family for the use of the screen.

SHORTS EXTENDED

Due to the warmer weather, shorts will be extended through October 15th if your student chooses. As a reminder, please make sure that shorts are finger tip length.

**October 11th
No School
Columbus Day**



UPCOMING DATES

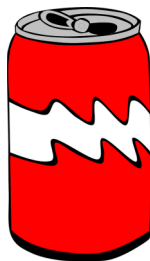
- Oct 2 Oktoberfest 6PM-10PM
- Oct 8 Medical records dead line
- Oct 11 Columbus Day No School
- Oct 18-19 Life Education K-5th
- Oct 22 Early Dismissal 11:15PK, 11:30 K-8
- Oct 22 End of First Quarter
- Oct 25 Red Ribbon Week
- Oct 29 Trunk or Treat 5PM-6:30PM
- Nov 4 Early Dismissal 11:15PK, 11:30 K-8
- Nov 4-5 Parent Teacher Conference

TRIP/SCRIP- As we go back to school, don't forget about Shop with Scrip- otherwise known as St Paul's TRIP program! TRIP is a fundraising program that helps you earn money for lunch, extended care, and other fees, AND at the same time gives money back to our school! Unsure of how this works? It is so easy! Buy gift cards for gifts or for just plain everyday spending and you get a percentage back. You may buy plastic gift cards in the school office or order from Julie Salzman or use the very simple and convenient phone app! The app is Raise Right which is downloadable from your play store. You can also sign up on the website to obtain the app. Instructions on how to join the program and do this are located on Mrs. Meyers planner under free money info!



If you have any further questions, please contact Mrs. Meyer or Mrs. Salzman

SCORE RECYCLING CONTEST- Welcome Back! We look forward to another successful year of recycling competition! The SCORE contest is sponsored by Belson's Steel and over 30 area businesses. Last year Belsons awarded almost \$7500 in cash and prizes to 35 area schools and organizations!



This year the contest started on October 4th and will run until April 23rd. Helping us earn money for the school by collecting cans is easy! All you need to do is mention St. Paul's when you drop off cans at Belson's. You earn cash for the cans; St Paul's earns points for the pounds. At the end of the program, St Paul's will receive an additional amount for every point scored. The schools with the top scores will win additional cash and prizes. You can also drop cans off here at St Paul's in the bin by the pop machine in the hall by the music room.

PARTNERSHIP HOURS ARE UPDATED FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR- Partnership Hours have been updated for the school year. Field Trips from last year have been entered as well as anything current that was turned in prior to Family Fun Night. Please review your hours for accuracy.

Things to remember-

As a rule of thumb, the activity must benefit more than your child. Please review the back page of the partnership hours forms for ideas. Donations of items to the school must be a special request asked by the school or teacher for specific amounts and for a specific hour. *Otherwise donations for partnership hours are not accepted.*

Partnership hours are only entered monthly. Please fill out the form and drop in the large black collection box in the lobby or send a Fast Direct to Mrs. Meyer. Hours are only recognized when you turn them in to the office. Parents are responsible for submitting hours. Teachers will only submit hours for Field Trips at the end of the school year.

Currently Julie Salzman is looking for concessions and tickets for home games. Reminder: parents of athletes have 5 shifts to fulfill each year.

DID YOU FORGET?- Parent's please check with your children before leaving the house to make sure that they have the following:



- Face Mask
- Water Bottle
- Lunch Bag
- Bookbag

This will help them have a great start to the day. It's a disruption to the students, teachers and staff to have to locate parents for these items. We will have water bottles available for \$1 charged to the hot lunch account for emergencies only.