

# Saint Stanislaus School Newsletter

October 13, 2019

Remember that you are never alone, Christ is with you on your journey every day of your lives! He has called you and chosen you to live in the freedom of the children of God. Turn to him in prayer and in love. Ask him to grant you the courage and strength to live in this freedom always. Walk with him who is “the Way, the Truth and the Life”!

St. Pope John Paull II

Dear Parents of St. Stan’s Students,

The winners in our calendar raffle so far are:

- Oct 1 – Shannon Raposo
- Oct 2 – Ty Ponte
- Oct 3 – Caroline Hass
- Oct 4 – Cathy Broodmeadow
- Oct 5 – Mario Lucciola
- Oct 6 – Andrea Botelho
- Oct 7 – Zachary Falcon
- Oct 8– Segundo Flores
- Oct 9 – Ray Fitzpatrick
- Oct 10– Emersyn Trenholme
- Oct 11 – Stacy Lema
- Oct 12 – Bertha Souza
- Oct 13 – Anne Quinlan

Please watch for future winners next week in the newsletter. Thank you to all who sold and bought tickets for this raffle.

After **school clubs** will be starting up. There will be information sent home in the Monday envelope. Please watch for the flyers and return them to the school, if your child is interested in a club.

- The drama club will be starting up after the holidays. Mr. Andrew Pariseau, our music teacher, will be leading this club. We look forward to a nice school event in the spring.
- The Newspaper Club will begin this Wednesday from 2:30 -3:30PM with Fr. Tom.
- Mr. Shawn Mills has started the Photography/video club on Friday afternoon from 2:30-4:00PM.
- Mrs. Alicia Vaillancourt will offer the Mary’s Club this fall. This will take place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month from 2:30-3:30pm.

If you have suggestions for other clubs or would like to offer a club, please let me know.

On **Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm** St. Stanislaus School will be represented at the opening of the Province Bruins game with singing America the Beautiful. I sent a flyer home via grade link with the information. Mr. Andrew Pariseau will be inquiring what students are interested in being part of a school choir to perform at the game.

It is with deep sorrow that I share the news that our 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher Ms. Amaral’s mother died on Saturday, October 12, 2019. There will be a substitute teacher in 4<sup>th</sup> grade. Mrs. Stephanie Morrison will be starting on Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup> to cover until Ms. Amaral returns to school. Please join our school community of faith in praying for Ms. Amaral and her family.

MAP testing results will be sent home in Monday’s envelope on October 21<sup>st</sup>. Please watch for this envelope. If you have any questions about the test results, please let me know.

The Catholic School Office (CSO) has arranged for a representative from the S.E.A.L. Foundation to assist the Catholic Schools in Fall River with acquiring some excellent resources for Special Education. We are very fortunate to be able to participate in this program and to benefit from the resources.

There is an important meeting on Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM for any student who is interested in playing in the **Futsal League**. Coach Bill will be here at the school to discuss plans and to sign up students who are interested. Also, any parents who are interested in coaching, please consider attending this meeting and hearing about this great opportunity.

The Development Committee is busy with selling tickets for the raffle and for the Harvest Moon Mixer. Please make sure you have purchased your tickets. There is a contest within the school by grade level. Right now this how it looks for the classes. Let's see if we can raise these numbers.

	PK	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Other	Total
<b>Total Sold</b>	17	7	9	42	13	12	15	37	20	7	0	179

The class that sells more than 20 tickets gets a dress down day (2<sup>nd</sup> grade already has 2 dress down days and 6<sup>th</sup> grade is coming up to 2 days), first class to sell 50 tickets gets a breakfast (2<sup>nd</sup> grade is almost there for breakfast in the classroom) and the class that sells the most will receive a pizza and ice cream party. If we reach our goal of \$40,000.00 the entire school will have a party.

As we walk with Jesus during this school year, may you be blessed with God's grace, love and peace.

In Mary's love,  
Beth Mahoney

### **Notes from the Principal**

- Harvest Moon Mixer will be on Saturday November 2<sup>nd</sup> – watch for details coming home. Please save the date on your calendar.
- Mass at 6:00 PM at the Cathedral every Sunday. Altar servers, lectors, gift bearers, and collectors are needed. If your child is interested in sharing in the ministry, at this Youth Mass, please call Leanne Nelson at 508-989-5868.
- Please take a moment to post a note on our Shout Out Wall. You just might put a smile on someone's face.
- Calendar Raffle: winners are listed in this newsletter and on the bulletin board in the school lobby. Checks are mailed to the winners.
- Remember is this no school on **Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>** – Columbus Day Observance
- **October 25<sup>th</sup>** is a professional day – so there is no school.
- Halloween Thursday, **October 31<sup>st</sup>** – each class will have their own celebration with their teachers.
- Friday, **November 1<sup>st</sup>** – All Saint's Day – we will have Mass at 8:15 AM. Please note the change in the day for Mass.
- Any student who has made their 1<sup>st</sup> communion and would like to learn how to serve Mass, please make sure they let their teacher know. We will be having a training session soon for all students who are interested.
- Watch for after school clubs beginning. Information will be sent home.
- **December 7<sup>th</sup>** – Province Bruins Game – the school will sing America the Beautiful before the game.