

# Nazareth School News

Office: (619)641-7987 Fax: (619)280-4652 **October 13, 2023** Preschool: (619)641-7954 Day Care: (619) 458-7313

## WEEK AT A GLANCE – Oct. 14-20

**SAT** 10:00am, Varsity Boys Football vs. Santa Sophia @ MDCHS

**MON** **Sunflower Parent-Teacher Conferences**  
10:45am, Preschool visits Nazareth House  
2:45-3:45pm, Handbell Choir

**TUES** 7:30-7:50am, Faculty-Staff Prayer  
3:00pm, Drama – See Schedule  
3-4:00pm, Boys Varsity Flag Football Practice  
3-4:00pm, Excelsior Chess  
3-4:00pm, Faculty Meeting

**WED** 8:05am, Morning Assembly  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade visits Cathedral Catholic HS  
3-4:00pm, Coding Enrichment Grades K-5

**THU** **End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter**  
8:00am, Parents in Prayer  
8:30am, Mass at St. Francis Chapel  
10:45am, Great CA Shakeout  
3:00-3:30pm, Detention  
3:00pm, Drama – See Schedule  
3-4:00pm, Cheer Practice

**FRI** **No School – Student Holiday**  
Diocesan Professional Development Day for Teachers  
Preschool Catechist Certification Day



## OCTOBER 20: NO SCHOOL

**Friday, October 20** - This is a teacher workday and student holiday due to the Diocesan Professional Development Day and Preschool Catechist Certification Day.

## Halloween Carnival at Nazareth School:



### **Friday, October 27 5:30 – 8:30pm**

Food, drinks, games, inflatables, mechanical bull, dunk tank, haunted house, cake walk & more. Many volunteer opportunities – please contact your child's room parent for ways to help. All game booths accept tickets only.

You may purchase tickets at the tables set up outside of the office and the 8<sup>th</sup> grade classroom during the Carnival. **We accept debit or credit card payments!** Please the Halloween Carnival Tickets pre – order form in today's family envelope. There will be a will call table set up for pre-ordered tickets.

## HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL MEETING

The final Halloween Carnival planning meeting will be on Wednesday, October 25, at 6:30pm in the Auditorium.



## PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES (Gr. K-8)

Parent-Teacher Conferences schedules are in today's envelope. Thank you to all the families for sending in their special requests for a certain day and time frame in a timely manner. Please make every effort to schedule time off with your employer so you can attend this important conference.

## PAROCHIAL SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY MEET

Nazareth School will be participating in the Parochial School Cross Country Meet at Cathedral Catholic HS on Saturday, October 21.

## SOCKTOBER – STUDENT COUNCIL

Nazareth School Student Council is collecting NEW white ADULT socks for the homeless during the month of October. All classrooms are accepting the sock donations through October 31.



## MONTH OF THE ROSARY

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. At morning assembly during the month of October, the school will pray a decade of the rosary. Parents are welcome to join us.



## PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – NOVEMBER 1

We are in need of some parent volunteers to help with the lunch duty and Extended Care on Wednesday, November 1 beginning at 11:55am until 1:30pm. This is a minimum day with 11:55am dismissal. Parents would supervise the students during their lunch and extended care. If you are able to help on this day, please email Nancy at [office@nazarethschool.org](mailto:office@nazarethschool.org). Thank you!

## FAMILY ENVELOPES

We had 100% return of the family envelopes this week from grades 1, 2 & 4. We were missing 10 envelopes. Remember, every class with 100% 4 weeks in a row will receive a treat from the office.

## CATCH OF THE WEEK



**Congratulations to** Shea MacManus (Kg), Emilia Velasquez (1<sup>st</sup>), Claire Lozano (2<sup>nd</sup>), Sophia Ladisa (3<sup>rd</sup>), Tinsley Bowman (4<sup>th</sup>), Sebastian Godoy (5<sup>th</sup>), Adrien Vigil (6<sup>th</sup>), Nathan Gobiecki (7<sup>th</sup>), Blake Murphy (8<sup>th</sup>) and Mrs. Kinkead who were caught doing a good deed this week.

## HOT LUNCH - NOVEMBER

The November Hot Lunch menu is in today's envelope. Please return your hot lunch orders by Tuesday, October 24. Grade 5 has a field trip so please check menu when ordering.

## BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

On Thursday, October 26 we are having a blessing of the Animals at 1:30pm on the lower field. Students may bring a picture of their pet or parents can bring pets to the lower field. More info to come.



## CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL INFO NIGHT

St. Columba Catholic School, 3365 Glencolum Dr, San Diego, will be hosting a Catholic High School Info Night on October 19 from 6-7:00pm. The 5 area Catholic High Schools (Cathedral, Cristo Rey, OLP, Mater Dei and Saints) will have an information table with representatives to answer questions.

## **HALLOWEEN COSTUMES – OCTOBER 31**

Students will be permitted to wear their Halloween costumes to school on Monday, October 31. Please no costume masks, blow-up costumes, no weapons, and all face make-up must be appropriate and not bloody or gruesome. Costumes must be comfortable for the students to wear during the school day.



## **DIA DE LOS MUERTOS**

Mrs. Mendez will be setting up the “Día de Los Muertos” altar in the auditorium again this year. It will be displayed during Halloween Carnival, October 27.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE – STUDENT PICK-UP**

If a student is going home with someone other than a parent or guardian, please call or email the office to let us know. Each day we compile a list to make pick up run more smoothly.

**REMINDER: Please call the school office to let us know if your child is absent.**

## **UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES**

- 10/16-19 Sunflower Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 10/18 8<sup>th</sup> Grade visits Cathedral Catholic HS
- 10/19 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter
- 10/20 **No School for Students** – Diocesan Professional Development Day for Teachers
- 10/23-26 Buzzy Bee Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 10/23-27 Red Ribbon Week
- 10/26 1:30pm, Blessing of the Animals
- 10/27 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Report Cards sent home  
Halloween Carnival 5:30-8:30pm
- 10/31 Halloween – Students may wear costumes to school. No masks, no blow-up costumes. Must be functional to learn
- 11/1 All Saints Day – Mass 8:30am  
Minimum Day – Prof. Learning Day
- 11/2 & 3 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 11/10 No School – Veterans Day Observed
- **11/18 Turkey Trot**
- **11/20-24 Thanksgiving Break**

**October Core Value: Hospitality**  
*I was a stranger and you welcomed me.*  
*Matt 25:37*

## **PARENTS IN PRAYER – ON SCHOOL MASS DAYS**

Come and pray a weekly Rosary with Parents in Prayer prior to the school Masses at 8:00am in St. Francis Chapel. All members of the Nazareth Community are welcome.



## **PANCAKE BREAKFAST – BOY SCOUTS TROOP 53**

Boy Scouts Troop 53 will be holding their annual Pancake Breakfast at the North Park Lions Club, 3927 Utah Street San Diego 92104, on Saturday, November 4 from 8-11am. 5 for a regular stack, \$8 for tall stack. Proceeds to benefit Troop 53.

## **VOLUNTEERS AT NAZARETH SCHOOL**

All volunteers must be CMG-cleared in order to volunteer on campus in any capacity. If you have not completed the curriculum, scan the code for information. If you have completed CMG in the past, check your CMG account to ensure you are up to date with your training. If your Safe Environment or Background Check has expired, contact Mrs. Maldonado at office@nazarethschool.org for information.



## **BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION – SCAN AND SUBMIT**

Help earn money for Nazareth School with the Box Tops for Education program. You can find Box Tops on hundreds of products. Upload the Box Tops app on your phone and select Nazareth School San Diego for your contributions. When registered begin scanning your grocery receipts and submit.



*Holy Family of Nazareth,  
watch over us and protect us.*

