



Nazareth School News

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WEEK AT A GLANCE – Oct. 26-Nov. 1

- SAT** 9:00am, JV Boys Football vs St. Rose @ Mater Dei HS – Practice Field 
- MON** 2:45-3:45pm, Handbell Choir Practice
2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes
3:00pm, HSPT Prep Class – 8th grade classroom
3:15-4:30pm, Drama – See schedule
- TUES** **Parent-Teacher Conferences, Gr. K-8**
7:30am, Staff Prayer
Minimum Day, 11:55am Dismissal
Extended Care available
- WED** **Parent-Teacher Conferences, Gr. K-8** See schedule
Minimum Day, 11:55am Dismissal
Extended Care available
- THU** **Happy Halloween** 
Students may wear costumes to school
8:05am, morning assembly
Academic Awards Assembly
6th grade selling Boo Lollipops at Lunch
- FRI** **All Saints Day**
8:15am, Mass at St. Francis Chapel
Food Drive Friday
4th Grade Saints, Living Museum - Auditorium
11:15am, Benediction – Mission Church
Minimum Day, 11:55am Dismissal

FAMILY ENVELOPES

We had 100% return of the family envelopes this week from grades 1, 2, 4, 6 & 8. We were missing 7 envelopes. Congratulations to grade 1 who had 100% return 4 weeks in a row! The class will receive treats from the office.

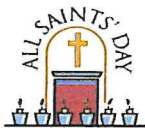
CATCH OF THE WEEK



Congratulations to Luna Johnson (Kg), Alexander Halim (1st), Joshua Neimeyer (2nd), Olivia Le (3rd), Colin Geary (4th), Lauren Whittle (5th) Taylor Spenla (6th), Jack Byrne (7th), Rafael Ruiz (8) and Mrs. Croff who were caught doing a good deed this week.

ALL SAINTS DAY

Nazareth School will be celebrating Mass for All Saints Day on Friday, November 1 at 8:15am, in St. Francis Chapel. Families are invited to attend. 4th Grade and Kindergarten will be dressed up to represent their favorite saints.



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.



NOVEMBER CALENDAR

Look for the November Calendar in today's envelope.



REPORT CARDS & STAR TESTING

K-8 Report Cards and STAR Testing results are being sent home today. Please sign and return the report card envelope. The STAR Testing results are your copies, you do not need to send back to school.

Halloween Carnival at Nazareth School:



Tonight! 5:30 – 8:30pm

Food, drinks, games, inflatables, haunted house, mechanical bull, sweet wheel, costume contest & more. See you there!

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES (Gr. K-8)

Parent-Teacher Conferences for grades K-8 are next week on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 29 and 30. All conferences will be held in the auditorium. Make sure you double check your scheduled day and time. We ask that you please be punctual. Thank you.

FOOD DRIVE FRIDAY – NOVEMBER 1

Friday, November 1 is Food Drive Friday. Bring in non-perishable food items to your classroom. We will gather all the donations on the Nazareth Courtyard for a representative from Mission San Diego to pick up. All food donations will be taken to the Holy Family Food Bank. Each student who brings in 2 canned food donations will receive a Spirit Dress Day on Tuesday, November 5.

HALLOWEEN COSTUMES – Thursday, October 31

Students may wear their Halloween costumes to school on Thursday, 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.



HOT LUNCH - NOVEMBER

The November Hot Lunch orders are due by Tuesday, October 29. Please note: 5th grade has a field trip on Monday, November 18 – which is not listed on the calendar.

SOCKTOBER – LAST DAY- OCTOBER 31

Nazareth School Student Council is collecting NEW white ADULT socks for the homeless during the month of October. There will be a box outside the school office for the sock donations through October 31.



HALLOWEEN CANDY

The Notre Dame Club will once again be collecting Halloween candy for the orphanages in Tijuana. Please share your Halloween treats and send candy to the office. Notre Dame Club will also be collecting donations of new toothbrushes.



**6th GRADE FUNDRAISER – \$1 – LOLLIPOPS
OCTOBER 31 – DURING LUNCH**

The 6th grade class will be selling Halloween Lollipops for \$1 on October 31 at Lunch to raise money for 6th grade camp.



UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 10/29 **K-8 Parent-Teacher Conferences – Minimum Day – Extended Care available**
- 10/30 **K-8 Parent-Teacher Conferences – Minimum Day – Extended Care available**
- 10/31 **Happy Halloween!**
Students may wear costumes to school. No masks, no blow-up costumes. Must be functional to learn
6th grade fundraiser – At Lunch - \$1.00 for Lollipops!
- 11/1 All Saints Day – Mass 8:15am
Food Drive Friday
11:15 Benediction – Mission Church
Minimum Day
- 11/4 Turkey Trot Fundraising begins – Links will be sent out to all school families via email
- 11/5 2-can Tuesday–Spirit Dress Day for 2 canned food donations
- 11/7 Turkey Trot Prize Assembly #1
- 11/11 No School – Veterans Day Observed
- 11/18 Toy Drive Begins
5th Grade Field Trip to USS Midway
- 11/20 Rubio’s Turkey Trot Fundraiser #2 All Day!
- 11/22 **Turkey Trot**
Mid-Point 2nd Quarter – Progress Reports
- 11/25-29 **Thanksgiving Break**



FIRST FRIDAY – EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

Mission San Diego will have Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament in the Mission Church from 7:30-11:15am on Friday, November 1. Nazareth School students will participate in the Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 11:15am. Benediction will last about 10 minutes with prayer and song. Students will return to their classroom for the 11:55am dismissal.



STEAM TEAM – AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

For all students in grades 6, 7 & 8. Please see the flyer in today’s family envelope regarding the Steam Team Afterschool Program in the Nazareth School Steam Lab. It will be on 4 Thursdays beginning November 7 form 3-4:15pm.

VOTE FOR NAZARETH NIGHT 2025 THEME

Please help us choose our theme for Nazareth Night 2025 by scanning the QR code and complete the survey by November 1st. Save the Date – Nazareth Night will be May 3, 2025, at the Handlery Hotel in Mission Valley. We look forward to seeing you all there. ~The Nazareth Night Committee



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.

*Always be joyful and never stop praying.
Whatever happens, keep thanking God...
1 Thes 5:16-18*



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

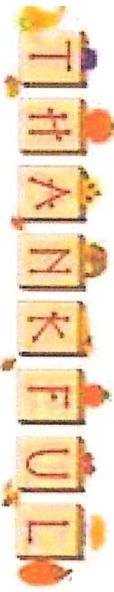









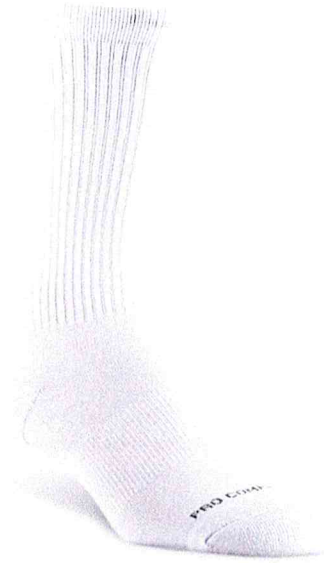
October Core Value: Hospitality
I was a stranger and you welcomed me.
Matt 25:37

Nazareth School

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November 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Core Values of the Month: Respect & Hospitality</p>						
<p>3 Daylight Saving Time Ends Vocalions Awareness Week November 3-9 St. Augustine HS Open House 11am-2pm Our Lady of Peace Open House 1-3pm</p>	<p>4 Turkey Trot Fundraising Begins-Links sent out to all school families via email Sister Eva -Missionary Childhood Association visit 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 3:00pm, HSPT Prep Class 8th Grade classroom 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes</p>	<p>5 7:30am, Staff Prayer 2-Can Tuesday (Spirit Dress Day for 2 canned food donations) 10:45am, Grades 1, 3 & 5 visit Nazareth House 3-4pm Faculty Meeting</p>	<p>6 MCA Fundraiser- Morning Recess - 4th Grade 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes 3:15-4:30pm, Drama – See Schedule</p>	<p>7 8:05am, Morning Assembly Turkey Trot Awards Assembly #1 Detention 3-3:30pm 6:00pm, PTG Board Meeting</p>	<p>1 All Saints Day 8:15am Mass Food Drive Friday 4th Grade Saints, Living Museum-Auditorium 11:15 am Benediction - Mission Church Minimum Day 11:55am, Dismissal</p>	<p>2 9:00am, JV: Flag Football vs. Mater Dei @ MDCHS</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>11 Veterans' Day No School </p>	<p>12 7:30am, Staff Prayer 3-4pm Faculty Meeting</p>	<p>13 10:30 am Preschool visits Nazareth House 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes 3:15-4:30pm, Drama – See Schedule</p>	<p>14 8:05am, Morning Assembly Turkey Trot Awards Assembly #2 10:45am, Grades K, 2 & 4 visit Nazareth House Detention 3-3:30pm</p>	<p>15 8:15am Mass 11:00am, 4th grade Choir singing at Nazareth House Chapel for 100th Anniversary Mass</p>	<p>16 </p>
<p>17 </p>	<p>18 Toy Drive Begins 5th Grade Field Trip to USS Midway 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 3:00pm, HSPT Prep Class - 8th Grade classroom 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes 3:15-4:30pm, Drama – See Schedule</p>	<p>19 7:30am, Staff Prayer 3-4pm Faculty Meeting</p>	<p>20 Turkey Trot Fundraiser at Rubio's All Day 8:05am, Morning Assembly Turkey Trot Awards Assembly #3 Pie Slice Day - \$1.00 for 6th Grade Camp – Apple or Pumpkin Preschool Harvest - Garden 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes 3:15-4:30pm, Drama – See Schedule</p>	<p>21 8:15am Mass 9:30am, Preschool visits Our Lady's Grotto Detention 3-3:30pm</p>	<p>22 Turkey Trot  Mid-Point 2nd Quarter Progress Reports sent home with students</p>	<p>23 </p>
<p>24 Christ the King </p>	<p>25 Thanksgiving Break – November 25 - 29 School resumes Monday, December 2 Happy Thanksgiving!</p>					
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Its Socktober!

October 1 -October 31

During the month of October, we will be collecting socks. Please bring white crew socks. At the end of the month, these will be donated to the Alpha Project



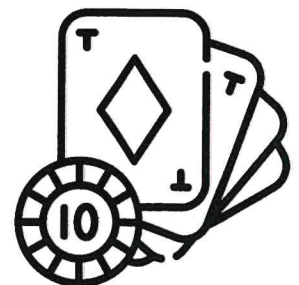
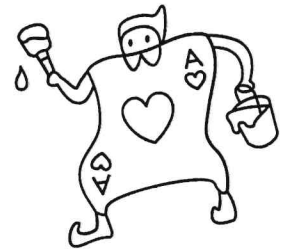
Where Miracles Happen!

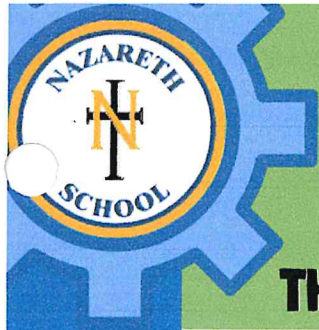




Help us vote for the Nazareth Night 2025 theme!

Scan the QR code below





STEAM TEAM AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

**-4 WEEKS OF EXPLORING, CREATING, & SHARING--
THE 1ST SESSION IS RESERVED FOR MIDDLE SCHOOLERS!**

THE NAZARETH STEAM LAB
SCIENCE ~ TECHNOLOGY ~ ENGINEERING ~ ART ~ MATH

- ⚙️ **WHO? STUDENTS IN GRADES 6, 7, 8**
- ⚙️ **WHAT? PROJECT-BASED LEARNING WITH SUPPLIES INCLUDING LEGO!**
- ⚙️ **WHEN? THURSDAYS (NOV 7 / NOV 14 / DEC 5 / DEC 12)
3:00 TO 4:15PM (PROMPT PICK-UP AT 4:15 / OR GO TO AFTERCARE AT 4:15)**
- ⚙️ **WHERE? THE NAZARETH STEAM LAB (ST. JOSEPH'S BUILDING)**
- ⚙️ **WHY? TO EXPERIMENT W/ SIMPLE MACHINES & SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES,
& TO EXPLORE THE STEPS OF THE ENGINEERING DESIGN PROCESS**
- ⚙️ **BONUS WHY? TO TRAIN AS A "STEAMBASSADOR"
STEAMBASSADORS MAY ASSIST W/ FUTURE STEAM LAB ACTIVITIES & EVENTS!**
- ⚙️ **HOW?
TO BE CONSIDERED, BY MON, NOV 4 STUDENTS MUST:**
 1. COMPLETE THE STUDENT APPLICATION.
 2. COMPLETE THE PARENT PERMISSION SLIP.
 3. PROVIDE RECOMMENDATION FORM TO TEACHER
 4. BRING STUDENT & PARENT FORMS TO THE OFFICE W/ \$120 PAYMENT
(CHECKS MADE TO NAZARETH SCHOOL)



--STUDENTS WILL BE INFORMED OF ACCEPTANCE BY WED, NOV 6--

**DUE TO SPACE & EQUIPMENT LIMITATIONS, ONLY A CERTAIN
NUMBER OF STUDENTS CAN BE ACCEPTED. WE WILL
GENERATE A WAIT LIST FOR THE NEXT SESSION.
THANK YOU FOR UNDERSTANDING!**



THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST! TO BE CONSIDERED:

STUDENT APPLICATION, PERMISSION SLIP, TEACHER REC & \$120 PAYMENT ARE DUE BY MON, NOV 4.

1.) PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WITH A YES OR NO:

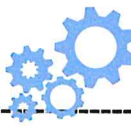
- WOULD YOUR TEACHERS SAY YOU LISTEN AND FOLLOW DIRECTIONS WELL? _____
- ARE YOU ABLE TO FOCUS WITHOUT GOOFING AROUND? _____
- WOULD YOUR PARENTS AND TEACHERS SAY YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE? _____

2.) RATE YOURSELF ON THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS, USING THE FOLLOWING SCALE: **ALWAYS 5 / MOSTLY 4 / SOMETIMES 3 / RARELY 2 / NEVER 1**

- I AM A POSITIVE TEAM PLAYER. 5 4 3 2 1
- I COMPLETE ASSIGNED WORK IN A TIMELY MANNER. 5 4 3 2 1
- I CAN BE COMPETITIVE YET SHOW GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP IF I LOSE A CHALLENGE. 5 4 3 2 1
- I CAN MAKE A COMMITMENT & STICK WITH IT. 5 4 3 2 1
- I VALUE & RESPECT THE TIME OF OTHER PEOPLE. 5 4 3 2 1
- MY PARENTS ARE SUPPORTIVE OF MY AFTERSCHOOL COMMITMENTS. 5 4 3 2 1
- I AM INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT NEW THINGS. 5 4 3 2 1
- I AM EASILY DISCOURAGED & GIVE UP WHEN AN ACTIVITY GETS HARD. 5 4 3 2 1
- I GET ALONG WELL WITH OTHER STUDENTS. 5 4 3 2 1
- I KNOW WHAT TO DO WHEN I HAVE A CONFLICT WITH MY PEERS. 5 4 3 2 1
- I GIVE MY BEST IN EVERYTHING I DO. 5 4 3 2 1

3.) WRITE A SHORT SELF-INTRODUCTION (5-6 SENTENCES). USE THE ABOVE POINTS AS A GUIDE. YOU MAY USE SPACE BELOW & THE BACK OF THIS SHEET. BE SURE TO DESCRIBE WHO YOU ARE & WHAT QUALITIES YOU WOULD BRING TO THE AFTERSCHOOL "STEAM TEAM!"

PARENT PERMISSION SLIP



STEAM TEAM AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM **4 WEEKS OF EXPLORING, CREATING, & SHARING!**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST! TO BE CONSIDERED:

STUDENT APPLICATION, PERMISSION SLIP & \$120 PAYMENT ARE DUE TO OFFICE BY MON, NOV 4.
TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM HANDED TO TEACHER BY YOUR STUDENT BY MON, NOV 4.

PARENT, PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE WITH YOUR SIGNATURE & CONTACT INFO :

1.) MY STUDENT HAS PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NAZARETH STEAM LAB AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM FROM 3:00-4:15 PM ON SCHEDULED THURSDAYS.

2.) I WILL MAKE SURE THAT MY STUDENT IS PICKED UP BY 4:15 PM, OR MY CHILD WILL GO TO AFTERCARE AT 4:15PM.

PRINT PARENT NAME _____

PARENT SIGNATURE _____

BEST PHONE NUMBER: _____

BEST EMAIL: _____

NOTE FROM MS. PETIX & THE STEAM LAB ORGANIZERS:

WE WILL CONTACT YOU BY WED, NOV 6 TO LET YOU KNOW IF YOUR STUDENT HAS A SPOT.

APPLICANTS WILL BE ADMITTED IN THE ORDER THAT COMPLETED & APPROVED APPLICATIONS ARE RECEIVED. THERE ARE ONLY SO MANY SPOTS DUE TO LIMITATIONS OF SPACE & EQUIPMENT. IF YOUR CHILD DOES NOT GET ACCEPTED THIS TIME AROUND, THERE WILL BE A WAIT LIST FOR THE NEXT SESSION. THANK YOU FOR UNDERSTANDING!

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION



STEAM AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

4 WEEKS OF EXPLORING, CREATING, & SHARING!

****STUDENT DIRECTIONS: FILL IN YOUR NAME, GRADE, & NAME OF TEACHER WHO WILL COMPLETE YOUR RECOMMENDATION. THEN, GIVE IT TO YOUR TEACHER!****

STUDENT NAME _____

GRADE _____ TEACHER NAME _____

****DEAR CLASSROOM TEACHER, THANK YOU FOR TAKING A MOMENT TO FILL OUT THIS FORM FOR THE REQUESTING STUDENT & TURN IN DIRECTLY TO THE OFFICE. THANKS! ****

I RECOMMEND THIS STUDENT FOR THE STEAM AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM.

(OPTIONAL) COMMENTS _____

I DO NOT RECOMMEND THIS STUDENT FOR THE PROGRAM BECAUSE: _____

TEACHER SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

**TURN IN DIRECTLY TO MS. PETIX'S LIME GREEN STEAM ENVELOPE IN THE OFFICE.
(PLEASE DO NOT GIVE BACK TO THE STUDENT!)**