

Nazareth School News

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WEEK AT A GLANCE – Sept. 30 – Oct.6

SAT 10:00am, Varsity Boys Football vs St. Pius X @ Mater Dei HS

MON 2:45-3:45pm, Handbell Choir Practice
3-4:00pm, Cheer Practice

TUES 7:30-7:50am, Faculty-Staff Prayer
10:45am, Grades 1, 3 & 5 visit Nazareth House
3:00pm, Drama – See Schedule
3-4:00pm, Boys Varsity Flag Football Practice
3-4:00pm, Excelsior Chess
3-4:00pm, Faculty Meeting

WED 1st Grade Field Trip to Oma’s Pumpkin Patch
8th Grade visits OLP & St. Augustine
3-4:00pm, Coding Enrichment Grades K-5

THU **School Picture Make-Up Day**
8:05am, Morning Assembly
3:00-3:30pm, Detention
3:00pm, Drama – See Schedule
3-4:00pm, Cheer Practice
6:00pm, PTG Board Meeting

FRI **Food Drive Friday**
8:00am, Parents in Prayer – St. Francis Chapel
8:30am, Mass at St. Francis Chapel
Minimum Day, 11:55am Dismissal
Fall Family Picnic
12:30pm, Instrumental Music



**Reminder: No School – Monday, October 9 –
Columbus Day Observed**

FAMILY ENVELOPES

We had 100% return of the family envelopes this week from grades K, 1, 4 & 5. We were missing 9 envelopes. Remember, every class with 100% 4 weeks in a row will receive a treat from the office.

CATCH OF THE WEEK



Congratulations to Finley Martinez (Kg), Joshua Neimeyer (1st), Caitlin Gingras (2nd), Kalkidan Fente (3rd), Carly Lozano (4th), James Lowry (5th), Brandon Pham (6th), Olivia Spenla (7th), Addison Allen (8th) and Mrs. Ochoa who were caught doing a good deed this week.

TURKEY TROT

Turkey Trot t-shirt orders are in today’s envelope. Each student will receive one free t-shirt to wear for the event. You may also order additional shirts. Please return the order forms by Friday, October 13.



TURKEY TROT – RUBIO’S FUNDRAISER #1

Save the Date for the Turkey Trot “Fun-raiser #1” at Rubio’s on Thursday, October 12 from 4:00-8:00pm!

OCTOBER CALENDAR

Please look for the October Calendar in today’s family envelope.

FOOD DRIVE FRIDAY – OCTOBER 6

Friday, October 6 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, October 10.

FAMILY PICNIC

PTG is hosting the Fall Family Picnic on Friday, October 6 beginning at Noon on the lower field. Bring your blankets, chairs, umbrellas and a picnic lunch or see the order form in today’s envelope to pre-order Hamburger lunches. Come and enjoy lunch with the Nazareth School Community. This is a minimum day with Extended Care available.



PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES (Gr. K-8)

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Thursday, November 2 and Friday, November 3 beginning at 12:45pm both days. Please check with your employer to see which day would be best to take off from work to attend this important conference. If you need a specific day, please notify Mrs. Horning in writing through a note or email: adminassist@nazarethschool.org by Tuesday, October 10. Please state early afternoon, late afternoon or after a certain time only. Specific time requests are not guaranteed. If a note is not sent in, a day and time will be scheduled for you.

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION

Nazareth School has purchased the Gradelink SMS/Text feature for emergency notification. This feature will be used for urgent updates, safety alerts and quick messaging. Please make sure Nazareth School has the correct cell phone information for both parents.

We sent a test text on September 27th. The text should have read “Nazareth School, A school with a Mission” Please note, **the new system does not have a reply feature**, please contact the office at 619-641-7987 or email at office@nazarethschool.org if you did not receive the test text.

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. Please see the flyer in today’s family envelope for more information.



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.



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.



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

- 10/2 Socktober Sock Drive Begins
- 10/4 1st Grade Field Trip to Pumpkin Patch
8th Grade visits OLP & St. Augustine HS
- 10/5 **Picture Make-up Day**
- 10/6 Food Drive Friday
Fall Family Picnic
- 10/9 No School - Columbus Day Observed
- 10/10 2-Can Tuesday–Spirit Dress Day for 2
canned food donations
- 10/12 Rubio’s Turkey Trot Fundraiser #1 4-8:00pm
- 10/18 8th Grade visits Cathedral Catholic HS
- 10/19 End of 1st Quarter
- 10/20 **No School for Students** – Diocesan
Professional Development Day for Teachers
- October 23-27 Red Ribbon Week
- 10/26 1:30pm, Blessing of the Animals
- 10/27 1st Quarter Report Cards sent home
Halloween Carnival 5:30-8:30pm
- 11/1 Minimum Day – Prof. Learning Day
- 11/2 & 3 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 11/10 No School – Veterans Day Observed

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

SAINTS FOOTBALL – CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NIGHT

Please see the flyer in today’s family envelope inviting Catholic Schools students and their families to attend with free admission the St. Augustine HS football game on Friday, October 6 at 7:00pm. Must wear a Nazareth School shirt or jersey.

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL MEETING

The next Halloween Carnival planning meeting will be on Wednesday, October 11, at 6:30pm in the Staff Lounge.



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.



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.



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.*

