



Southington Catholic School

A Message From Mrs. Sampiere

March 31, 2017

SOUTHINGTON CATHOLIC SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

Southington Catholic School is a Christ - centered, nurturing learning community that fosters Catholic faith- based values in our students while achieving academic excellence. Our students will become responsible and faith- filled leaders with creative minds, compassionate hearts, and the courage to act on their beliefs.

Please take note of all the events happening throughout the month of April.

Apr 2 Scholastic Book Fair begins
Apr 8 Spring break begins
Apr 9 Palm Sunday
Apr 13 Holy Thursday
Apr 14 Good Friday
Apr 15 Holy Saturday
Apr 16 Easter Sunday
Apr 17 School resume

Visitors: It has come to my attention that parents/visitors are coming into school without stopping in the school office. Whether it is before, during or after school, please stop by the office before going to any area of the school building.

On Tuesday, April 4th, we are hosting the families from Saint Joseph's School in Meriden for tours of Southington Catholic School. We will be serving pizza and warm hospitality starting at 6:45 PM in our cafeteria. Please let us know if you can be with us to share your endorsement of our school. Happy parents and students are the best ambassadors. Help us make these parents experience the supportive strength of our community. Please call the Advancement office at 628-2485 ext. 114.

Scholastic Book Fair—April 2—6 "Muffins with Moms" will be planned for Tuesday, April 4th from 7:30a.m.—9:00a.m. and "Donuts with Dad" for Wednesday, April 5 from 7:30a.m.—9:00a.m. On Thursday, April 6th, we will host "Grinders for Grands" and will invite grandparents and special persons to visit the Book Fair at lunch time, 11:15a.m.—12:15p.m.

What is Fifth Disease?

Fifth Disease is usually a mild illness that is spread by respiratory secretions. It is a viral illness caused by parvovirus (B-19) that mostly occurs in children and is known for a typical rash that resembles "slapped-cheeks." The rash may spread to other parts of the body as well. Other cold-like symptoms may be observed before the rash breakout including low-grade fever, mild headache, joint pain, or fatigue. Once the rash appears, the child is most likely no longer contagious.

Fact sheets from the State of Connecticut DPH and the CDC can be found in the links below which include information about cause, transmission, and course of the illness as well as adult exposure during pregnancy. Anyone who may be pregnant, immunocompromised or has a blood disorder should contact his or her physician for medical advice.

If you ever have any concerns about the exposure or health risk to you or your child, please contact your physician for advice.

CDC - <https://www.cdc.gov/parvovirusb19/fifth-disease.html>

CT DPH - <http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/view.asp?a=3136&q=388310>



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H.S.A. News

The next HSA meetings are scheduled for:

- Monday April 24th
- Monday May 15th
- Monday June 5th

Only two more Pasta Fagioli Fridays! As with most HSA events, volunteers are needed to make events successful. Please use SignUp.com to register to help over the next 6 weeks.

Please sign up for Pasta Fagioli Fridays!

Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

1. Click this link to go to our invitation page on SignUp.com: <http://signup.com/go/iJd8QL>
2. Enter your email address: (You will NOT need to register an account on SignUp.com)
3. Sign up! Choose your spots - SignUp.com will send you an automated confirmation and reminders. Easy!

Note: SignUp.com does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please contact me and I can sign you up manually.

Please be sure to send in your raffle ticket books once you finish them. All books are due back to school by Thursday April 6th and the drawing will be held on Friday April 7th at Pasta Fagioli.

Please contact Beata Raymond at [860-922-0681](tel:860-922-0681) if you can assist with selling tickets at:

- Fancy Bagels from 7:30am to 1pm on Sunday 4/2.
- Topps Supermarket from 9am to 1pm on Saturday 4/1.
- St. Thomas Church after the 4 pm mass on Saturday, and the 8:30 am and 10 am mass on Sunday April 2nd.

The Annual Southington Catholic Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday May 12th at Southington Country Club.

- Our next meeting will be Monday April 3rd. If you would like to attend please contact Stephanie Benoit at stephaniebenoit57@yahoo.com
- Brochures will be going home on Friday March 31st so be sure to check your child's backpack.

Our next Scrip order is going in Monday, April 3rd so send in your order or contact Barb Doherty to place it by then. This is the last order before April vacation and Easter. Think about purchasing some spring break and Easter gift cards; just another easy way to participate in our much-needed fundraising.

We have the following cards in stock: 10 \$15 iTunes cards, 5 \$25 Buffalo Wild Wings. Please contact Barbara Doherty at bdoherty1@cox.net (860) 621- 2832 (H) (860) 543- 0429 (C) Call or text

Please remember to send in your Box Tops for Education! This is an easy way for our school to earn money from products you already have at home!



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Bret Nichols high school counselor, author, motivational speaker and professional basketball player who played in Ireland, England and against the world famous Harlem Globetrotters as player/coach of the New York Nationals is offering the **You Gotta Believe** Basketball Camp with his coaches. The camp will provide:

- Development of basketball fundamentals and competitive games
- Daily contests, prizes, and give-a-ways for each camper
- Award ceremony on final day of camp
- Fully insured, safe environment

Camp is open to girls and boys entering grades 2 – 9.

Campers will be competitively split up into age, gender and ability groups to challenge their potential.

You will receive an email confirmation and your check will be cashed/card charged as soon as we have confirmed camp.

Camp #18 SOUTHINGTON JUNE 26 – 30 1 – 5pm

Camp will be held at Southington Catholic School.

Register online or mail in the below form.
All rates are per camper.

ONLINE

MAIL IN /WALK IN

\$115 before April 30	\$130 postmarked before April 30
\$130 before June 19	\$145 postmarked before June 19
\$145 after above said deadlines	\$160 after above said deadlines

Register Online at www.yougottabelieve.info. For more information email nicholsygb@gmail.com or call (203) 725-6186

Please Make Check Payable To: BRET B. NICHOLS and complete and return this portion of the registration form and send to: *You Gotta Believe*, Bret B. Nichols, 698 Upper Grassy Hill Road, Woodbury, CT 06798.

Name(s) _____ Camp #'s (see above) _____ Grade(s) in Fall _____

Name(s) _____ Camp #'s (see above) _____ Grade(s) in Fall _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

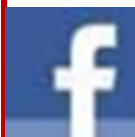
School _____ Town _____ Home # _____ Cell # _____ Emergency # _____

Parent Email for Registration Confirmation: (please write clearly) _____

Do you have medical insurance? _____ Doctor's Name _____ Dr.'s Phone _____

Please attach a note indicating any allergies, required medications, or medical conditions.

The above named campers are physically able to participate in the **You Gotta Believe Basketball Camp** and I will



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