

Newsletter

October 26, 2018

Dates to remember:

Oct. 26 Halloween Party

Nov. 1. Mass at 12:10 for the Feast of All Saints

Nov. 6 School is in session (no bussing) Open house for perspective families

Nov. 8 Veteran's Day celebration – 9:00a.m. in the gym

Open House- Spread the word that Southington Catholic will be hosting an Open House on Tuesday, November 6th. Public schools students do not have school on Election Day, so it is a great opportunity to visit SCS. Parents are our best ambassadors. Keep in mind that a successful referral of a new student (K-8) will benefit your family financially, too.

Shadow Day- Students grades 3-7 are encouraged to bring a prospective student to shadow on November 6th. These guests need to be registered in advance in order to spend a day attending classes and experiencing the special atmosphere of SCS. The necessary permission slips will be available next week.

Accreditation visit

The accreditation visit for Southington Catholic School took place this past week. A team of professionals were in our school visiting classes and speaking with many constituents of Southington Catholic School. May I offer my thanks to the faculty, staff, Pastors, school board members, and parents who spent time sharing their opinions regarding our school. The visiting committee will prepare a report reflecting on the self-study which was prepared for this visit. At some point, we will receive a final report from the Commission on Independent Schools. This may not come back to us for a few months.

Veterans' Day

Southington Catholic School will celebrate Veterans' Day on Nov. 8 at 9:00 a.m. in the gym. We would like to honor any Veteran who may be a relative or close friend of your family. Please let us know if you have someone whom you would like to be recognized.

Hurricane Relief

The 8th grade is still collecting water bottles for Hurricane Relief. (water bottles only)

Change in the Yearly Calendar

Southington Public Schools has made a change in the yearly calendar. January 15, 2019 will not be a half day of school. The half day of school has been changed to Jan. 22, 2019

H.S.A. Newsletter

Halloween Party/Dance

Get ready for some fun! Tonight's the night! Ghosts, goblins and many other fun trick-or-treaters will be out and about at Southington Catholic. If you have any questions regarding this event, you may contact the HSA at southingtoncatholichsa@gmail.com.

Yankee Candle

Yankee Candle orders are ready for pick up. You may pick up your orders after school on Friday during the Halloween Party/Dance in the Science Room. Thank you for participating in this fundraiser!

Gala

Please join Michelle Angiolette and Rachel Buck in planning this year's gala. Bring your ideas and suggestions on how to make this year's gala the best one yet! Feel free to contact our co-chairs at scsgalacommittee@gmail.com. You will receive commitment hours for attending meetings as well as donations made for the auction baskets (more detailed information will be provided in the coming weeks). Upcoming meetings are scheduled for the dates and times below.

- Wednesday, November 7th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the School Cafeteria
- Wednesday, November 28th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the School Cafeteria
- Wednesday, December 5th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the School Cafeteria
- Wednesday, December 19th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the School Cafeteria

HSA Meeting

Our next meeting is scheduled for November 8th at 6:30pm in the school Cafe. Attendance at HSA Meetings awards one hour toward your yearly Commitment Hour total. If you attended all or just several meetings, you'd be well on your way towards your commitment hour total of fifteen hours.

Dress Down Day

Thank you to all who participated in our H.S.A. sponsored Dress Down Day today. Our next Dress Down Day is scheduled for November 15th.

Scrip

Thank you to all who participated in this month's Scrip Order. Your gift cards will be sent home via your child's backpack today. Next month, we will be offering two dates to submit Scrip Orders. We will be placing orders both Monday, November 5th and Monday November 22th. Please keep in mind any retailers you might shop over the Thanksgiving break as you begin your Christmas shopping. These two dates are the last orders being placed before Thanksgiving. Feel free to contact Barb Doherty with any questions on Scrip at bdoohety1@cox.net.

Box Tops

Please continue to send in Box Tops. Box Tops from March 2018 to present are being sent in and we will get our check by December!

HSA Contact Information

southingtoncatholichsa@gmail.com - to reach us via email

Barb Doherty at bdoherty1@cox.net - to arrange in person contact at pick up/drop off