

SACRAMENTS SERVICE SAINTS SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP

Dear Parents, Faculty and Staff,

It is a unique privilege to serve students and families through Catholic education. Service within our school can be viewed in many ways. It is the service of our teachers to the school community, the service of our families in providing for their children, and it is the way our students learn to serve others. This spirit of service is alive at Saint Anne's Parish School, as students learn the importance of the service they give to others. This is a reflection of the foundation provided by their families; for a student to understand that the service they give can change the world. Students who are a part of Catholic education are more likely to demonstrate service through volunteering and community engagement and are also more likely to show their love of others, with an increased openness to differences and embracing of others.

Our school is blessed with families who make the sacrifice to send their children to Saint Anne's Parish School. This is not always an easy decision, the gift of sending a child is providing them with a foundation for life through faith, academic excellence, and service; qualities we see reflected in our school.

Thank you for your continued faith in the mission of Catholic education and for entrusting the most precious gift into our school, your children. Registration for the upcoming school year will begin this week, an email with detailed information will be shared shortly.

Pictured below and on the next page are some highlights from our Catholic Schools Week festivities, more will be shared in the coming weeks.











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Below please find a list of back to school reminders and notices, archived editions are available on our school website, please visit<u>www.stannesgcschool.org</u> for additional information.





Rock the Socks Fundraiser Got some change to spare? Support St. Anne's and fill a sock!

All students will be sent home with a Valentine's Day sock and they are asked to show their love for their school by filling the sock with change (paper change AKA cash bills, count too!). Please remember to secure the top with a rubber band and return the sock to your child's homeroom by February 16th .



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All participating students will receive a NUT card, and the class with the highest participation will earn a pizza party. Extra change in other socks or containers are also welcome (paper change AKA cash bills, count too!).



Thank you for your support!

Please remember, all stuffed sock donations support our students at St. Anne's School!

Last year's funds put in a new Hydration Station on the first floor, this year's funds will be dedicated to a Recess Revitalization!



The 2024 St. Patrick's Day Parade and Party Sunday, March 3rd!

Please join us as we march together to make St. Anne's School proud at the Mineola St. Patrick's Day Parade at 1:00pm on Sunday, March 3rd. The celebration continues back at St. Anne's at our reception in the McCloskey Auditorium from 2:00-5:00pm, with music, food and fun!

More details on marching in the parade coming soon!

Advance reservations only, please <u>click here</u> to purchase tickets on a first come, first serve basis.



Tomorrow's Hope Fun Run, Saturday, March 23rd

The mission of the <u>Tomorrow's Hope Foundation</u> is to ensure excellence, as well as the continuance of Catholic Schools on Long Island by increasing awareness and by providing scholarship and program funding for the needs of students and schools. The Run for Tomorrow's Hope has raised \$100K towards scholarships for Catholic elementary schools students in need!

<u>Click here</u> to register for the Fun Run.



At this time of the year, everyone seems to talk about the upcoming Super Bowl. We try to use the Super Bowl as a reminder to collect soup for the parish outreach centers we serve.

This year the Super Bowl is on February 11th. From this point on until February 11th when you come to Church, please think about bringing soup with you!



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Msgr. John C. Seidenschwang, Knights of Columbus #11836 Annual Free Throw Championship TODAY...Sunday, February 4th, 2024, 1—3 PM Saint Anne's School Gym

Open to all students age 9—14, as of December 31st 2023. Students must be accompanied by parent or guardian, and have a *copy of their Birth Certificate* for proof of age. Please wear sneakers and comfortable clothes.

Age 9
 Age 10
 Born Between 1/1/2014 — 12/31/2014
 Age 11
 Born Between 1/1/2013 — 12/31/2013
 Age 11
 Born Between 1/1/2012 — 12/31/2012
 Age 12
 Born Between 1/1/2011 — 12/31/2011
 Age 13
 Born Between 1/1/2010 — 12/31/2010
 Age 14
 Born Between 1/1/2009 — 12/31/2009





Sweets & Treats - The Snack Shoppe Returns on Fridays:

February: 2/9

March: 3/1, 3/8, 3/15, 3/22

Sweets and Treats are being sold during lunch on the Fridays listed above. Please send your child in with money if they would like to purchase some treats during lunchtime.

Menu items vary, items will be \$1-\$3 each.



HSA Fashion Show...Ladies Night Out! Thursday, February 15th!

The HSA Fashion Show is taking place on Thursday, February 15th from 7-11 pm at the Stewart Manor Country Club, come enjoy a night of fine dining, basket raffles, fashion and great company!

Please note that this is an *adults only* event...Ladies Night Out.

Please <u>click here</u> to purchase a ticket (\$75 per person) in the <u>HSA Store</u>.

Please <u>click here</u> to complete the google form for seating arrangements.

Please click here to view the flyer.



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4th Annual St. Anne's Fun Walk Wednesday, May 29, 2023

The HSA is the proud sponsor of our 4th Annual St. Anne's Fun Walk. This year we are offering a t-shirt art contest to students in grades 5-8. The winning design will be distributed to the student body to wear at the Fun Walk!

Any student in grades 5-8 interested in participating should submit an original drawing in black ink on white 8 1/2 x 11 paper, digital images are welcome. Drawings should reflect the true spirit of faith and family celebrated at St. Anne's while incorporating a walk theme.

All submissions should be handed in to Miss Crinnion or your homeroom teacher by February 29th! Please include your full name and class on the back of the paper.

More details about the fun walk coming soon!



Happy Birthday School Blast! Complete payment and details at: https://tinyurl.com/HSAstore

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Please remember that Saint Anne's is a PEANUT and TREE NUT SENSITIVE school. Please do not plan to send in peanut butter, Nutella, nuts, nut products, or other foods that contain nuts for lunch or for snack.





Please click here to view this weekend's parish bulletin.



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Brown Bag It Lunch (<u>Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday</u>) Lunch is offered by Brown Bag-It Gourmet Catering on Broadway in Lynbrook on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Please visit https://brownbagit.catering/ to view and order various food items for Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday lunch. Please remember the following very important notes when ordering from Brown Bag-It Gourmet:

- The cutoff time is *NOON on SUNDAY* for the upcoming week.
- Items can only be ordered on a weekly basis
- Please remember to check for confirmation receipt of your order!

Thank you for your patronage!



Important Dates to Remember:

Wednesday, February 14th
Thursday, February 15th
Friday, February 16th
February 19th-23rd
Monday, February 26th

Ash Wednesday, School Mass 10 am
Fashion Show
Early Dismissal, Winter Recess
School Closed for Winter Recess
Classes Resume

We ask that you kindly remember to plan accordingly.



Congratulations to the 8th grade girls CYO basketball team on winning the CYO Sportsmanship Award.

I would like to thank each of you for your effort, dedication, and most importantly the gift of your time.

Comments, questions, and suggestions are welcome, please feel free to contact me at: annzino@stannesgcschool.org.

Ann-Marie Zino, Assistant Principal