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Integrity Respect Independence Service Honor

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School News — February, 13, 2019

Quick Calendar:

February	14	RSVP for Gala
	15	There WILL BE Buses Today
	18	No School— Presidents' Day Middle School Youth Life Night
	19	Return Raffle Tickets/Stubs
	21	Bishop John celebrates Mass & visits GSCS
	22	K-8 Field Trip to The Grand
	23	Green and Gold Gala

Save the Date: Run for the Gold March 16

A printable 2019-2020 school year calendar is available
at <https://www.gssfrankfort.org/calendar-2-19-2020>

The GSS Soccer Club, open to grades 5-8, will be practicing on Mondays from 4-5:30 at the gym. Bring shin guards, cleats, and tennis shoes. Practice will be inside or outside depending on weather. For more information, contact Coach Jason Clark at 502-320-9733 or jclark0211@yahoo.com.

GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Green and Gold Gala

Live Auction will include:

- Trifecta Package at Churchill Downs including lunch and seats on Millionaire's Row and passes to the Derby Museum
- George T. Stag bourbon (750ml)
- Class Party with Taylor Belle's Ice Cream, dress down for the class, and extra recess
- Tailgate Party on the famous party Wildcat Wagon with game tickets
- Paint Party (for kids or adults) at White Cat Studio with sweet treats from B's Bakery
- Tour and Tasting at Four Roses with Master Distiller, Brent Elliott
- Shooting Lessons with Navy Seal, Steven Brown
- Guided Bourbon Tasting and Staxx BBQ dinner at your home
- Week Stay in a Vacation Resort in Pigeon Forge
- Private Tour of Angel's Envy distillery in downtown Louisville
- Week Stay in a Wyndham Resort anywhere in the U.S.

Check our gala page for preview photos of some of the silent auction items and the awesome game prizes that will be available.

<https://www.gssfrankfort.org/gala>

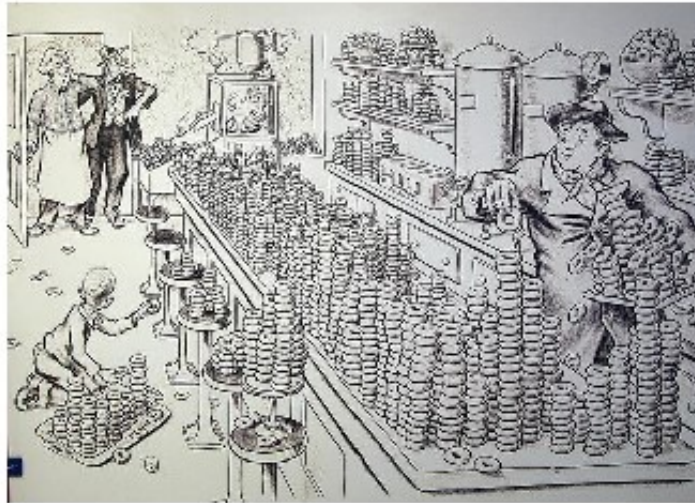
Online bidding for the silent auction will be open to the public and begin next Thursday—more details coming next week!

Split-the-Pot Cash Raffle jackpot is growing! Buy and Sell Tickets to support our school and to take your chance on winning one of TWO cash prizes!

Contact Miss Sims in the office for more details on the gala and to sign up to volunteer on February 23!

All students in grades 2-5 are invited to join....

The *Homer Price* Donut Club



All students who wish to participate will read *Homer Price* by Robert McCloskey - a story about an Ohio boy who gets caught up in some crazy situations! Books will be available to check out at the first meeting.

The club will meet **twice** - once to find the book and discuss project and once to celebrate Homer with presentations and donuts!

- First Meeting Wednesday, February 20: after school until 3:15 pm
- Donut Party Wednesday, March 6: After school until 3:15 pm

Please contact Ms. Cutchin (ccutchin@gssfrankfort.org) with any questions!

Spring Break camp opportunity for 3rd through 5th grade students at Josephine Sculpture Park in Frankfort, KY from April 1st through 5th. During this weeklong camp, students will learn about plant and animal adaptations and biodiversity, and learn how to create and take home a "family" of ceramic face mugs inspired by the diversity of life in our region. Learn More at :

<https://josephinesculpturepark.org/event/spring-break-camp-face-mugs-animals-bugs-grades-3-5/>



LEXINGTON CATHOLIC MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACK AND FIELD

- Open to students at any Diocese of Lexington Elementary/ Middle School in grades 5-8 and other independent private schools (Lexington School, Providence Montessori, etc.). Athletes from affiliated Diocesan Schools ONLY MAY be "pulled up" to participate with the High School team if qualified. Non-affiliated students may run ONLY middle school meets. 5-6th graders may run in KTCCA "Youth meets" as well as Middle School
- Pre-Season workouts begin February 18th, Parents Meeting February 22nd at LCHS, Practice Begins February 25th
- Fee is \$200- Includes uniform, track rental fee, and meet entry fees
- Events are: 100M, 200M, 400M, 800M, 1600M, 3200M, 100M Hurdles, 300M Hurdles, 4x100M Relay, 4x200M Relay, 4x400M Relay, 4x800M Relay, Shot Put, Discus, Long Jump, Triple Jump, High Jump
- Lex Cath High School Event Coaches will be the primary trainers for participants
- Middle School Head Coach is Jonathan Kovach, Retired Army Officer, father of 7th Grader at St John in Georgetown. Cell #: 859-489-5845
- To sign up, email Student Name, Grade, School, Birth Date, Parent Name, Parent Phone, and Parent Email to j.kovach@live.com. Any parents interested in assisting, please indicate that in your email as well.

Tentative Schedule:

3/23: LCA All-Comers	4/11: Scott County All-Comers
4/19: Lafayette Invitational	4/25: Shelby County All-Comers
5/2: Madison Central All-Comers	5/10: Bryan Station Invitational
5/20: Mercer County Last Chance	5/25: KTCCA MS State Championship



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Diabetes Self- Management Education Classes

*Join us to learn the latest information on managing diabetes,
including healthy eating, developing an active lifestyle, taking
medications and reducing health risks.*

Diabetes Self-Management Education Series

March 7th, 14th and 21st

5:00 – 7:30 p.m.

at

Good Shepherd Church

Parish Life Center

72 Shepherd Way, Frankfort

**Attendance at all sessions is highly encouraged*

Call 502-564-5559 or email

debbiey.bell@ky.gov to sign up!





STEM Day 2019

Learn. Build. Play.

PRESIDENTS' DAY - MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2019 >> TO REGISTER ONLINE, CLICK [HERE](#).

- ▶ No need to register for a class. Drop in for a half-day or full-day of fun...Newton's Attic style! This fun and flexible day will incorporate a variety of STEM activities and demonstrations with programs appropriate for ages 6 to 16. Multiple activity options make each experience unique.
- ▶ Activities include shop projects, cool science demonstrations, outdoor adventures, robotics, computer activities and science related video entertainment. The specific STEM Day activities will be determined by the number and age of the participants and the weather.
- ▶ Half-day and full-day pricing with flexible drop off and pickup times. Hours are from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM with an hour break from 12:30-1:30 PM for lunch (send sack lunch if staying all day.) Courtesy early drop off begins at 8:00 AM and pickup extends until 5:30 PM at no extra charge. Earlier and later times can be arranged for a small fee.
- ▶ Students will have supervised access to the break room before and after STEM activities and during lunch. The break room includes comfortable seating, wifi, a refrigerator, freezer, microwave, toaster oven and other games and books.
- ▶ Cost: \$95 full day or \$49.50 half day mornings or afternoons. Students will find something entertaining and educational to do no matter when they arrive or depart.
- ▶ **Register here!** Contact us at newtonsattic@gmail.com or 859-368-7334 for more info.



HAVE FUN WITH PHYSICS

SHOP PROJECTS

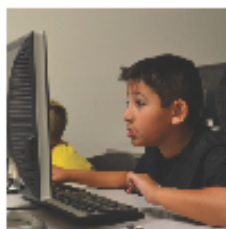
Make a crossbow, launch a rocket, fire a catapult or build our latest invention in this hands-on workshop activity. Learn basic tool use and shop safety while building an item from our tried and true project collection.

COMPUTER LABS

We love game based learning. Instructors can guide students through spaceflight simulation, city building in Minecraft and other computer based problem solving activities.

VIDEO ENTERTAINMENT

Explore the natural world, relive history and see how things work through these entertaining and educational screen presentations. Instructor led discussions will highlight important lessons contained in popular movies and television shows.



ROBOTICS

Play robot soccer, program your robot to complete a maze or build a device to help your robot win a challenge. Students will get a chance to work hands-on with our educational robot fleet.

DEMONSTRATIONS

How far can our Ballista launch a pumpkin? Can you outrun our G-force roller coaster? See our giant industrial robots in action! Throughout the day Newton's Attic will bring some of our large Demo-Active devices out to play.

OUTDOOR

Newton's Attic is a great place to spend some time outside if the weather cooperates. Our instructors will supervise students on an exploration of our 5-acre property. A hidden gem inside the city, our property has several interesting natural features including Elkhorn Creek which forms the perimeter on 3 sides.

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