

Home & School Newsletter

Week of: 2/3/2020

Please read below for some important information from St. Anne Home & School (PTO).

- We hope everyone enjoyed Catholic Schools Week last week! Thank you everyone for making it a special week for our school! We hope you are all proud to be St. Anne Cardinals!
- **Home & School Meeting - this Friday, 2/7** starting at **8:15am** in the **Hospitality Room!** Please note we will be passing out the Call for Nominations for next school year! The following positions are available to join the Home & School Executive Committee:

- President-elect

- Secretary

Click [here](#) for Nominations Form and to access details pertaining to roles and responsibilities. Please join us and we hope you will consider a position on the H&S Executive Committee!

- **This Friday 2/7 is Pizza Day/Change for Charity/Dress Down Day!** Thank you to all who have signed up. If you did not purchase pizza for your child, please pack a lunch. Please note this month's charity is The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, which is near and dear to SAS Alumnus Madison Wrzos. To learn more, please visit <https://events.ils.org/il/illinoisSOY20/aamanda>.

- **St. Anne Parish 7th Annual Trivia Night** is this weekend...**Saturday, 2/8 at 6:30pm!** This is an adults-only, very fun event! Many school families have participated in the past, so it is a great way to mingle outside of school! Click here for the registration form and full details: https://stannebarrington.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/Registration-Form.2020_Trivia_Night.AW_v1.pdf. Limited # of tables available, so don't delay...sign up today at the Parish Office!

- **Mark your calendars...Screenagers** has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, February 18 (during school for grades 6-8 and after school showing at 6pm)!**

As a reminder, St. Anne purchased the rights to show "Screenagers" an award-winning film that probes into the vulnerable corners of family life and depicts messy struggles over social media, video games and academics. The film offers solutions on how we can help our kids navigate the digital world. (runtime about 67-minutes). Click here to view the trailer:

<https://www.screenagersmovie.com>. The video will be shown during school on 2/18 to grades 6-8. A second "after school special" showing will also be made available that same afternoon for Middle School-aged kids as well as parents. Please mark your calendars and spread the word as we are opening this up to the Parish and Barrington community.

Here's what some others are saying about Screenagers:

"My husband and I have just been very concerned about this issue for some time, and as I'm a geneticist at UCSF Children's Hospital Oakland, I'm very interested in the science behind

it. The film is first rate- you've made a REMARKABLE piece: thoughtful, provocative and beautifully filmed and edited." -Beth T., Geneticist at UCSF Children's Hospital

"I got my daughter's feedback on the movie and I want to thank you and your team! She learned a lot and has requested restrictions on her phone usage. I'm really happy for you and the success of this project and grateful for its impact!!" -Amy S. School Administrator

Click here: <https://www.screenagersmovie.com/press-release> for a complete press release, background on the filmmaker, movie themes, statistics on screen usage, and additional testimonials.

- **SAVE THE DATE: 2/21 SAS Daddy/Daughter Dance!** Dads (or special adult), we invite you and your daughter(s) to an evening of dancing, dining and fun! Join us for the annual Daddy/Daughter Dance on Friday, Feb. 21 from 6:30pm - 8:30pm in the Parish Gym. Submit your [registration forms](#) to the school office by February 13th!

Questions regarding this event...please email Payal Patel: patelppayal@gmail.com.

- **SAVE THE DATE: 2/22 SAS Mother/Son Bowling Event!** Moms (or special adult), we invite you and your son(s) to an afternoon of fun, food and some friendly competition! Join us for our MOTHER SON BOWLING EVENT on Saturday, Feb. 22nd from 12:45pm - 3pm at Pinstripes South Barrington. Submit your [registrn forms](#) to the school office by February 10th!

Questions regarding this event...please email Neryza Hirsch: neryzahirsch@gmail.com or Shannon DeBruyne: shannon.debruyne@gmail.com.

- **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT: Pasta Bingo date has changed to Friday, March 13!** Please note this is one month earlier than originally planned to accommodate a NEW Adults only fundraiser in the works for Friday, April 24! Pasta Bingo will take place on 3/13 and is a family event (all children must be accompanied by an adult) of pasta dinner, bingo, prizes and each class donates a basket for the silent auction. More details will come through the room parents regarding the class baskets. More details will be coming on the NEW Adults only fundraiser, but for now...SAVE THE DATE: 4/24!

- THANK YOU so much to the Federighi family for providing a wonderful lunch for the teachers last Wednesday for Teacher Appreciation Day! A big thank you also to Eryka Accordino, Dina Chacon, Jen Conrad, Kate LeBoeuf, and Becky Reilly for serving the special Culvers lunch to all the students on Thursday from Home & School.

There are many volunteer opportunities still to come in 2020. Please consider volunteering for the following events coming up: Daddy/daughter dance (2/21); Mother/son event (2/22). Click here for signup genius:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F4AABAD2EA1F58-home>. Or you can contact Payal Patel (Daddy/daughter Dance) at patelppayal@gmail.com or Neryza Hirsch (Mother/son event) at neryzahirsch@gmail.com.

Questions/comments: please feel free to contact your Home & School co-Presidents:
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