



November 2, 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Many thanks to all who made the Halloween season fun for all: Parent Club and all of our volunteers for the classroom parties, the dance, trick-or-treat trail, and Trunk or Treat.

Ms. Lee is unable to complete this school year. Her last day is tomorrow. The search for a permanent replacement is in progress. I thank Ms. Lee for sharing her time, treasure and talents with our school.

Last week's Scholastic Book Fair was a success. Many thanks to Mary Schnitzer and Laurie Oddo for organizing, and for our volunteers who helped set up, helped at the event and cleaned up. Profits from the book fair are used to purchase books and items for the library and school. **An Out of Uniform Day for making the goal is Friday, November 17.**

Please remember that our first bell rings at 7:45 am and all students are to be in the building by 7:55 a.m. The number of late students is increasing. The teachers and I appreciate efforts made to get students here on time. It makes for a better start to the day for all.

Our 8th graders did a wonderful job leading the All Saints Day Mass and sharing information on their Confirmation name saints to the students.

Tomorrow, November 3, is our November **Cougar Spirit** day. Students may show their QR pride by wearing **any QR logo shirt or QR sweatshirt with uniform pants/skirt/jumper or QR sweatpants/QR pajama pants**. If you don't have spirit wear, gym shirts can be worn.

Don't forget that our **5th grade Girl Scout Troop 45929** is collecting wrapped, extra candy to donate to Packages for Patriots. The collection wraps up tomorrow, Friday.

Students are not in session on Friday, November 10. This is a professional development day for teachers.

Our monthly food drive for Elk Grove Food Pantry takes place on Wed., November 8. Students are asked to bring in a non-perishable food item.

The November Fun Lunch is on Friday, November 17. The menu this month is hot dog, hamburger, or cheeseburger, chips, and a cookie! **See the [flyer](#) for ordering. School Code: Rosary**

- Students who ordered milk for the year will receive their milk. All other students will need to provide their own drinks.
- <https://Buona.h1.hotlunchonline.net>
- Orders must be placed and paid for on or before midnight November 10th.

- After placing/paying for your order, you will receive an email confirmation from Buona. If you don't, please go back in and check to make sure the order went through.
- If interested in ordering for future fun lunch you can do so at any time.
- No FSP Hot Lunch on our school's monthly Fun Lunch Day.
- *If you choose not to order, your child/ren will bring lunch as usual.*
- *Please do not bring or send in lunch from another restaurant.*

St. Viator High School Newsletter:

<https://saintviator.myschoolapp.com/podium/push/default.aspx?s=1147&i=621952&u=5460757>

Every Sacred Family: A 52 Week Catholic Mass Discussion Guide- [November 5](#). This is an excellent tool to use to prepare for the weekend Mass. It would be wonderful if each family could find time each week to look at the handout.

11-7 Mass is led by Grade 7

11-14 Mass is led by Grade 3

11-21 Mass is led by Grade 2

11-28 Mass is led by Grade 4

12-08 Mass is led by Grade 1 (Feast of Immaculate Conception- Friday)

12-12 Mass is led by Grade 7

12-19 Mass is led by Grade 8

Athletic Program

Please remember that all coaches must be Virtus trained and in compliance. Coaches are also required to have concussion training that is current.

Athletes must have a current physical on file. (He/she may not practice or play until the current physical is on file.)

Restaurant Benefit Nights

Happy Elephant Restaurant's Pumpkin Pie Drive is taking place between 10-1 and 11-17. Order a pie and the school will receive 20% of the sale. Thanks, Johnson family! (847-923-9200) See flyer for details.

Our next restaurant benefit takes place on Thursday, November 9 at the **Itasca Buona Beef**.

School Board

It is Grand Raffle time, and we need your help.

Please don't forget to return your four Grand Raffle stubs for the tickets that are included in your tuition so we can enter them into the drawing. Grand Raffle is one of the three main fundraisers of the year. We hope each family is able to sell the ten additional tickets that were included in the envelope with the four tickets.

- If you need more tickets to sell, please call the office.
- We are looking for volunteers to sell tickets after mass. Selling will take place over three weekends- the last weekend in November and the first two weekends in December. Selling will be at both churches- SJE and QR. (You do not need to be Virtus compliant to see tickets.)

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040D4FADA629A6FA7-44755973-sell>

- The winner will be announced December 10.
- Winners do NOT need to be present to win.
- For more information please see the website: https://qrschool.org/support_q_r
- **Each ticket is \$25 or buy 4 tickets for \$100, Get 1 Ticket FREE (Preferred Value)**
 - **Grand Prize - \$10,000**
 - **Second Prize - \$3,000**
 - **Three Third Prizes - \$500**

Parent Club

All flyers, forms, and links can be found on the Parent Club page on the school website:

Mother Son Event: Join QR mothers and sons at the Windy City Bulls game on Saturday, December 9 at **5pm (time correction)**. Come see our school name in lights on the board and all the boys will have access to stand near the Bulls tunnel and high-five players and coaches as they run onto the court prior to the game. Tickets are \$20 per person. <https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Queenrosary>

Parents Club Meeting: Join us for a Flannel Festival and Pie Bar on November 8 @ 7pm in Room K. Enter through the front doors. Wear your coziest flannel. Pie and all the fixings will be provided. This is BYOB. Please RSVP at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094DAAAC22A5F9C70-november>

Chicago Wolves Catholic School Night: Join QR and other Chicagoland area Catholic Schools for Catholic Schools Night Saturday January 27 @ 7pm. Wear your cougar pride, see our school name displayed on the LED screen and enjoy the evening with other school families and parishioners. We will all be seated together in the same section. Purchase game tickets through the link that follows. There is also an option to purchase a meal ticket as well, this is not mandatory, see the flyer on how to purchase the meal ticket. Every attendee will get a free Chicago Wolves hat. Lastly, it is superhero night, how fitting since we are a Super school! <https://fevogm.com/event/queenrosarywolves/offer>

To purchase your meal ticket please contact: Stefanie Evans, Phone: (847) 832-1936, Email: skevans@chicagowolves.com

Parish Happenings

Youth Group is having a pancake breakfast on Sunday, November 5 from 9:00-11:30. The event, a fundraiser to support the summer mission trip, takes place at St. Julian Eymard Church from 9:00-11:30. Free will offering... stop by for breakfast!

The Women's Club has Turkey Bunko coming up on November 3 at 6:30 p.m.

After all Masses this weekend, the Parent Club is hosting a bake sale at both churches. Pick up a few sweet treats while supporting the Women's Club.

OLBS Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday

5:00 p.m. St. Julian Campus

Sunday

8:00 a.m. Queen of the Rosary Campus

9:15 a.m. St. Julian Campus

10:30 a.m. Queen of the Rosary Campus

Looking Ahead

11/03 Cougar Spirit

Trimester 1 Ends

11/05 Youth Group Pancake Breakfast at SJE Campus

11/08 Food Drive

- 7:00 PM Parent Club Meeting

11/09 Report Cards Home

DARE Graduation-8:30am

Buona Restaurant Benefit

11/10 **No School- OCS Teacher Professional Development Day**

11/13 Vision and Hearing Exams

11/17 Fun Lunch

Out of Uniform Day

No Bus Home

11/20 **No Bus To/From School**

11/21 **No Bus To/From School**

1:30 Dismissal

No Extended Care

11/22 Thanksgiving Break

11/27 School Resumes

12/01 Cougar Spirit Day

12/03 1st Sunday of Advent

12/05 No School Mass

12/06 7:00 PM Parent Club Meeting

Lou Malnati's Restaurant Benefit

12/08 8:15 Mass

12/09 Mother Son Event

12/10 Pictures with Santa

Grand Raffle Drawing

12/13 Food Drive

12/14 Santa Shoppe

12/15 Santa Shoppe

PDF of Newsletter

QR School Website: www.qrschool.org

Link to Volunteer Requirements/ Service Hours: https://qrschool.org/QR_Parents/volunteer_requirements

Link to handbook: https://qrschool.org/QR_Parents/school_handbook