



MISSION

Queen of All Saints School is a culturally diverse Catholic community dedicated to developing the whole child with compassion and integrity. Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Oakland educate children in the Catholic faith and nurture their minds, bodies, and soul, inspiring them to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ, achieve their highest academic and creative potential, and actively serve and enrich the community.

SAINTS' Scoop Newsletter ***May 17, 2017***

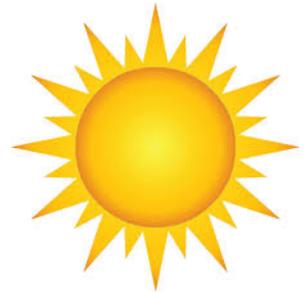
Dear Queen of All Saints Families,

As the weather is warming up, and the students are shedding their sweatshirts, our lost & found rack is overflowing with cold weather gear. If your student is missing a sweater, sweatshirt or jacket, please take a moment to check the rack, which we have moved to the red porch.

This Friday, May 19 is QAS Movie Night. This PACE sponsored event is a student and family favorite, and we hope you will join us. Please see the PACE News below for additional information.

The QAS Talent Show is next Friday, May 26th at 1:00pm. Mark your calendars and join us for this showcase of our singing, dancing, and instrument playing, talented students!

Blessings,
Lucia Prince



HOME – SCHOOL CONNECTION

Special message from Mr. DeSmet

Calling All Craftsmen!

As one knows maintaining a home is an ongoing process. Imagine what maintaining a school facility looks like!

This summer we have many projects to complete in order to keep the school looking good and to have it ready for the next year. I am asking for volunteers, and I am especially interested in those of you that are tooled up and ready to go. Some of the projects involve basic carpentry, plumbing, and painting.

I'm not asking anyone to make this a part time job, but simply as a way to satisfy your annual service hour commitment.

I can be reached through the school office, or via email at wdesmet@csdo.org
Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Humbly in his service, Bill DeSmet

Uniform News

For the upcoming school year, we have added khaki pants and shorts to the QAS uniform. Similar to the green uniform shirt, for quality and color, these items **MUST** be purchased from Classic Design Uniform.

Classic Design offers QAS 10% back on **pre-ordered** gift cards. If you purchase Classic Design gift cards, you will earn one service hour (for the 2017/18 year) for every \$200. **If you are interested in purchasing gift cards, please place your order (in the office) by May 26th.**

Classic Design will be selling uniforms at QAS on Wednesday, July 19 from 9:00am - 12:00pm.

2016/17 Yearbook

If you are interested in purchasing a QAS 2016/17 yearbook, it is available now at the link below. Orders placed now will not be shipped to the school but directly to your address, and you will pay for shipping.

<https://qasyearbook2017.picaboo.com/>

PACE News

PACE Family Movie Night & BBQ - Friday, May 19th

(Flyer: <http://bit.ly/QASEndYrBBQ2017>)

Join PACE for our end of the year event...Hamburgers, hotdogs, s'mores, and a movie under the stars on the QAS Lawn from **6PM - 9PM**. This event is **FREE** and open only to QAS Families. RSVP to ensure we purchase enough food for the event: <http://bit.ly/PACEBBQ2017>

8th Grade Pancake Breakfast - Wednesday, May 31st

Classes will bid farewell to our 8th grade students by bringing them tokens of appreciation and having breakfast with them.

Volunteer to help (hours will be applied to your service hour obligation for the 2017/2018 school year):

<http://bit.ly/QAS8thBkfst2017>

Questions?

Contact PACE at gasconcordpace@gmail.com or visit <http://qasconcord.org/pace>

Playground Expansion Project

Dine Out with QAS - Thursday, May 25th from **4PM - 9PM** at **Panda Express** on Concord Ave. & Meridian Pkwy. Panda Express will donate 20% of your food purchase towards the QAS Playground Expansion Project. Don't Forget to Bring Your Flyer or show it on your mobile device. Flyer available here: <https://www.pandaexpress.com/en/fundraiser/flyer/231839>

**Please note that funds raised during this event will go towards the Playground Project and is not counted towards the annual family fundraising requirement.*

Advisory School Board (ASB)

Our next meeting is this *Thursday, May 18th at 6pm* in the Faculty Room.

Our board of committees is looking for parents who may want to help on special projects for the upcoming 2017-2018 school year. Please contact Erleen Richards at erleen.richards@gmail.com if you are interested in learning more.

LESSONS FOR THE SUNDAY GOSPELS – (sermons4kids.com)

Showing Our Love for Jesus

In today's Gospel lesson, Jesus gives his disciples the answer to that question. Jesus said, "Those who accept my commandments and obey them are the ones who love me. And because they love me, my Father will love them. And I will love them."

It isn't enough just to say we love Jesus. Instead, we have to show God our love by **DOING** the right things – just like you show your love to your pets and your parents and your friends.

So, what are some things we can do to show our love for Jesus? The Bible is a good place to find the answer. I have listed a few ways that I found, perhaps you can think of some more:

1. Love one another (John 13:34-35)
2. Worship him (Luke 4:8)
3. Tell others about Jesus (Acts 1:8)
4. Talk to him daily in prayer (Matthew 26:41)
5. Read his Word (Psalm 119:11)
6. Forgive others as you forgive us (Matthew 6:15)



Heavenly Father, we are quick to tell you that we love you — but we know that we need to show our love too. Help us to show our love for you — just as you show your love for us. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

WEEKLY CALENDAR/UPCOMING EVENTS

School and ECP monthly calendars are available on the school website at <http://www.qasconcord.org/calendar-1>

Thursday, May 18	3:00pm dismissal School Board Meeting @ 6:00pm
Friday, May 19	3:00pm dismissal 8 th Grade graduation trip PACE Family Movie Night 6:00pm – 9:00pm
Monday, May 22	3:00pm dismissal
Tuesday, May 23	3:00pm dismissal
Wednesday, May 24	2:20pm dismissal 8 th Grade Retreat @ San Damiano
Thursday, May 25	3:00pm dismissal
Friday, May 26	3:00pm dismissal Talent Show at 1:00pm

Queen of All Saints School Student Learning Expectations – SAINTS

S – Skillful Learners
A – Active Responsible Citizens
I – Independent Lifelong Learners
N – Nurturing Environment
T – Thoughtful, Faith Filled People of God
S – Stewards of the Earth

May/June

Independent Lifelong Learners who have age-appropriate mastery of concepts and skills in all academic areas

- Do my best in all of my classes
- Complete homework, classwork, and activities
- Turn in all my work
- Earn Honor Roll certificate
- Keep my eyes on my own paper and do my own work
- Teach others concepts that I've learned and help them with their work
- Pass all of my classes

Thoughtful Faith Filled People of God who practice Christian Values in everyday life

- Getting into the habit of praying to the Lord and confessing our love
- Going to church and Reconciliation and fully our sins truthfully
- Professing our Faith
- Committing ourselves to God with our minds and bodies
- Respecting and caring for others and also helping the needy
- Doing something nice for others or making someone happy
- Participate in daily prayer
- Fully participate in Mass by singing and praying
- Setting good examples and being a good buddy
- Contemplate your actions and take responsibility for the your actions
- Playing with someone who is sad or alone
- Helping someone who is hurt
- Caring for what God has given us