



# Panther Post

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## From the Principal:

### Upcoming Events:

August 13- 175<sup>th</sup> Mass w/ Archbishop Thompson, cook-out to follow

August 15- Holy Day, All School Mass 9 AM (Assumption of Mary)

August 16- Early Release, dismissal at 1:45

August 16- Open House (6:30-8:00)

August 21, 22,24- School Pictures

August 24- Sports Physicals 3:00 @St. Lawrence

September 4- Labor Day, no school

It has been a wonderful first full week of school. The halls are buzzing with energy, and our students have worked really hard. Our junior high students had their first week of “Advanced” classes. These are classes that meet every Tuesday and Thursday. Students in the Junior High are able to take Advanced Art, Advanced Music, Choir, Journalism, and Odyssey of the Mind. They meet at the beginning of the year and rank their choices of classes. We then work really hard to place each student in one of their top choices.

Our biggest change of the school has been the addition of a preschool. We have 10 different students that have signed up for pre-school and currently have between 5 and 7 students attending on any given day. They are doing an outstanding job of learning the ins and outs of St. Lawrence. The letter they have been working on is the letter “B”. The students spend time in centers, learning on their Math board, and learn about Jesus. It is always fun to peak into their room and see the enthusiasm that they have for learning!

I wanted to let you know of a few events coming up. Next week our students will have their weekly Mass on Tuesday instead of Wednesday. That day is a holy day of obligation as we will be celebrating the Assumption of Mary. Mass begins at 9:00 AM, we will also hold a collection that day. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Today we also sent home forms for our school pictures. Our picture days will take place on August 21 (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>), 22(K-2<sup>nd</sup>), and 24 (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>). Students are permitted to come out of uniform on their designated picture day, but must follow the guidelines as described in our student handbook. Finally our school will be hosting sports physicals on August 24. Any student that is participating in a sport at St. Lawrence must have a physical on file with the school. If your child is not able to attend the event at school, you will need to get an athletic physical from another location.

Next week we have some more needs for volunteers. We are in need of a lunch worker on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday of next week. Please let Mrs. Thornton know via email; [athornton@sls-apps.org](mailto:athornton@sls-apps.org) if you are able to assist. As you are planning on how many tickets to buy for lunch, please keep in mind that lunches are \$2.50 and \$0.50 for milk.

Last but not least, we have a busy Wednesday planned next week. Our first early dismissal will take place on August 16. Dismissal will be at 1:45 that day, and Latch-key will be available. In addition that evening we will host our Open House. Please take the opportunity to come and meet your child’s teachers. The event will be from 6:30-8:00. More information on the event is located in your Friday Folder.

-Michael Odar

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Server Schedule

AUGUST 12- CHASE PADGETT, AVERY COX, GAVIN ZIMMERER

AUGUST 13 (8:30)- VINCENT BAMONTE, JULIET VAN WASSENHOVE, SETH MERKEL

AUGUST 13 (11:00)- BRENNAN FREKING, MIA GOLDEN, MAKAYLA BAUER, ANTHONY MAPES, ERIC AND ADAM DUWEL

**Bingo Schedule: 8/6/17**

**Operators: Tammy Oestreicher, Lynn Williams**

**Callers- Tim Studer**

Jim or Shirley Hall

Rocio Whitelock

Hillary Foutty

Mike Odar

Tweets from the Pope:



**Pope Francis Verified**

account@Pontifex

Jesus does not leave us alone because we are precious to him.

8/10/17 7:30 AM

We need lunch and recess volunteers for the following days:

1. Tuesday, August 15- Lunch
2. Thursday, August 17- Lunch
3. Friday, August 18- Lunch
4. Monday, August 21- Recess
5. Thursday, August 24- Lunch and Recess
- 6.. Tuesday, August 29- Lunch
- 7.. Thursday, August 31- two Lunch

**VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE: 8-7 THROUGH 8-11**

**LUNCH- M: K. JOHNSON, J. HUDEPOHL; T: M. LONGO, NEED ONE; W: J. HAFNER, A. HEINSMAN; TH: N. ATKINS, NEED ONE; F: R. DUNN, NEED ONE**

**RECESS- M: RAMSTETTER; T: J. LONG; W: H. O'NEILL, TH: C. WITTE; F: K. LAINHART**

