

OCTOBER 2009

It's hard to believe that we have been back to school for over a month. There are many wonderful and exciting events planned for October at ASCS.

WrappingPaper

Thank you to everyone who has sent in wrapping paper orders. We are still waiting for a few more orders. A very special thank you to Concetta Maffei and Sharon Vuoso for all of their hard work in organizing this important fundraiser.

Progress Reports

All students in grades 4-8 will receive a progress report on October 8th. Included in the report will be your child's average in each academic area.

Character Education Month

October has been designated Character Education month at ASCS. Religion lessons will discuss the importance of character and doing what is right. We will be having an author, Lauren Tarshis, visit our school on October 26th to talk about her book which deals with the social issues of growing up. We also will have an essay and poster contest on this theme.

"Meet The Musicians"

ASCS will be hosting a tribute to Chopin's 200th anniversary on October 19th. Parents are welcome to attend.

School Mass

All parents are welcome to join us for our next School Mass on October 27th at 10:00am.

Oyster Festival Thank You

A very big thank you to Mr. and Mrs. Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Canevari for all of the work they did for our booth in the Kid's Cove at the Oyster Festival. A fun time was had by all!

Technology Reminder

- Whatsthehomework.com is up and running. This does not take the place of writing down homework but serves as a reminder. If a student is absent, he or she can check the site.
- Please sign up for our e-mail alerts on our website. We will send reminders and also alert parents in the event of an early dismissal when winter comes.
- Many of our forms are online for your convenience.
- Also teachers have e-mails, however, please do not e-mail teachers with directives about change of plans for students. Many teachers do not check e-mails until the end of the day.



Pumpkin Festival

We are looking forward to a wonderful, fun filled day on Sunday, October 11th. Bring the family to purchase a pumpkin, sample the baked goods or play a game at ASCS. The day begins at 10:00am. Any questions please call Mrs. McCormick or Nicole Cirafalco.

In House Basketball Volunteer

Unfortunately, our athletic director's position has been eliminated due to budget cuts. If anyone is interested in volunteering for this position please call the office. We understand this is a great commitment however we would like this program to continue since it benefits so many students.

Parking Lot Safety

We ask all parents to follow the parking lot rules for the safety of our children. Please drop off and pick up your children in the back of the building. Please **drive slowly** in the parking lot. We have received many complaints of people driving too fast in the parking lot.

Daycare Position Available

Work in a warm, loving environment where children are respected and encouraged to develop at their own pace. Credits in Early Childhood education or experience in the field is recommended. Please contact Nancy Bardos for further details.

Wine Tasting

On Saturday evening October 24th come and join ASCS parents from 6:30-8:30pm for a fun night out. The Home School Association is sponsoring a wine tasting in the cafeteria. This is the perfect opportunity to get to know other ASCS parents. We are hoping for a fantastic turnout!

Halloween Dance

Our Halloween Dance will take place on October 30th. Details will follow. If you would like to help please call Lisa LaRusso or Heather Pantan

Thank You

- Thank you for helping us get students to school on time. Having children ready for class, ready to begin the day is a great help to the student as well as the teacher.
- To the LaSala family for donating a carton of paper to the school.
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Super Stop & Shop A+ Program

Log on to www.stopandshop.com/aplus and register your Stop & Shop card to earn bonus points for All Saints School.

Congratulations to

Olivia Maffei, Christina Garvey and Alex Marcarelli for winning first place in the Lauralton Hall Science Olympics

October Intramurals

Grade 1 Oct. 6th and 27th
Grade 2 Oct. 20th
Grade 3 Oct. 8th and 22nd
Grade 4 Oct. 1st, 15th and 29th

Important Dates

11- Pumpkin Festival
12- No School Columbus Day
13- No School Professional Day
19th- Meet the Musicians Assembly
21, 22, 23rd School Photos
24th- Wine Tasting
26th- Author Visits ASCS gr 4-8
27th- School Mass 10am
30th- Halloween Dance

DO TO OTHERS WHATEVER YOU WOULD
HAVE THEM DO TO YOU. THIS IS THE LAW
AND THE PROPHETS. - MATTHEW 7:12