



April 25, 2018

Dear Parents and Guardians,

This past Monday, while your children enjoyed the lovely weather, our teachers spent the day in professional development. Our Pk-2<sup>nd</sup> grade teachers' workshops included: "Creating an Early Childhood Learning Environment" and "A Curriculum Review and the Next Gen. Learning Standards". Many of our Grades 3-6<sup>th</sup> teachers went to McQuaid to take part in the MAGIC at RIT event where a variety of sessions were offered. The workshop included: how to design curriculum, and what is game design, as well as hands on activities to incorporate "play" in learning. Our AIS teachers participated in a workshop on "Touch Math" and Mr. Clemenson joined the other Diocesan PE teachers for a workshop focusing on "*Sports Medicine for the Soul*". This is a faith based needs program and that emphasizes character development.

### **Congratulations!**

**Jack Krutell** represented us in the Annual Diocesan Spelling Bee at St. Mary's School in Canandaigua! He worked hard to prepare and did an amazing job during the event. If you see him, tell him how proud you are! Also, congratulations go out to **Mila Kopacz** and **Lenora Kelly**! They were chosen as the winners of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas' Poetry contest. Their poems are proudly displayed upstairs outside their classroom. They will be recognized at an up-coming ceremony in Brockport. Way to go girls!

### **Service Projects:**

The third grade Shelter Squad would like to thank everyone for their support. They collected a nice assortment of items for local animal shelters and sold used books! Ava Mowry and her gang raised \$159.10 for Wild Wings and Lollypop Farm! Their leftover books were donated to Owen's House and Crisis Nursery.

Our 1<sup>st</sup> graders are looking to raise money for the Wilmont Cancer Center. Please see the enclosed flyer for details.

Please remember, that your family is not obligated to assist in every service project. We believe that our children gain so much from the planning and execution of their projects; fostering the sense that the world is bigger than our own little pond.

### **Thank for JA**

Thank to Eliza Moore and all the parents who gave their time to treat us to a day of JA! Junior Achievement is a wonderful program that fosters work-readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy skills, and uses experiential learning to inspire students to dream big and reach their potential. Without our dedicated volunteers we would not have had the opportunity to experience this program.

### **Golf Tournament:**

We also have one more very fun event for parents! Our golf tournament is a wonderful time to connect with other parents and to celebrate how much we love Seton. Also, do forget to register to be picked to try to win \$10,000.00! The Hole-In-One contest is a new and fun addition to the day's events. Even if you don't golf, you can come and join us for dinner! I can guarantee that you will have a fun time! Please see the attached flyer for details. Consider being a sponsor or come and volunteer! Please visit the website to register and/or sign up to be a sponsor ([tiny.cc/SetonGolf](http://tiny.cc/SetonGolf)).

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## Employment Opportunities:

We are currently looking to fill two positions here at school; one now and the other for next school year.

Please see below:

School Custodian: Custodial experience preferred. Must be physically fit; must be able to lift 50 lbs. Must have some knowledge of plumbing, electrical, and able to use a computer for basic record keeping and ordering of supplies. 30 hours per week from 6:45am to 1:15pm Monday- Friday. Resume required. Background check will be done upon hiring. Send resume to Mrs. Selig, Seton Catholic School, 165 Rhinecliffe Dr., Rochester, NY 14618, or email [patricia.selig@dor.org](mailto:patricia.selig@dor.org).

2018-19 Lunch & Milk Coordinator: Responsible for ordering and coordinating food, and milk distribution. This position is up to 15 hours per week position working up to 3 hours daily.

## Registration

Registration is open to interested families. We continue to give tours and the classroom space, while still available, is beginning to fill in with new families! I urge our existing families to please register soon if you have not yet done so. Textbook ordering begins in the next coming weeks.

## NYS Math grades 3-6

We are looking forward to taking the Math Exams next week! We are ready!!! Thank you in advance for sending your children to school well rested, well fed and well prepared for the exams! I'm proud of everyone's efforts and most proud of how hard the teachers, parents and children work *every day of the school year!* It is the work we do daily that ensures our success in life.

You are all wonderful!

## EVENTS

### Changes to the Calendar:

\*St Joseph the Worker Day Prayer Service has been canceled

\*May Crowning: May 18<sup>th</sup> has been moved to 8:30 to accommodate parents playing in the golf tournament.

\* 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Performance Test date changed to May 30<sup>th</sup>

### Dates to remember:

Apr. 26:	Preschool International Dinner 5:30
May 10 <sup>th</sup>	Ascension Thursday Mass ( <b>KC &amp; 6B</b> ) at 8:30 at OLOL church
May 11 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Mother's Tea
May 17 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Concert (grades 4-6) 1:00 & 7:00 in gym
May 18 <sup>th</sup>	May Crowning Prayer Service (Grade 6) 8:30 Seton Golf Tournament!
May 25 <sup>th</sup>	No School Faculty Retreat
May 28 <sup>th</sup>	No School Memorial Day
May 30 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Performance Test (New date)

Sincerely,



Mrs. Patty Selig

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