

SAINT PIUS TENTH SCHOOL NEWS

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WELCOME BACK!
By Deanna Halquist

In June, 2019, I completed my first year of teaching at St. Pius Tenth School. It was a wonderful year! I absolutely loved teaching the 3-year-old and 4-year-old preschool students. They were hard-working, caring, creative, and funny children who brought sunshine to my day every day! I must admit that I have never worked harder at any job that I've held in the past (and that's quite a few!) than I have as a preschool teacher. At the same time, I have never felt more satisfaction from any other job. Nothing can compare to the feeling of knowing that I'm having a positive impact, no matter how small, on our kids' development, both academic and social-emotional. I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know the students and their families over the last year, and I feel blessed to be part of such a wonderful school community.

Part of what I hope to instill in our youngest students is a life-long love of learning. To that end, I spent a lot of time over the summer engaging in on-line professional development as well as reading several professional teaching publications. I believe that I will always have room for improvement in my teaching practices, and I

will continue to take advantage of opportunities to learn all I can to become the best teacher that I can be. Our students deserve nothing less.

On a fun note, I did take some time to refresh and rejuvenate before the new school year started. My husband and I took a trip to Walt Disney World to celebrate our anniversary. We had a blast! We rode some new rides, ate some fantastic meals (at restaurants we could never have gone to when our kids were young!), and best of all, watched the most awesome fireworks displays in the world! And now that the new Star Wars area is open, I'm sure we'll be planning another trip to check it out soon!



For the 2019-2020 school year, I will be teaching our Pre-K 4-year-old class. I am looking forward to an exciting year, filled with great stories, interesting activities, lots of learning, fun, and laughter!



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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Our office has been informed that some students and staff have environmental allergies that make them extremely sensitive to different scents in the air.

We are asking that students refrain from wearing fragrances, perfumes, lotions, or sprays. This will help ensure the safety of our staff and students.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Linda Yanklowski R.N.
School Nurse



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Sunday, October 6, 2019 at 11:15 a.m.

Bishop Salvatore R. Matano

Principal Celebrant and Homilist

Presentation of Vita Awards

Sacred Heart Cathedral

296 Flower City Park, Rochester NY 14615

After School Club Registration

3rd Grade - 5th Grade

A variety of after school clubs are being offered by the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) for the 2019-2020 school year. Below are the clubs available to your child. If interested in participating, please have your child rank the clubs below from 1 to 4 with 1 being his/her first choice. Please only rank the clubs that your child is interested in participating. We will make every effort to place students in their top choices. All clubs occur from 3:30-4:30 and students report to the club directly from their classrooms. You will receive an email from the club's organizer to confirm their enrollment in the club.

Ranking	Club
	Book Club: Students will read books, engage in discussion and create crafts based on the stories <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 6th, December 4th, January 8th, February 5th, March 4th, April 1st, May 6th
	Robotics Club: Students will engage in a variety of activities using Legos <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 5th, December 3rd, January 7th, February 4th, March 3rd, March 31st, May 5th
	Art Club: Students will engage in a variety of art activities <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 12th, December 10th, January 14th, February 11th, March 10th, April 14th, May 12th
	Service Club: Students will participate in a variety of service projects and learn about local organizations <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 1st, December 6th, January 10th, February 7th, March 6th, April 17th, May 1st, June 12th
	Run Club: Students will engage in a variety of physical activities to train for a race at the conclusion of the club <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: April 24th, May 1st, May 8th, May 15th, May 29th5K Race Date: Friday, June 5th

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____

Are you interested in volunteering to help with the clubs?* Yes No

*CASE training is required to volunteer. If you are unsure of the status of your CASE training, please contact the main office.

Please return this form to your child's teacher by **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4th**.

After School Club Registration

Kindergarten - 2nd Grade

A variety of after school clubs are being offered by the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) for the 2019-2020 school year. Below are the clubs available to your child. If interested in participating, please have your child rank the clubs below from 1 to 4 with 1 being his/her first choice. Please only rank the clubs that your child is interested in participating. We will make every effort to place students in their top choices. All clubs occur from 3:30-4:30 and students report to the club directly from their classrooms. You will receive an email from the club's organizer to confirm their enrollment in the club.

Ranking	Club
	Book Club: Students will read books, engage in discussion and create crafts based on the stories <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 6th, December 4th, January 8th, February 5th, March 4th, April 1st, May 6th
	Lego Club: Students will engage in a variety of activities using Legos <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 19th, December 17th, January 21st, February 25th, March 17th, April 21st, May 19th
	Art Club: Students will engage in a variety of art activities <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: November 12th, December 10th, January 14th, February 11th, March 10th, April 14th, May 12th
	Run Club: Students will engage in a variety of physical activities to train for a race at the conclusion of the club <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates: April 23rd, April 30th, May 7th, May 14th, May 21st, May 28th5K Race Date: Friday, June 5th

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____

Are you interested in volunteering to help with the clubs?* Yes No

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After School Club Registration

4 Year Old Pre-K Fun Club

An after school 4 Year Old Pre-K Fun Club is being offered by the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) for the 2019-2020 school year. This sampler club consists of a variety of age appropriate activities including games, crafts, sports and more. This club will occur from 3:30-4:30 and students report to the club directly from their classroom. The club will take place monthly on these dates:

- November 20th
- December 18th
- January 22nd
- February 26th
- March 18th
- April 22nd
- May 20th

If your child is interested in participating, please complete the information below and return it to your child's teacher. You will receive an email from the club's organizer to confirm your child's enrollment in the club.

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____

Are you interested in volunteering to help with the club?* Yes No

*CASE training is required to volunteer. If you are unsure of the status of your CASE training, please contact the main office.

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