



St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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We are shaped by our thoughts; we become what we think. When the mind is pure, joy follows like a shadow that never leaves.
Buddha

December 11, 2014

Dear Parents and Guardians:

This season is filled with so much joy. The thought of God's love being so wonderfully deep that he gave us his only son is completely joyous in itself. We have only a couple of weeks left before we take leave a school for a few days to celebrate the joyful birth of Christ and the joy of family and friends as well.

Here are a few reminders for you in this busy season:

1. The Christmas concert is Monday, December 22nd. Doors will open at 6:30p.m. A letter was sent home around Thanksgiving in reference to what each class should wear for the concert.
2. We are making a donation to Toys for Tots in lieu of grab bags in each class. Please send in your new unwrapped gift as soon as possible.
3. We ask for donations towards a gift to our pastor, Father Ken. Father Ken's support of our school is so unwavering that we would like to recognize that at this time of year.
4. December 23, 2014 is an out of uniform day but it is a **Dress Up** day. Students should not come to school in jeans, t-shirts or sweat shirts but rather dressed up to attend our school Mass. Our HSA will also be providing students with breakfast that day as we begin to celebrate Christmas.
5. On December 23rd we will have a 12 noon dismissal and there will be **NO** after care.

May the preparation of Advent fill each of you with an inner peace as we wait for the coming of our Lord.

In His Peace,

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Please be advised that Ms. Alexandra Burke will be out of school between now and February 3, 2015 due to a serious medical condition. We are all saddened by her absence and I ask that you keep her in your prayers for a speedy and complete recovery.

In the interim, we are delighted that Mrs. Alison Laffey has agreed to substitute for her using plans developed by Ms. Burke. Participation grades will be updated weekly, so that students know their status in this class. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Elena Malinconico

Principal