

October 24, 2013

Dear Parents,

Please be sure to read my letter concerning the Advanc-Ed Parent Survey. It is very important that the diocese gets your feedback about your children's school.

As I stated in my last letter, we will begin the Honeywell Alert System on November 1<sup>st</sup> and will be conducting a trial run on October 31<sup>st</sup>. Please be sure you have signed up for this system of emergency notification. If you have any questions please call Mrs. Carlson at the school office.

The children are looking forward to celebrating Halloween and I want to remind you that they may dress down that day and then will change into their costumes after lunch.

When signing in for lunch duty or any event to fulfill your work bond, please be sure to sign your name and if your child's last name is different, add his/her name, also, so that we may give you proper credit.

Just a reminder that the high school placement test for 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be held on Saturday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Our Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 - 4:00PM and 5:00 - 7:00PM and on Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 - 4:00PM. The faculty and I have decided that there will be no set appointments this year but parents may come during these times on a "first come- first served" basis. Teachers of grades Pre-K through 4 will meet parents in their classrooms while teachers of grades 5-8 will be at stations in the gym. Special subject teachers will be available in the cafeteria for conferences.

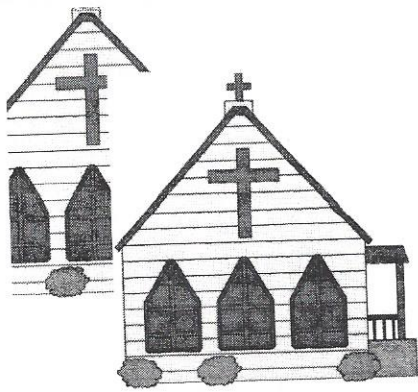
Finally a **BIG thank you** and congratulations to the HSA for their fabulously successful fundraiser last Friday, *Coach Bingo*. Thank you to all the parents who helped to make this such a fun evening with so many great prizes. **Special thanks to Gina Rispoli and her committee, Amy Biebel, Gina Deans and Amy Williams!** Your hard work and effort are much appreciated.

God bless you and your families.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Patricia Graham

Principal



## SAINT STANISLAUS KOSTKA SCHOOL

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*Excellence in Education in a Catholic Environment*

Dear Parents,

The Diocese of Metuchen and all of its schools are engaged in an ongoing continuous improvement process, of which all stakeholders, including parents, are an integral part. The diocese is using the **AdvancED Parent Survey** as a means to elicit your opinions to help target areas for the school system to improve and areas to continue to be effective. The five sections on the survey represent the five *AdvancED Standards for Quality School Systems* and provide a means for learning about parent expectations of a high-quality school system.

Your opinion is important to us, and we ask that you take the time to complete this survey. The online survey will be available from October 25, 2013 through 4:30 pm on November 4, 2013. In order to complete the survey, please click on this link: or copy and paste the link into your browser. <http://www.advanc-ed.org/survey/public/1363629>.

Please be assured that your responses to this survey will be anonymous and your honest opinions are appreciated.

If you have any questions about this survey, please contact me at [pgraham@skschool.org](mailto:pgraham@skschool.org) or call the office.. Thank you in advance for supporting Diocese of Metuchen improvement efforts.

Your cooperation and support in completing the parent survey will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Ms. Graham

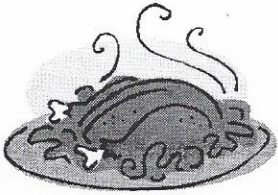
# *Christmas Bazaar Meeting*

Dear St. Stan's Parents:

It's that time of year again.....and we are busy preparing for one of St. Stan's most successful and biggest fundraiser of the year. We will be holding our annual Christmas Bazaar meeting on Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in the church basement. We welcome any parent with ideas to come and attend our meeting. All class parents and alternates are required to attend as this is a mandatory meeting. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

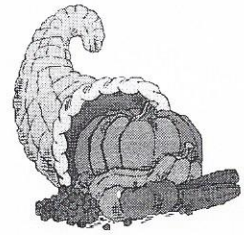
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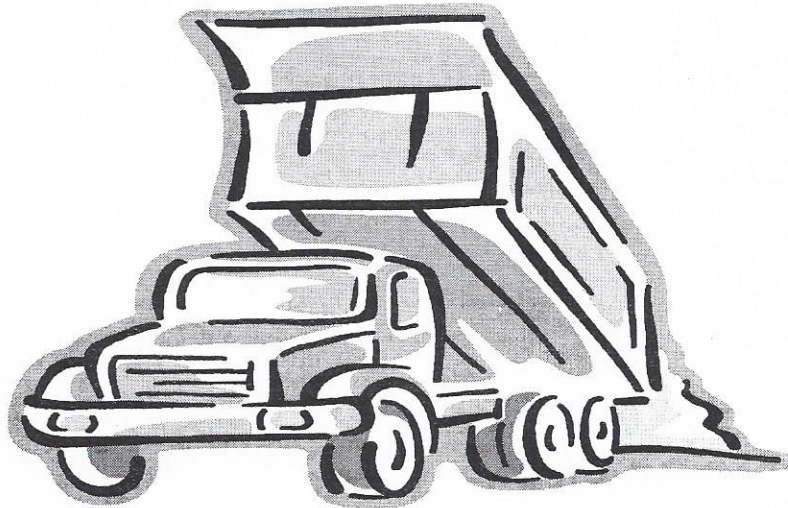


# CUB SCOUT PACK 97 - SAYREVILLE HEAVY METAL DAY / SCRAP RECYCLING



To Support SAYREVILLE CUB SCOUT PACK 97

## Sunday November 3



Knights of Columbus, Washington Rd.

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Beacon Metal (South Amboy & Freehold) has donated a container to fill with any scrap metal you can find! So load up your trucks for a good cause! Invite your friends, relatives and neighbors to drop off their unwanted junk on behalf of a scout you know or just to support the Pack.**

**Accepting: copper, power cords, extension cords, aluminum, aluminum siding, beverage cans, lead, radiators, electric motors, car batteries, car tire rims, iron, steel, cast iron, washers, dryers, and anything else with metal in it - even if it's 1/2 plastic.**

THANK YOU!

# St. Stan's PEP RALLY

STUDENTS & FAMILIES WELCOME!  
SHOW YOUR SPIRIT!! WEAR SCHOOL COLORS!!

Saturday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>  
2:00 – 4:00 pm




Tournament  
games to  
follow

RAFFLE  
Win IPAD mini  
Or  
Gift Card Tree

SNACKS

50/50 DRAWING

Two tickets for a 50/50 drawing, each featuring a star symbol.