

St. Stanislaus Kostka School

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

Mrs. Elena Malinconico Principal

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"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." — Henry David Thoreau

June 1, 2017

Dear St. Stan's Families:

It is always with a touch of sadness that we send our eighth graders out into the world to follow their dreams; it will be no different tomorrow as we bid farewell to the class of 2017. These young men and women have reached the bar set for them by our school. They live their lives each day as people of faith and love. They will be greatly missed. Our Baccalaureate Mass will be tomorrow at 9am and graduation will be at 7pm in the church.

During our final week of school here are some dates to mark your calendar with:

June 6, 2017 End of Year Tricky Tray at 6pm. The kitchen will be open with a \$1.00 menu.

June 7, 2017 Preschool will graduate at 9am and Kindergarten will graduate at 7pm

June 8, 2017 Report cards will be sent home with all students and it will be the last day for non returning students. If you were planning on re-registering please do so before Thursday.

June 9, 2017 Our awards ceremony will be at 7:50am. There will be a 9am Mass followed by our moving up day ceremony and 12 noon dismissal and there is NO aftercare.

Next Friday we will send home supply lists as well as summer work packets for returning students.

Sincerely,

Elena Malinconico, Principal

End-of-Year Tricky Tray



The following parents have been assigned to work this event. Please report as follows:

Tuesday, June 6th Set-Up 2-5PM School Gym: Xin Wu

Gregory Nowak

7th grade helpers- Sydney Santiago, Abby Williams, Joey Iaccarino, Paige Brathwaite, Stephanie Helmy

Tuesday, June 6th Event 5-8PM School Gym:

Patty Kerekes (kitchen)

Deniece Brathwaite (kitchen)

Chris La Tourette (kitchen)

Rita Basily (gym)

Karina Dzieniszewski (gym)

Kevin Harth (gym)

Pam Lubeski (gym)

Julissa Salgado (gym)

Allan Balagot (gym)

Deborah Brown (gym)

Our Carnival theme: Family, Pride, Tradition



Pep Rally & Training Session
MANDATORY for all workers!
Wednesday, June 14th
at 7pm

in the school cafeteria



SAINT STAN'S 2017 CARNIVAL FACT SHEET

LOCATION: On the Church Grounds at 225 MacArthur Avenue, Sayreville, New Jersey

DATES: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 from 6 pm to 10 pm

Thursday, June 22, 2017 from 6 pm to 10 pm

Friday, June 23, 2017 from 5 pm to 11 pm – SCHOOL ALUMNI NIGHT

Saturday, June 24, 2017 from 5 pm to 11 pm

FOOD: Great selection of *HOMEMADE* American and Polish-Ethnic foods

Seafood area featuring Steamed & Raw Clams and Peel-And-Eat Shrimp

Awesome nightly specials at *Spezzi's Main Street Café* B&T's Barbeque Ribs serving several thousand pounds

Ice Cream, Funnel Cakes, Zeppole and more

Traditional Friday night Fish Fry

Beer Garden featuring Domestic & Imported Beer along with Wine

RIDES: At Least 14 for Kiddies through Adults to enjoy

Pre-Sale *DISCOUNTED* ride tickets available for purchase prior to the carnival

Call the Parish Office at 732-254-0212 for details

GAMES: Fabulous prizes for all ages

Las Vegas MONEY WHEEL & PULL TABS for adults

Nightly 50/50s each night & Our Giant-Supper 50/50 to be drawn on Saturday Night

St. Stan's School 8th Grade Special Fundraiser Raffle

ENTERTAINMENT:

Wednesday: Thunder 106 - Jersey's Best Country - Radio Station

Magic 98 - Today's Hits & Yesterday's Favorites - Radio Station

Thursday: Bob Cherney (DJ Chernball)

Friday: School of Rock East Brunswick - Live Music

All in One - Live Music

Saturday: Thunder 106 - Jersey's Best Country - Radio Station

The FOG - Live Music

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May 25, 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Typically at this point in the school year the Catholic elementary schools in the Diocese of Metuchen would be receiving the results from April 2017 TerraNova testing of students in grades 1 through 8.

We have been informed by Data Recognition Corporation (DRC), the company responsible for TerraNova scoring, that there will be a substantial delay in the preparation and delivery of TerraNova score reports.

The reason given by DRC for this delay is the transition from one scoring platform to another as part of DRC's June 2015 acquisition of CTB, the publisher of TerraNova assessments. Unfortunately, the timing of this transition coincided with our testing window.

Schools were scheduled to receive TerraNova score reports during the first week of May. We were initially told to expect a delay of about two weeks. DRC informed us on May 17th that TerraNova scores will not be available until the week of June 12th and Home Reports will not be delivered to schools until shortly after that date. We are currently in conversation with DRC in an attempt to expedite the processing and the delivery of TerraNova results. It is our hope that TerraNova Home Reports will be delivered to your child's school and sent home before the last day of school. If not, principals have been advised to distribute the Home Reports to parents as soon as possible after they are delivered to the school.

We apologize for the concern and inconvenience caused by this delay. In our many years of working with CTB for our standardized testing program we never encountered a problem with the timely delivery of score reports. DRC assures us that the current delay is a one-time occurrence caused by the updating of their scoring process and platform. It is our expectation that moving forward the processing and delivery of TerraNova score reports will be improved due to this platform upgrade.

Sincerely,

Ellen F. Ayoub,

Superintendent of Schools

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