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Principal's Thoughts

We had a very successful new student testing day this past weekend. So many new families came with mixed emotions. We could feel their nervousness and see the anticipation on their faces of beginning this next phase of their child's formal education. The families with older children were a bit more confident and clearly came looking for a faith based education that also offered strong academic instruction. Now the hard part comes and decisions will be made as to which children will be most successful in our learning environment. Pray for us as this is no easy task and one that is taken to heart! We will look forward to welcoming these new families at our May meeting.

*For I know well the plans I have in mind of you, says the Lord,
plans for your welfare; not for woe!
Plans to give you a future full of hope.
When you call me, when you go to pray to me,
I will listen to you.
Jer 29:11-12*

*I am with you always!
Mt. 28:20*



• Fees Added

- The first installment of the registration fee for the 2024-2025 school year has been posted to your FACTS account. You should have received an email from FACTS notifying you.
- If you are a 3rd grade parent, the camp fees have also been charged.
- Gentle reminder: Please regularly check your service agreement account for charges.



TIME SENSITIVE

• Runners, Get Set!

- CYO track registration is currently open and will be until 3/1/24. If you would like to register your child, please do so at: www.Stagnescyo.com

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- **Dine Out With Us TODAY!**

- Our Dine Out is happening now at Nation's Giant Hamburgers on Clayton Rd.
- A two-sided flyer explaining your dining options, is posted on our website!

- **G4!**

- Bingo will take place this Friday, February 9th from 6-9:30PM in the church hall.
- A flyer with details and a QR code to purchase tickets can be found on our website.

- **Join Us**

- PACE will be hosting a casual get together to share about the work they do and to answer questions about open Board positions for next year.
- Please consider joining this energetic, fun group on Tuesday, February 13th at 5:15 in Cauchi Hall.
- A flyer has been included in your envelope today.



- **Congratulations Essay Contest Winners!**

- Izzy Matteri: In December she won the 3rd place award by Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) 91st Division (SF area) and then was awarded 2nd place by VFW District 10 (Dept of CA.) Way to go Izzy!
- Knights of Columbus Congratulate:
 - 1st Place: Jeremiah Sana
 - 2nd Place: Alyssa Jee
 - 3rd Place: Izabella Matteri

- **Thank you for making our Book Fair a huge success!**

- You placed approximately 1400 books into the hands of your children while creating memories that will last a lifetime.
- You are AWESOME!

- **Budding Scientists!**

- Thank you to Mrs. Audas for leading our junior high scientists through the scientific method in order to share their findings with those that attended the Science Fair!


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- Kudos to the 6th and 7th grade students for a job well done and their parents for keeping them on track!
- Much excitement was in the air as spectators watched the bridge competition! We congratulate the 8th graders on their design and engineering efforts!

Weekly Schoolwide Learning Expectation: 2.1 – A conscientious student individual in a diverse society who is able to treat self and others with dignity and respect.

 IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS	
2/7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minimum Day-12:00 Dismissal• Dine Out @ Nations
2/9	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bingo 6PM -Church Hall• 7th Grade Dance CTK
2/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First Eucharist Parent Meeting-9:30AM• Work Party 9-1
2/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
2/13	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8th Grade Graduation Pictures• Student Council Valentines Celebration: pink, red or white non-uniform dress for all! No \$2.00 Dress
2/14	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ash Wednesday Mass 9am (Formal)
2/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presidents Holiday-No School

St. Agnes School Mission Statement

St. Agnes School, in partnership with the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Oakland educate children in the Catholic faith and nurture their minds, bodies, and souls, inspiring them to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ, achieve their highest academic and creative potential, and actively serve and enrich the community.