

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

REVIEW/PREVIEW

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Dates to Remember

9/23 - 9/27 - 6th & 7th to Yosemite
9/27 - No School - Inservice
9/28 - HFCS Golf Classic
10/4 - Minimum Day - Mass 8:30AM (formal uniform)
Uniform Exchange 11:30AM to 12:30PM
10/5 & 10/6 - Parish Festival
10/7 - No School
10/8 - CSAC Mtg. 5:00PM
10/10 - 10/11 - 4th Grade to Creature Camp
10/11 - Parent Club Mtg. 8:15AM

Starting October 7, 2013

Review/Preview will be on our website ONLY!

REGISTER ONLINE TODAY!

5th Annual

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL
GOLF TOURNAMENT AND DINNER

SEPTEMBER 28, 2013

at The Ridge in Auburn, CA

Not a Golfer? Not a Problem!

Join your spouse, friends and colleagues for a wonderful dinner and Silent Auction!

Only \$40 per person for dinner

Doors open for dinner at 5:00pm

Space is limited!

You don't want to miss this wonderful event!

Register today for Golf or Dinner option at

<http://www.holyfamilyca.org/>

From Our Principal Mr. Ditter:

Our 6th and 7th graders are on their field trip to **Yosemite** this week and staying at Curry Village...very exciting! A special thanks to all of the parents who volunteered to chaperone for this trip. Next Saturday is our annual Golf Tournament. We still have some spots available if you would like to join us at The Ridge. I will be out there playing, just be careful whenever I have a club in my hand as I am not good! The upper grade teachers and I have been refining the electives program, which should be starting up very soon. Have a blessed week!

Edline is up and running. Please check it often to view your child's progress.

Thank you Mrs. Busch, Mrs. Olmedo and all of the volunteers for putting on a wonderful dance for the 7th & 8th graders.

Thank you Mrs. Espinoza and Mrs. Busch for all your hard work making the Magazine Drive such a success!

A gentle reminder: Siblings are not allowed to be dropped off with siblings that are participating in Band, Baton, Choir, or any sport practice. They must go to Extension.

Food Bank: Mac n' Cheese will be collected until Thursday, September 26th. Please be generous.

Holy Family Parish Festival

Festival Volunteers Needed !!

Earn your points, have fun and support the Festival.

Just click on the link below and you will see all of the areas and timeslots that need to be filled.

http://hfs.ivolunteer.com/festival_2013

Thank you for your support!

Jennifer Bishop and Laura Flynt

Festival Co-chairs

Magazine Sales

Here are the results for the Classroom Completion for the Final Week:

- K - \$662.30 24%
- 1st - \$1821.51 62%
- 2nd - \$2039.25 37%
- 3rd - \$1177.25 64%
- 4th - \$2632.53 64%
- 5th - \$1225.50 68%
- 6th - \$1403.00 38%
- 7th - \$1178.50 25%
- 8th - \$1059.50 20%

Total \$13,199.34

1st Place - Fourth Grade

% Participation

1st Place - Fifth Grade

Thank you for your participation!

Box Tops

I'm excited to be the new Box Top Coordinator and have many ideas to get everyone excited. To kick off our year, Leatherby's has agreed to provide a treat for each child who turns in the completed Collection Sheet. (Only one treat per child.) The deadline is Friday, October 4. Future contests which will be held each month include a free dress pass, class competition for a pizza party, etc.

Shari Alexander

916.899.1956

Box Top Coordinator



Student Art Gallery

We are happy to present the 4nd annual **Art Gallery** at this year's Fall Festival to proudly display your child's artwork created this calendar year. If your child has created a piece of art that he or she would like to have displayed at the Fall Festival, please submit the artwork to Mrs. Biller. Clearly label it with your child's name, grade, and teacher on the back.

- ◆ Artwork can be in picture or tabletop format.
- ◆ The displayed art items will be returned to the child's teacher at the end of the festival.
- ◆ Art submission end date is Thursday, October 3.
****New this Year****
- ◆ We will have craft items for sale made by the **hands** of our very own students! If your child has a special **craft** that he or she is proud of, and would like to offer the craft for sale, please contact me at the email address below.
- ◆ All proceeds from craft items designated for sale will be donated to the school.
- ◆ For questions, comments, or concerns, please contact Theresa Cannon at ljcanon5@gmail.com.

Calling ALL 4th—8th Grade Students

There will be an **Altar Server Meeting** on Sunday, September 29th at 2PM in the church for anyone who is interested in altar serving.

There will be a special Altar Server meeting the same day from 3:30PM to 5:00PM for **CONTINUING** Altar Servers.

Holy Family Bereavement Ministry needs you!

This ministry provides for the reception decor, drinks, and desserts at no cost to the families after a funeral. Mrs. Eilhardt is putting together a call list for a rotation of families who would be interested in donating desserts only when contacted. She has put in place a system to drop off desserts during the school's drop off time. If plates or dishes need to be returned they will be cleaned and returned on the same day at the school's pick up time. Other arrangements can be made as well. We have several families already signed up! Please consider this easy way to assist this ministry and provide for families during their time of loss. Contact Tiffany Eilhardt to add your family to this Dessert Tree Call List at: 916.990.2889 or tmeilhardt@gmail.com.

Mrs. Hernandez:

Have a blessed week! God is love

Your child's nap belongings will go home on Friday. Please bring them back to school on Monday. Thank you!

Curriculum:

Reading: Dig, Dig Digging

Writing: Write sentences using nouns for places

Sight Words: a, too, red, bed (**Test Friday**)

Vocabulary: scooping, squelching, spinning, swooshing, gobbling and rumbling

Religion: God's Love Makes Me Who I Am

Math: Comparing objects by weight (mass), paying for items using pennies

Test Friday: Sorting and identifying the sorting rule

Mrs. Chapman:

Thank you for your support with our magazine drive! All field trip money and forms are due today. If you plan on going on the field trip please make sure you are up to date on **T.B. Test, Shield the Vulnerable and Fingerprints.**

Everyone should have received their Edline codes last week. Please check Edline to monitor your child's progress as well as testing results sent home in your child's homework folder.

Math- Place Value 1s/10s **Social Studies** - Order of events in history/Timelines **Science:** Developmental Scientist/Child/Adult Stages **Phonics/ Language Arts:** **Story:** Get The Egg/ Short e Initial Blends/Main Idea **Grammar: Statements Religion:** God is our loving father/Saint Francis of Assisi

Mrs. Polnasek:

This will be a short week of review with no school on Friday. We will be reviewing all of Unit 1 in Language Arts as well as in Religion. On Wednesday, October 16th, we will be heading to Apple Hill for our first field trip. Please sign and return the permission slip with \$7 by Friday, the 28th (the sooner the better though). If you are planning on chaperoning, please make sure you are cleared by the office. I hope you can join us! Our Star of the Week this week is Lucas.

This Week at a Glance:

Language Arts: Unit 1 Review

Math: Fractions, geometric shapes, sorting, addition facts: Doubles+1(test Thurs.)

Religion: Unit 1 (test Wednesday)

Science: Matter

Social Studies: Citizenship and Privacy

Mrs. Piegaro:

Thanks to all the parents that volunteered to drive for our field trip!

This week we will review unit one Language Arts. There will be no weekly language arts or spelling tests this week. In religion, students will take their chapter 6 test on Wednesday. Don't forget to complete the Blest Are We chapter review for 2 extra credit points. In math, students will learn to estimate the sum of two digit numbers, draw line segments using centimeters, and order three-digit numbers. Students will have an addition fact assessment on Thursday. We will continue our studies in Astronomy. Students will take their week 2 Social Studies test on Wednesday. No school on Friday!

Please check Edline for detailed assignment information.

Mrs. Sedgwick:

Moses Garcia is our Rock Star this week. I would like to thank everyone who supported the magazine sale this year! Congratulations to the 4th and 5th grade students! We will be celebrating with an ice cream party soon. This week is a short one with no school on Friday. It is our first language arts cumulative review and that means that we will not have our usual spelling homework. We may complete pages of our grammar or reading packet instead. Please check your child's planner for details. We will **not take any language arts tests this week**. We will have our chapter 1 test on electricity in science on Tuesday, 9/24. Please review the study guide and book. We will take our math cumulative 3 test on Tuesday as well. That means no math homework on Tuesday night! Yay! We will work through lesson 22 during the rest of the week. Our social studies week 5 test on "Meet the First Californians" will be 9/26. Our chaperones have been chosen for our overnight trip to Camp Pendola. Thank you to everyone who offered to attend! If you have not paid the remaining \$52 for this trip, it is due by **October 1, 2013**. The HFCS Golf Tournament is coming up on Saturday, September 28. Come take a swing and have some fun with our parents and staff! Finally, keep selling those raffle tickets for the Fall Festival. Have a terrific week!

Mr. Luippold:

Have a safe and fun trip to Yosemite, 6th grade!!

Mrs. Altobell:

Way to go! 4th & 5th have earned an ice cream party for their great participation in the Magazine Sale!

The Fifth Grade will be reviewing Unit 1 in language arts this week. We will review the comprehension, spelling words, and grammar concepts from our previous five stories. We will not have a test this week. We continue our in-depth look at one planet as we write the rough drafts of our planet reports. In social studies, we learn about Early Explorers, and take our week 5 test on Wednesday. We will complete our study of Sacramentals in Chapter 4 of religion and take our test on Thursday. In math, we will learn about polygons, rounding and estimating numbers, and division with zeros in the quotient this week. Have a great week!

Mrs. Remick:

Yosemite week for 6th and 7th grade! Have a wonderful week exploring the great outdoors.

8th grade has an assignment to complete for Mr. Luippold and I will be giving them time to complete their assignment during the week.

8th grade has a science test on Wednesday (Ch. 3). 8th grade will complete Ch. 2 Road to Independence. We will be watching clips from John Adams, Liberty Kids, and History Channel. Students should prepare for a test on Ch. 2 early next week.

Mrs. Hendry:

Thank you to the families who donated to our Hospitality Sunday yesterday. Next month Eighth Grade is responsible for the school Mass. If you are a Eucharistic Minister and would like to serve, please contact me. Also, if you are available to help students practice their readings in the church during the first week of the month, I would appreciate the help. The students on flag duty this week are **Olivia Busch and Deanna Robinson** and our Safety Patrol student is **Maddie Brown**. Thanks for volunteering!

Religion:

6th Grade God Bless you and safe travels while you are in Yosemite!

7th Grade God Bless you and safe travels while you are in Yosemite!

8th Grade We will begin Chapter 3 and we will be preparing for our Mass next Friday, October 4th.

Math:

6th Grade God Bless you and safe travels while you are in Yosemite!

7th Grade God Bless you and safe travels while you are in Yosemite!

8th Grade We will work on Lessons 16-19. Our next test will be NEXT Tuesday. The material will cover Lessons 1-15.

Math Lab will be Monday and Wednesday from 3:00-4:00 in my classroom.

Art/Mrs. Biller:

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State Standards: 3.0 HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL CONTEXTS

Objective: 3.3 Ss will continue to view and discuss works of art from a variety of times and places.

Genre: Ancient Egyptian artwork

Student objectives: students 4-8 to complete Art Smart test – it is suggested that students access online review. Google Holy Family Catholic School, divert to ART SMART, study online article and examples of Egyptian artwork.

Recognition:

- framed artwork in front office: Olivia Busch, Maddie Espinoza, Melanie Toth, Natalie Toth
- outstanding artwork related to Egyptian genre: David Barsotti, Lauren Cannon, Kay Cospo, Micaela Espinoza, Desmond Nacar, Roxy-Ann Pabello, Emilio Ralph, Paige Weigand, Julia Zara
- Izabella Brantley and Bailey Olmedo who are completing pieces for display at the Fall Festival
- Fifth grade artists completing work for sale at the Fall Festival.

Mrs. Patterson:

6th Grade:

Have a wonderful time in Yosemite sixth grade. We will begin prime numbers and subtracting mixed numbers when you get back.

7th Grade:

Seventh grade will be the “leaders” this week at Yosemite. Have a fantastic time. When you get back we will begin finding the area of sectors in a circle. We may have another assessment mid week.

8th Grade:

I will have Eighth grade for a 90 minute block this week. We will be exploring standard form and slope-intercept form of equations and how to determine the X Y intercept. Simplifying negative exponents will also be covered. There will be a test on Thursday. Please don't forget there is no school Friday.

Special Note:

Math Lab is on Tuesday from 3-4.

Mrs. Olmedo:

Español

Have a great trip to Yosemite 6th and 7th grade. I'll miss you!

Grades 2-5 and 8, we will continue with our lessons and start testing/quizzes next week with the exception of 6th and 7th grade.

Have a great week!