

# Holy Family School Newsletter

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Josh Rucker, Principal



**Holy Family  
Catholic School**

## Dates to Remember

- 10/4 - Free Dress - Bring Soup  
Pet Blessing in Prayer Garden 8:00AM
- 10/5 - Mass 8:30AM - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade
- 10/7 - Minimum Day - Noon Dismissal  
Snow Cone Sale \$2
- 10/9 - Hospitality Sunday - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade
- 10/11 - Fall Sports Pictures
- 10/12 - Cookie Dough Pick-up
- 10/14 - Minimum Day - Noon Dismissal  
Parent Club Meeting 8:15AM
- 10/19 - Picture Make-up Day/All School Picture
- 10/20 - Reuse It Collection 3PM
- 10/21 - Jog-a-thon Pledges DUE  
Sports Rally

## Jog-a-thon

The students did very well on Friday!!  
Now it's time to get your Pledges!  
**DUE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21st**

## Principal News

Dear Holy Family Community,

The Jog-a-thon was a huge success! The students did very well on their laps. Now it is time to collect your pledges and turn them into the school office. I am hoping to provide BBQ for all of the students. Thank you Lisa Ralph and Priscilla Newburn for your tremendous efforts in chairing this event. Thank you to the many volunteers who helped make it a fun day for all.

A reminder for our annual Pet Blessing tomorrow, October 4<sup>th</sup>, PLEASE have your pets contained and take them home after the blessing at 8:00AM.

The following is a message from the Parish:

The Holy Family Conference of St Vincent de Paul thanks all parishioners who supported the Friends of the Poor Walk on Saturday, Sep 24th at St Francis High School. Some walked, some pledged money for a walker, and some pledged and walked. We especially want to recognize the students from Holy Family School who enthusiastically walked with us to help those in need. May God continue to bless you!

Josh Rucker

## Fall Festival

Fall Festival now has an online volunteer sign up portal available! All available festival positions are posted on this portal/website:

**Fall Festival Volunteer Portal –  
Sign Up to Volunteer:**

<http://signup.com/go/wqiccl>

If you have questions please email:  
[HFCSfallfestival@gmail.com](mailto:HFCSfallfestival@gmail.com)

## Parent Club News

*The HFCS Parent Club has a new email address!* [parentclub@holyfamilyca.org](mailto:parentclub@holyfamilyca.org).

Let's be social ... Like us on Facebook at Holy Family Catholic School, Citrus Heights and follow us on Instagram too. Posting a HFCS picture? Tag it on Facebook and Instagram at **#HolyFamilyCaHornets** to join our photo collections.

We are looking for a couple volunteers willing to take on some key volunteer responsibilities this year:

- Spirit Wear Coordinator (25 pts) – Ongoing throughout the school year
- Crab Feed Kitchen helpers - Saturday, December 3

If you are interested in any of these positions, please email ShaKay Mack ([parentclub@holyfamilyca.org](mailto:parentclub@holyfamilyca.org)) for more information or to sign up today.

**"BORN TO RUN" JOG-A-THON:** Our Jog-a-Thon was last Friday and all the kids did a fantastic job! Make sure to get those pledge forms turned in by Friday, October 21. Pledges and students/class sponsorships can be made via the school website as well. Each student that meets their class lap minimum AND raises at least \$65 in pledges will earn a special invite to the Principal's BBQ lunch. More information can be found on the school website.

**FALL FESTIVAL:** The Fall Festival is back! Join us October 22-23 for a fun weekend of games, food, festivities and lots of fall fun. More information will be available soon.

**AMAZON SMILE:** If you or your family and friends shop on Amazon.com, take a minute and select "Holy Family Catholic School, Citrus Heights" and use the AmazonSmile portal to shop and support HFCS. You can *Double Dip with Scrip* by purchasing Amazon Scrip too!

**VOLUNTEER POSTIONS FOR 2016-2017:** If you're still looking for Parent Service Points, please visit our school website for a current list of available volunteer opportunities. Each family is required to fulfill 40 Parent Service Points with a minimum of 25 points completed in a fundraising capacity. ALL FAMILIES must earn a minimum of 10 points from the Festival, Crab Feed or the Auction events.

If you would like more information on our fundraisers, volunteering or have a question, please contact our Parent Club President, ShaKay Mack ([parentclub@holyfamilyca.org](mailto:parentclub@holyfamilyca.org)).

## Box Tops/Labels for Education News

The first competition of the year has come to an end. The winning class will be announced soon. As a reminder, our school receives 10€ for each Box Top we submit. It doesn't seem like much, but it adds up. You can encourage your family and friends to collect as well and turn them in. The more Box Tops we collect, the more money goes to our school.

Joelle McCoy

Box Tops and Labels for Education Coordinator

## SCRIP News

Remember to order your scrip by Tuesday morning for Thursday afternoon pick up.

**ALL** families must have a Shop With Scrip account for ordering and tracking scrip totals.



*Happy HFCS Students!*

*"The mission of Holy Family Catholic School is to nurture Christ-like behavior in one another."*



*First Graders have all the answers!*