

FAMILY NEWSLETTER

Holy Angels School - West Bend

Let Us Build a House Where Love Can Grow!

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Greetings!

Thanks for your patience in getting this final Family Newsletter for the 2016-17 school year. Just like last year, the end of the school year suddenly happened with seemingly little warning. The Festival of Angels also took some time from the schedule...although I did sneak into school between frying batches of fries and mozzarella sticks! It was really great to see so many Holy Angels School families involved in so many aspects of the festival.

Looking back over the year, many thanks also to all of the parents who have made so many things possible through their generous giving of time! There were many new parents stepping forward and participating in new ways for the benefit of our school community. That's what makes this school so special! I wish we could've honored all of you at the Closing Mass and Thanks-A-Brunch. May you be blessed in abundance for helping to build a house where love does grow!

The topic of volunteers comes up often, most notably when there aren't enough and it's the "same people" who always are willing to give of their time. We will be looking at better ways to reach out and invite each family to get involved. If you haven't yet taken to leap to get involved, then we haven't been effective in giving you that wonderful opportunity to become part of something that is really terrific (and enjoyable).

As I mentioned last year at this time, there's a banner which has hung in my office for over 25 years: "Change is not tragedy but the ever-recurring miracle of life and growth". This past year has been a time of change and growth in many ways as Fr. Pat became a vital part of our community and has become a regular presence in our school. We have been blessed!

Speaking of changes, this summer will again become a challenge for the maintenance crew as they do much more than "just" taking care of the floors and general cleaning. The 21st Century Classroom Project is stretching everyone as we move on to new areas like the hallways and a few more classrooms. Watch the bulletin for updates. Special thanks to the volunteers who helped with the locker demo work. I'll be getting word out for help in moving desks and furnishings during the summer.

At the end of the year, a couple topics came up along with suggestions to mention something in the summer newsletter. So here are two random thoughts...first, the Gifts from the Heart Raffle has a history of success because of its leadership and interested committee members. We need someone (or more than one) to step forward to chair the committee's work. Ross and Kyle Zautner have volunteered to stay on and help the next chairperson(s) with the 2018 event. Second, the sixth graders will be going to Camp Gray in September for the over-night Environmental Stewardship Program and it's a little costly...sixth grade parents should plan on \$80-90 at the beginning of the year for this extraordinary opportunity for our students.

Many thanks to Kyle Zautner for her many years of service as part of (and chairperson of) the School Committee. Her enthusiasm and perspective will be missed. Angela Bell will be the new committee member which will be chaired next year by Gary Held.

Thanks to all who have already "planted" a West Bend Catholic Schools yard sign. I'm still hoping to see more around town (and even outside the city limits) with the Holy Angels logo on it. If you don't have one yet, please pick up a sign at church and display it in your neighborhood.

My hope is that parents will always be the primary recruiters that our school needs so that we can continue to efficiently utilize our resources. Our enrollment for the coming year is solid with near capacity in most grades. It's still good for each Holy Angels school family to take the initiative and invite their neighbors to our school and to our faith community! After all, there are openings in our church pews each Sunday (except Christmas and Easter).

Peace be with you,

Mike Sternig

mark your calendar for important 17-18 dates

Family Packets for the 2017-18 school year will be available after the weekend Masses on August 19th and 20th in the church basement. The Beginning of the Year Open House will again be held on Sunday morning, August 27th from 10:30 until 12:30 am. The first day of school for all students in K5 through 8 is Tuesday, August 29th. The K4 Program will begin on Wednesday, August 30th and the K3 Program will start on Thursday, August 31st.

There is an inservice day to work on accreditation on October 19th; and a day for teachers from area Catholic schools at Holy Angels on Friday, October 20th.

November 7th and 8th are important because an Accreditation Team Visit is scheduled for those dates. This is part of the two-year process that began last year.

The Parent-Student-Teacher Conferences will be held in the evening on Tuesday, November 14th and Thursday, November 16th. On Friday, November 17th, there will be classes in the morning and P/S/T Conferences in the afternoon.

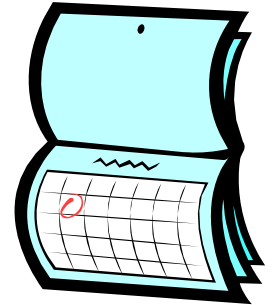
Thanksgiving Break will be from November 22nd through November 26th. At Christmas, we are planning Friday, December 22nd for classroom lunch celebrations and an all-school assembly/prayer service at the end of the day. Christmas vacation will begin at dismissal on the 22nd with classes resuming on Wednesday, January 3rd. There is no school on Monday, January 22nd (end of semester). There is another inservice day on February 12th (coincides with the West Bend Public Schools)

Ash Wednesday falls on February 14th this year (a little early). Holy Angels will again coincide with the public school calendar for the spring break which will again be at the end of March (26th through 30th). This includes all of Holy Week. There is no school on Easter Monday, April 2nd. Iowa Assessments (grades 2, 3, 5, 7) will be given April 23rd through May 11th.

Graduation is planned for June 1st. The school year ends on June 5th (just in time for the HA Festival).

Finally, this year's Parent in the Classroom Nights will be important evenings for parents to connect with classroom teachers regarding the upcoming school year. There will be separate Nights for grades K3 through 5 (Thursday, September 7th) and for junior high (Monday, September 11th).

Please make note of all of the above dates on your family calendar. Families are encouraged to plan vacations during the summer or other breaks in the instructional calendar. Although vacationing the week before or after a break may avoid crowds, extended time away from school can create difficulties for students.



calendar of ca\$h...finding more winners

Would you believe that there are several families who have already returned their Calendar of Ca\$h tickets? Of course, many families may now be thinking: "Where did we put those?" But most have probably sold a few and need to ask around yet. The posting of winners on the website can be a selling point...yes, people actually win!! Remind everyone that they can win \$1000 just like Kathie Zier of West Bend! Creativity in selling the calendars is a good thing since a successful Calendar of Ca\$h provides important financial support for Holy Angels.

At times we hear from parish members who would like to support our school but have not been approached by someone selling raffle tickets. If your family would like to sell raffle tickets after Mass, you can start with selling your 17 tickets (to take care of your responsibility) and then sell more just to help the school (no additional credit for those sold at Mass). We are setting up a schedule of dates for later in the summer. If you would like to be included, please send an email to Mike Sternig by June 30th. Only those families who have been scheduled will be permitted to sell their raffle tickets after Mass.

Turn-in time for tickets sold is crucial to the operation of this fundraiser! To help us process the thousands of tickets, we urge families to mail or turn in sold ticket stubs and money to the school office by Monday, August 14th. Don't hold onto the tickets until they are all sold—turn tickets in as you sell them.

Any additional ticket sales, beyond the minimum, really help to push us to our goal. Winning tickets will be selected each day and then re-entered into the drawing. During the past year, there were again a few tickets which were re-selected in spite of our best efforts to mix and re-mix the tickets!

Tickets and money can be dropped off in the school office during the summer (call first). You can also get more tickets here!!! Simply call the school office (or the parish office) and we'll make sure that you get as many tickets as you need! Thanks again to Tim and Patti Heinen and others who have stepped forward to help with coordinating this project.

policy revisions for 2017-18

The final School Committee meeting of the year saw the approval of very few changes in the Family Handbook. For the most part, the changes were minor or were simply clarifications or restatements of present processes and procedures.

The tuition schedule was updated to reflect information previously communicated to parents. The hot lunch price for the upcoming school year will be \$3.00 per lunch.

There is also a clarification in the Leaves of Absence (5113.5) policy:

It is hoped that absences for reasons other than illness, appointments or death in the family be limited to times when school is not in session. There may be rare opportunities when an extended absence from school is beneficial to the educational growth and development of a student and parents may request a leave of absence. Parents are strongly encouraged to schedule vacations at times when school is not in session.

Extended absences may hinder a student's acquisition of knowledge or skills which are developed through in-class instruction. This may later be reflected in a student's performance on summative assessments.

Parents who wish to remove their child from school under special circumstances should send a written request to the homeroom teacher. This request is signed by the teacher and sent to the principal. An Extended Leave Form may be requested for a student in grades three through eight for leaves of three or more days. It is the student's responsibility to have this form completed for all subject areas. The student is responsible for completion of assignments missed during a leave of absence within the period specified by the teacher (usually equivalent to the number of days absent).

planning continues for students in 2017-18

Planning for the 2017-18 school year has been progressing well. Registrations have been returned (big thanks!), textbooks are being ordered (just starting!), classroom supplies have been requisitioned by the teachers, and new portable classroom bookcases which match the new classroom cabinetry have finally arrived (funded by past Holy Angels Golf Classics).

Based on the current registrations, Holy Angels School is anticipating an enrollment for the upcoming school year of over 275 students. We will have two classes in grade seven and grade eight. All of the other grades will be single classes. We anticipate a full K5 class of 24-25 students.

The K4 program will continue to offer a half-day and full-day option for the 19 students who are enrolled for the Monday/Wednesday/Friday program. The K3 half-day program will continue to meet on Tuesday/Thursday and there is still some room in that program.

For the upcoming school year, Holy Angels will continue to support a 1-to-1 ratio for technology availability in grades one through eight. For K3/K4/K5, several iPads are available for classroom learning stations. In grades one through three, there are enough iPads for each student to use as part of their learning experience. In grades four and five, Chromebooks continue to be provided for use in the classroom. Junior high students are required to have a Chromebook which they use at school and at home as part of their normal learning process.

There will also be a new science curriculum with an expanded emphasis on learning through hands-on experiences. Much of the new lab materials will be funded by this year's Holy Angels Golf Classic.

This time of year is a wonderful opportunity to invite other new families to consider being part of the Holy Angels Parish community. If you have new neighbors during the summer months who might be interested in joining our community, pass the good word! They can contact the parish or school office for more information.

laufer memorial awarded at closing liturgy

The Noreen A. Laufer Memorial was established by the staff to honor a colleague who died following a battle with cancer. Each year, it is presented to a first through seventh grade student at the closing liturgy and is "awarded to the students of Holy Angels who regularly exhibit a positive attitude and touch the lives of others around them."

The recipient of the 2017 Laufer Memorial award was Caroline Peplinski. Her name was chosen from several students nominated by the teaching staff. In her presentation, Mrs. Hammen shared a description of Caroline from several of the junior high teachers.

building a house...service to others

Part of our Student Mission Statement reminds us that we are gathered together to serve others. One of the goals of Holy Angels School is to help students develop a spirit of service. As we tried to "build a house where love can grow", students realized that the building needs to include other places so that love can grow in more places than just our school.

The primary students and teachers worked with Family Promise to host a Christmas Party and provide the children with presents. Third graders made Thanksgiving decorations with their Buddies for Cedar Lake Home. The intermediate students wrote letters at Christmas and Easter for the elderly of our parish. Fourth graders wrote letters to an Honor Flight Officer who then visited with the students to share his story. Fifth graders supported Project Manana with a collection.

Junior high students provided hygiene boxes for St. Ben's and also Thanksgiving boxes for the House of Peace. Sixth graders collected eye glasses and food for the Cathedral's outreach program. The seventh graders made the seasons a little more cheery with decorations for the Cedar Community and the VA Center. Eighth graders took time to clean up sections of the Eisenbahn Trail and also contributed to the Heifer Project during Advent (giving Mr. Breunig a new look!).

All-school Mass collections helped to provide support for several outreach projects in the community: Family Promise, Medico (helping the people of Honduras), Franciscan Sisters of Charity, La Sagrada Familia (our sister parish in the Dominican Republic), Friends of Abused Families, Breast Cancer Research Foundation, Full Shelf Food Pantry, and St. Vincent de Paul Society. The Great Lakes Hemophilia Foundation was also supported.

Holy Angels students also continued their support for Habitat for Humanity with a Nickels for Nails collection during Lent along with decorating 2x4s which were donated for construction of a new home in the West Bend area.

The HAS-HOPE service club was active in the community as Salvation Army bell ringers, raking leaves, serving at Harvest House, Visiting Ivy Manor, helping at Enchantment in the Park, supporting the Washington County Humane Society, and helping at the Elevate! race event.

battle of the books...white team doubles down

The annual Battle of the Accelerated Readers began with another challenging opening round. Contestants first tried to answer questions posed by Mrs. Mitchell which were submitted by Holy Angels readers and they were followed by general questions about books in a series.

Unlike last year's closely contested battle, the White Team jumped out to an early lead and simply was the dominant team. The final tally saw White accumulate 104 points to the Blue Team's 52.

The Battle participants were the top point earners for each grade. They included (and their points for the year): White Team...Addisyn Gundrum (427), Olivia Worth (261), Maria Olson (168), Natalie Daute (510), Greta Zier (129), and Joseph Zimmer (171); Blue Team...Greta Friemel (435), Madison Bell (385), Megan Minz (128), Matt Zier (350), Isaac Fichtner (168), and Taylor Chemer (174).



thanks and a request from the hot lunch lady

A big THANK YOU to all my wonderful volunteers, teachers and students. We have made it through another year of the Holy Angels Hot Lunch Program. The program is running smoothly and that would not be possible without the support of all the great volunteers who help me make this program successful.

As we start another school year, I will again be looking for volunteers. I will need ticket makers/takers (11:00-12:30) and servers (11:30-12:30) one or two days a month. To help assist parents of small children, we have high chairs and a pack-n-play available for use. If you are interested, please give me a call at 262-707-6089 and we can see what days are available and if they work for your schedule. All it takes is one day a month and it would be the same day each month (eg. first Monday of the month).

Remember, lunchtime is a great time to see your student or grand-student in action. Thank you for your support with the Hot Lunch Program and hope to see you back for a happy and healthy new school year.

-Kathy Staehler, Hot Lunch Coordinator

supplies needed for new school year

The School Supply List is usually attached to the summer Family Newsletter. Since we've gone "green" with the Newsletter and menus being sent via email and posted on the school website, the listing of school supplies for the 2017-2018 school year is also paperless. It can be found on the school website education links section.

As expected, there are a few changes in some grades. Because students consume (sometimes literally) pencils, red pencils, pens at different rates, parents should simply make sure that replacements are readily available at home when needed. Students do not need to have a dozen pencils in the desk or supply box.

In the past couple of years, the "one or more reams of copy paper" on the Supply List has really helped in providing copy paper for about half of the year...thank you! Items on the Supply List can be brought to school on August 27th, when students report for the Open House.

This is a reminder that, for safety reasons, backpacks must fit in the student's locker when not in use. The new lockers in the "new" building will be 12 inches wide...WOW!! They are also about 15 inches deep...gee, some of our students could actually fit inside (please don't share that with your child!).



For book covers, grocery bags work very well and are environmentally friendly and we will also have a supply of Holy Angels book covers available at the Open House.

As in the past, all students in grades three through eight will be using a standard Holy Angels Student Assignment Book. The form for grades three through five has a separate page for each day and areas for each subject. The junior high form is a little different with scriptural passages and information about saints.

We continue to emphasize good study habits and organizational skills and teachers will start the year by helping students to learn how to effectively use the Assignment Book. Students will be able to pick up their Assignment Book at the Beginning of School Open House on August 27th. The cost is \$5.00 per Assignment Book which can be paid to the homeroom teacher at the Open House.

Students in grades seven and eight will continue to use the New American Bible; students may bring their own if they already have this version. Sixth graders will again be receiving a Bible from the parish during a special service in September and do not need to purchase a Bible.

Junior high students will need to provide their own Chromebooks as noted in the past. The minimum Chromebook configuration must include: Google Chrome OS; wireless network capability (802.11a/b/g/n); 2GB RAM and 16GB memory; USB port; and 11.5 inch screen. There are many models which meet these criteria. Refurbished Chromebooks are often better tested than new ones.

perfect attendance for 2016-17

At this year's Closing Liturgy, students in grades K5 through 7 are recognized for perfect attendance. Congratulations are in order to the following students...K5: Jady Assmann, Liam Bierter, Dylan Doll; Grade 1: Jack Lieffring, Ryan Friemel, Juliana Kroening; Grade 2: Mia Davies; Grade 3: Emily Cegielski, Abby Lieffring, Elliot Weber; Grade 4: Paige Guse, Rachel Nagel; Grade 5: Emma Hertel, Olivia Klausmeier, Kade Rossebo; Grade 6: Jonah Nagel, Nathan Ratzel, Tyler Tennies, Ally Glaszcz; and Grade 7: Isaac Fichtner, Daniel Krause, Alex Gonzalez, Hailey Matenaer, Will Mueller, Leah Nagel.

Eighth graders Kate Davies, Andrew Glaszcz, and Payton Rossebo were recognized at graduation.

students challenged to read, read, read

This Accelerated Reader Program encourages student to access good literature and challenges them to earn points as they read. According to program coordinator Sharon Mitchell, this year was a whopping 15,474 points!

Leading the way was the sixth grade with 4865 points for an average of 118 points per student. This group was also on top when they were in fifth grade...way to go! Next with 2626 points was the second grade with an average of 105 points per student. Seventh graders tallied 2535 points during the year for an average of 67 points. In their first year in the program, the third graders earned 2402 points (89 point average). The fifth grade amassed 1825 (73 average) points while the eighth grade totaled 1219 (58 average).

iowa scores provide data for improvement

Each spring, Holy Angels students devote time and brain power over the course of two weeks to the completing of standardized tests. In 2016, students in grades 2, 3, 5, and 7 again took the Iowa Assessments (IA). This is a revision of the old Iowa Tests of Basic Skills (ITBS). These tests are one of many ways to determine student progress. The test scores also help the school in evaluating the effectiveness of the curriculum and instruction. Usually the results pose more questions rather than give answers. Regardless, it's interesting to see where Holy Angels stands using some kind of standardized measurement.

The school-wide results of the IA are given in percentiles. The scores indicate how the average Holy Angels student's score compares to the average score of students across the country. The percentile indicates the position of Holy Angels students in comparison with 100 sample students. Therefore a percentile of 75 means that the average Holy Angels student scored higher than 75 out of 100 students in the sample. The Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT) is a measure of student ability, as opposed to student achievement measured on the IA. A comparison of these two percentiles can provide some information regarding the determination of whether or not students are working up to their ability.

As a point of reference, the Holy Angels composite percentiles can be compared to the non-Choice schools in the Milwaukee Archdiocese and the Catholic schools in Washington County. One way to determine how well students are achieving relative to their ability is to calculate a ratio of achievement to ability. The higher the ratio, the greater the achievement compared to ability (a ratio of 1.00 means that the percentile of achievement is equal to the percentile of ability). Here is the data (IA/CogAT) for Holy Angels (this year), Washington County and the Milwaukee Archdiocese (recent data was not yet available):

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| Grade 3: Holy Angels ... | 1.14 | Washington Co (2016) ... | 1.06 | Milw Archdiocese (2016) ... | 1.00 |
| Grade 5: Holy Angels ... | 1.04 | Washington Co (2016) ... | 0.94 | Milw Archdiocese (2016) ... | 0.92 |
| Grade 7: Holy Angels ... | 0.97 | Washington Co (2016) ... | 0.97 | Milw Archdiocese (2016) ... | 0.94 |

The IA and CogAT results are, like the Family Newsletter, paperless. A graph of the class averages can be found on the school website links section under General Information/Curriculum. As with most statistics, the information can be interpreted in many ways and parents are cautioned in their analysis of this data.

athletics for fall: forms available online

Planning for the fall sports season is under way with the volleyball program again be associated with the Washington-Ozaukee Catholic Conference. Participating schools include: Holy Angels, St. Frances Cabrini, Port Catholic, St. Francis Borgia-Cedarburg, St. Joseph-Grafton, St. Kilian-Hartford, and St. Gabriel. Holy Angels will again have teams for 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade girls.

Holy Angels will be sponsoring the 20th annual Holy Angels Volleyball Classic during the week of October 23-28. This is an eight-team tournament for seventh grade and eighth grade teams. The Athletic Committee



hopes to provide another exciting tournament for our girls' teams.

Practices for this year's season will begin August 15th. There will be an important meeting for parents at the first practice. Parents of those who have signed up for volleyball will be notified regarding the date of the first practice.

All necessary forms will be available on the school website and completed forms must be on file before practices begin. Follow the School Links to Athletics to locate the forms. These include: Physical Exam Form (see related article), Parental Risk Acknowledgement Form, Medical Emergency Form, Sportsmanship Pledge (player and parent), and Concussion Form. Parents may want to talk to their

child's doctor about a baseline brain scan for concussion detection and treatment. The fee for girls volleyball is \$15.

During the upcoming volleyball season, admissions and concessions will again be combined with limited concessions. Parents of the team playing will be called upon to take care of the table.

Athletic Committee members for the 2017-18 school year will include: John Barnett (basketball), , Stephanie Daute (girls volleyball), Kate Walter (girls volleyball), Ryan Schneeberger (equipment), Scott Sadownikow (intramurals), Matt Ciriacks (booster), Amy Dahlberg (secretary), Tom Voelker (VB Classic), and Mitch Draxler (chairperson/BB Classic). There are two committee positions that are still being filled. The School Committee liaison will be Amy Dahlberg. Many thanks to Stacey Birchbauer and Linda Stanek for their years of service to the Athletic Program at Holy Angels.

demolition and construction continues

The 21st Century Classrooms project got a jump start from several volunteers who showed up to take care of some of the demolition work necessary for this summer's Phase Two. During the next couple of months, hallway ceilings and walls will be painted and new lockers installed.

The Art Room and Science Room ceilings will be painted along with the walls in the Art Room and one of the walls in the Science Room...the murals will stay but may need a little touch-up from original artist Diane Carlson. New cabinetry and sinks will also be installed in the Science Room.

In the Four-Year-Old Kindergarten, new cabinets will be installed in the classroom and kitchenette area. The carpeting will be re-installed to eliminate ripples in the flooring.



In the coming weeks, we'll also put out an all-call for volunteers to help move desks and furnishings out of classrooms for summer cleaning (and later, back again). This really helped out last summer and those volunteers suggested that we repeat the process. The timing will depend on the hallway painting schedule...watch for e-mails!



There will be a definite "new look" when school begins this fall thanks to the effort of many volunteers and the added workload that Jim Schmidt, Scott Helnes, and the Maintenance Crew has taken on! Lots to do...so little time!

sports exams needed

Students involved in inter-scholastic athletics are required to have a physical examination prior to participation in the athletic program. Generally these exams are good for two years. With the beginning of inter-scholastic participation in 5th grade, students will generally need a physical before 5th grade and again before 7th grade.

5th through 8th graders participating in fall volleyball will need their physical form on file before they are allowed to practice. Basketball participants will need a physical form on file by November 1st.

Forms are available in the school office and at the LINKS section of the school website.

It is suggested that appointments be made before the August rush. Be sure to have the doctor complete the Holy Angels Form. WIAA forms will not be accepted.

fourth quarter academic honor roll

Congratulations to the following junior high students who earned distinction by being named to the Academic Honor Roll for the fourth quarter. Students with a 3.00 GPA are recognized on the Honor Roll. Those with a 3.50 GPA or higher (*) are awarded high honors.

Sixth Grade: Jack Bell*, Aislinn Carey*, Madeline Ciriacks*, Sophie Dahlberg*, Natalie Daute*, Jackson Davies, Ellie Eckert*, Peyton Fountain, Amber Georgenson, Allison Glaszcz*, Delanie Heinen*, Thaddeus Jamieson*, Estella Lambie, Jonah Nagel, Nicholas Paul, Caroline Peplinski*, Nathan Ratzel, Emily Rauch*, Kaylee Schiller*, Alex Schneeberger, Fiona Shaw*, Mya Spaar, Calen Stanek, Tyler Tennes*, Olivia Walker*, Nora Walter*, Samuel Wiedmeyer*, and Matthew Zier.

Seventh Grade: Ericka Beistle*, Lydia Bollen, Lola Chemer*, Richard Conlin*, Brooke Deppert, Jonathan Dorow*, Blake Ericson, Isaac Fichtner, Alex Gonzalez, Aiden Guse, Joseph Held*, Michael Kleinhans*, Daniel Krause, Hailey Matenaer, Will Mueller*, Leah Nagel*, Jacob Rauch, Brandon Reichardt, Leah Rosene, Konnor Sadownikow*, Owen Schmidt*, Hannah Schroeder*, Isabelle Sternig*, Keegan Tennes, Nicholas Whittle, Caitlin Wohlt, Avelina Wolfe, and Greta Zier*.

Eighth Grade: Taylor Chemer*, Kate Davies, Casey Gerber, Andrew Glaszcz*, Curtis Holbrook, Morgan Krause*, Elizabeth Meurer*, Payton Rossebo, Veronica Sadownikow*, Christian Spaeth, Tyler Stanek, Aaron Tennes*, Brooke Voelker, Nate Waech, Jordyn Wedemayer*, Laura Zautner*, and Joseph Zimmer*.

golf classic to fund science equipment

The 14th annual Holy Angels Golf Classic will again be held on a Friday (instead of filling a Sunday) with participants in this year's Classic having an opportunity to "play hooky" at the end of a work week in support of our school. The place is West Bend Lakes Golf Course and the date is Friday, August 4th. The day will begin with a light breakfast before the 8:00am shotgun start. Foursomes will play a "scramble" format (which means that even if your round is anything like the principal's, you can still have a good time!).

Following a fun-filled morning of accurate drives and well-read putts, golfers will be treated to lunch in the WB Lakes clubhouse. Of course, some of the time on the course may involve finding wayward shots in the water (it is called "lakes").



There will be prizes for action on the course (including a putting contest), and raffle items in the clubhouse. This year's Classic again promises as much fun as past events while providing an early start to a summertime weekend...all in support of Holy Angels School. More information and links to registration forms are posted on the school website.

Over the past thirteen years, the Golf Classic has generated well over \$100,000 for Holy Angels School.

The funds have been used to acquire lunchroom tables and desks for classrooms, and to help purchase textbooks for math, social studies and science.

Most recently, funds have been used to purchase new rolling bookcases for the classrooms to replace old worn out ones with something that matches the new cabinetry. This year's funds will be used to purchase science equipment and materials for next year's revised science curriculum.

Many thanks to Phil Dahlberg and other committee members for putting together this year's event. We are still looking for volunteers to help on the day of the Golf Classic on the course and in the clubhouse. If you can spare a Friday morning, please contact Phil at 305-3063 (you'll have a fun time even if you don't like golf).

In addition, we are looking for more event sponsors. Supporters can sponsor a hole, provide hole prizes, donate door prizes, or anything else that might come to mind! There's information on the school's website.

keeping kids safe: be informed

In conjunction with the Archdiocese's efforts to protect children from abuse, all parish employees and volunteers who have regular contact with children must participate in the Safe Environment Education (SEE). The program had been called the Safeguarding All God's Family or VIRTUS training program. For volunteers, the program involves attending a three-hour training session and passing a criminal records check.

The training session is a one-time requirement for those who work with children. This includes activities such as field trip/event chaperone, classroom aide, coach, playground supervisor, and activity coordinator. We're hopeful that this requirement will not prevent parents from being involved with our students, but rather assure everyone's safety.

To sign up for a training session and to begin the process for the background check, go to the archdiocesan website...www.archmil.org. In the lower right corner, click on "Safe Environment" to be directed to a listing of sessions and directions for beginning the process.

Joseph Heit has been providing the training sessions here for parish and school volunteers. Sessions will be scheduled at Holy Angels in the fall for new parents, catechists and coaches.

Parents can still receive valuable information from the VIRTUS website. There is a lot of good reading and a wealth of information available for parents on the site: <www.virtus.org>. Parents can also access the recent bulletins using the link section of the HA School website.

brewers recognize student achievers

Several Holy Angels junior high students were recently recognized for their academic achievement and effort through the Student Achiever Awards Program sponsored by the Brewers Community Foundation.

Congratulations to eighth graders Joseph Zimmer, Taylor Chemer, Andrew Glaszcz, and Ronnie Sadownikow; and seventh graders Hannah Schroeder, Will Mueller, and Konnor Sadownikow. They each received a certificate and tickets to a brewers game.

GRADUATING CLASS OF 2017

Quentin Butschlick
Taylor Chemer
Kate Davies
Casey Gerber
Andrew Glaszcz
Curtis Holbrook
Morgan Krause

Elizabeth Meurer
Jack Peters
Payton Rossebo
Veronica Sadownikow
Christian Spaeth
Tyler Stanek
Brady Steier

Aaron Tennies
Brodyn Tilidetzke
Brooke Voelker
Nate Waech
Jordyn Wedemayer
Laura Zautner
Joseph Zimmer

President's Academic Achiever Awards

Taylor Chemer
Kate Davies
Andrew Glaszcz

Elizabeth Meurer
Veronica Sadownikow
Joseph Zimmer

Morgan Krause
Aaron Tennies
Laura Zautner

SCHOOL RECOGNITION AWARDS

Best Attendance K-8

Curtis Holbrook

8th Grade

Kate Davies
Andrew Glaszcz
Payton Rossebo

Academic Achievement

Joseph Zimmer

Christian Spirit and Values

Mary Cay Muckerheide Schmidt Memorial

Casey Gerber

Spirit and Enthusiasm for Learning

Laura Zautner

Service

Morgan Krause
Veronica Sadownikow

Academic Effort

Joseph Zimmer

Attitude and Improvement

Christian Spaeth

Accelerated Reader Award

Taylor Chemer

Shirley Rice Memorial Award

Awarded to the student of Holy Angels in recognition for scholastic achievement, character development and participation in school activities.

Morgan Krause
Laura Zautner

Robert K. / Mary P. Schroeder Memorial Award

Awarded to the student of Holy Angels in recognition for outstanding character, scholastic and athletic effort and achievement.

Veronica Sadownikow

Subject Awards (achievement, improvement, effort)

Religion: Joseph Zimmer (ach), Jordyn Wedemayer (imp), Kate Davies (eff)

Lang. Arts: Joseph Zimmer (ach), Payton Rossebo (imp), Laura Zautner (eff)

Literature: Joseph Zimmer (ach), Nate Waech (imp), Morgan Krause (eff)

Science: Laura Zautner (ach), Veronica Sadownikow (imp), Christian Spaeth (imp), Morgan Krause (eff)

Pre-Algebra: Aaron Tennies (ach), Jordyn Wedemayer (imp), Nate Waech (eff)

Algebra: Andrew Glaszcz (ach), Christian Spaeth (imp), Joseph Zimmer (eff)

Social Studies: Andrew Glaszcz (ach), Brooke Voelker (imp), Nate Waech (eff)

Music: Laura Zautner (ach), Nate Waech (eff)

Art: Morgan Krause (ach), Taylor Chemer (imp), Joseph Zimmer (eff)

Phy Ed: Elizabeth Meurer (ach), Casey Gerber (ach), Andrew Glaszcz (imp)

Health: Andrew Glaszcz (ach), Morgan Krause (eff), Laura Zautner (eff)

Spanish: Taylor Chemer (ach), Curtis Holbrook (imp), Laura Zautner (eff)

German: Andrew Glaszcz (ach), Joseph Zimmer (ach), Veronica Sadownikow (eff), Nate Waech (eff)

Chinese: Kate Davies (ach), (imp), (eff)