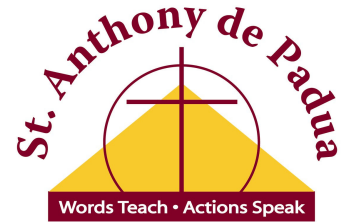


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HASA Spring Newsletter



Home & School Association

St. Anthony de Padua Catholic School

Recap of Annual Expenditures:

- \$4000 Pre-K3 Start-up
- \$5000 Tuition Assistance
- \$5000 Teacher Mini-Grants
- \$1000 Magnifikid Subscriptions
- \$900 Textbooks
- \$1000 History Day Expenses
- \$2000 Playground Mulch & Pads (pending)
- \$1000 Year-End Mass & Teacher SCRIP (pending)

President's Corner

Greetings to all! It has truly been my pleasure to serve as your HASA President this year. I am grateful to HASA for the opportunities it has given me to help out at school and also the chance to meet new people and form wonderful friendships. I strongly encourage anyone who is feeling the urge to become (more) involved at school to take the plunge and "jump in" (whether a little jump or a big leap!). We all work together to accomplish good things! HASA volunteer forms for next school year are available in the office, and there will be many opportunities to volunteer in the fall as well. We have a tremendous school community, which is a great blessing to be able to serve.

THANK YOU for your support of HASA throughout the year. . .and every year! At our May meeting, we installed the HASA Executive Board for the 2011-12 school year – a wonderful group with a bright year ahead! Angie Faccenda serves as the HASA President, Gisella Foust continues as Secretary, Sheri Cheek is the Treasurer, and Beth Badics joins on as the Assistant Treasurer. And a special thank you to Dawn Roth who is rolling off the board after serving as Treasurer this year and Assistant Treasurer last year.

I hope you all have a safe, healthy, and happy summer!

Many Blessings,

Jenny Miller, HASA President, 2010-11

Bouquet of Thank You's

BETSY WILLIAMS for her coordination of Teacher Appreciation.

SHANNON GUINAN for coordinating birthday lunches for all of our extra special teachers and staff.

SUE MARTINEZ for organizing HASA's committee chairs and volunteers.

And a very special, GREAT BIG, THANK YOU to CYNTHIA SPALDING and LINDA WEBER – long time HASA chairs who will have children graduated from St. Anthony's after this year!!



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Volunteers Needed for Fall

We are in need of **Hot Lunch Volunteer Substitutes**. Interested parties would possibly need to be available on short notice if the regularly scheduled lunch ladies are unavailable to work on a given day. The lunch periods run from 10:30a.m.-1:00p.m. Please contact Jane Kiley 273-8442 jmk745@comcast.net or Sue Martinez 291-6055 fransuem@sbcglobal.net if interested. We would very much appreciate your support as this is a new program for our school. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

“God and angels don't get paid even though theirs is some of the most important work around. Ditto for volunteers.”

~Cherishe Archer

Run, Panther, Run Success

Thank you to all who sponsored, volunteered and participated in this year's Run, Panther, Run. With your help, we were able to raise \$12,000 towards tuition assistance for children in our school.

This year's event welcomed more professional runners than ever before. Many were return runners from previous years. We've gotten many positive comments from them and they enjoy including our race among their annual runs of choice. Better yet was the support of our community, who came out on a drizzling Saturday morning in April to support our school. Thank you all! You're the best!

Panther Host Families Needed

Thank you to all who have responded that they would like to serve as a Panther Host Family next year! We still need a dozen more families to help us welcome new families and share our Panther Pride as they transition into our school community.

We hope that new families will be partnered with Panthers that will help them learn the ropes and get to know both our parish and school communities.

If you are interested, please contact Michelle Kuehn by e-mail at michelle_kuehn@hotmail.com