



Our Lady of the Valley Catholic School

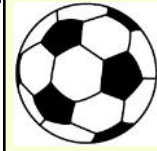
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UPCOMING ANNOUNCEMENTS:

October 3-5th



Thursday-Saturday
High School Soccer
Tournament.

Help is needed at our concession stand. Also, if anyone has kerosene or gas heaters available to use please let Simona know 907-354-4126.

10/17: Teacher workday-NO SCHOOL
10/18: Parent teacher conference-NO SCHOOL

10/23: Picture day

10/25: OLV Halloween Fest

Wednesday, pick up will be at the All Saint's Activity Center. Please do not park.

CONGRATULATIONS OLV DEFENDERS JR. HIGH SOCCER TEAM CHAMPIONS!



From Mrs. Lund: Congratulations to the OLV Middle School soccer team for winning the Alaska Association of Christian Schools Co-Ed tournament. Our four players were Sara Campbell, Sammy & Daisy Gerteisen and Alessandra Alberton. The 1st place trophy is traveling to the classrooms of the players along with the team photo each day this week.

Thank you to all the parents that worked the concession stand this past weekend. OLV has an amazing team of volunteers, always striving for excellence in all they do. There were many compliments for the amazing food and the organization of the venue. OLV families contributed in a variety of way such as donating the use of a trailer, generator, coolers, roaster pans, coffee urns for heating water and many other items that were needed. Each evening the concession stand was taken down and put up again the following morning. Call the office, 376-0883 or Mrs. Benshetler at 354-4126, if you are able to help with set-up and take down this weekend or to help sell. Our concession sales have been significant for the school and would not be possible without the parent volunteers. This weekend we host the High School Co-Ed School Soccer tournament at the Berberich Field in Palmer. Sara Campbell is on the High School Team. Come out and support your DEFENDER team!

\$5 HOT LUNCH

10/1: Chili dogs, vegetable, dessert & drink

10/3: Tacos, vegetables, dessert & drink

10/8: Chicken strips, vegetable, dessert & drink

10/10: Grilled cheese & tomato soup, dessert & drink



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

SEPTEMBER:

- 3-Jack
- 8-Lincoln
- 11-Alessandra
- 14-Mr. Lund
- 15-Caoimhe
- 17-Mrs. Grisso, Axel & Nathaniel
- 21-Charlotte
- 28-Daniel Hsu & Henry
- 29-Emily
- 30-Gage B.

OCTOBER:

- 1-Regan
- 2-Ethan B.
- 6-Sammy
- 7-Suliana
- 8-Coast
- 12-Ethan N.
- 13-Cora
- 18-James
- 19-Mrs. Almenas
- 21-Aoife
- 28-Mrs. Waisanen

HALLOWEEN FEST: Friday, October 25th

6-8pm Sacred Heart Social Hall. Please let the office know if you are interested in: serving food, set up, decorations, sponsor a game table, clean up, baking for the cake walk etc.

It's going to be a SPOOKTACULAR night



Volunteers needed! Help create pillow items for Our Lady of the Valley table at the annual vendor fair. Volunteers are needed to cut, sew and stuff. All proceeds go directly back to the school. If you are interested in volunteering your time and skills or know of someone, please contact parent Sarah Eby at 907-903-3403. Thank you.



I will be out of the office this Wednesday to the following Wednesday. Mrs. Shelly will be in the office as needed. If needed, I can be reached via email.

Have a great week! Karen Smith, Admin. Asst. 907-376-0883 (office) 907-232-6416 (cell/text) Email: ksmith@valleycatholicschool.org

PVO Parent Volunteer Organization

Meetings are the last Sunday of the month following 11:30am Mass in the Saint Christopher Bldg.



OLV ANNUAL VENDOR FAIR: Saturday, November 16th 9-3pm Sacred Heart Social Hall. Vendor tables are \$30 each. Applications for a table can be found on our website at olvwasilla.com or in the office.

Soup is needed for our OLV Café, as well as servers and clean up crew. Soup sign up sheet will be going home next month. Thank you!



November 23, 2019: TEXAS HOLD'EM POKER TOURNAMENT

American Legion Post 15, 1500 Mystic Cir., Palmer

\$100 buy-in donation for food & fun!

Players check in at 5pm Shuffle & Deal at 6pm

Lots of prizes, including a \$300 cash door prize. First prize earns bragging rights, trophy, an entry into the next Poker Tourney and more!

We will need help in organizing, set-up, clean-up, food preparing, and dealers. If you can help, let us know. Thank you Nick McDermott for chairing this event.

ALL ABOARD!! December 5th Polar Express train trip to Talkeetna. Let me know now if you would like to come aboard! Students that are enrolled in Mat-Su Central will automatically have their fee of \$20 (reduced from \$25) taken out. Those that are not enrolled with Mat-Su Central can pay OLV directly. Adults can pay the school directly as well; *The cost has increased to \$79.* This includes train and bus transportation back. **Seats are limited for adults and is on a first come first serve paid basis.** Please let me know asap if your child(ren) will NOT be on the train and/or if they will be joining us in Talkeetna via private vehicle.

Next auction meeting; November 8th 5:30-7pm meeting space TBA.

