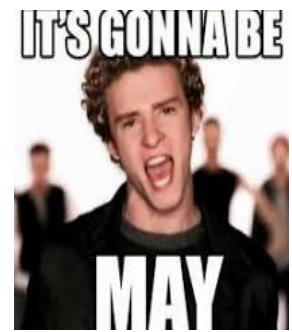


Catholic Academy's Weekly Newsletter



Adventure Awaits

April 30, 2025

	Thurs. 5/1 Principal's Day! Bundtlet Fundraiser ends. Pre-Sale Meat Raffle orders due.	Fri. 5/2 Mass Gr. 4-8 Pre-K 4 & K pictures 11am dismissal K-8 Faculty Meeting CANF Meat Raffle at St. Leo's	Sat. 5/3 Happy Birthday Miss Bianca!
Mon. 5/5 Gr. 3-5 NYS Math CBT Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week Begins	Tues. 5/6 Gr. 3-5 NYS Math CBT Gr. 6/7 O'Hara visit - 1pm After School Clubs	Wed. 5/7	

SCHOOL NEWS:

Please join us for our beautiful **May Crowning Ceremony** on Friday, May 16th at 1pm in the church. Please refer to the special notes that will be sent home or emailed from your child's teacher with further instructions. ALL grades are to dress up in their Sunday Best (no Jeans). First Communion children are to wear their First Communion clothes.

Sports Pictures are enclosed in today's folder.

Interstate Pictures and Order forms - 3rd Grade First Communion and 8th Grade Graduation pictures will be taken on Friday, May 16th.

Do you work during the summer or just want some personal YOU time? Save your child(ren)'s spot for our **CANF Summer Camp**! Sign up NOW! Students entering Grades K-5 can attend July 14-18 from 8:30-2:30 for only \$150! Please be sure to complete the form and send in payment.

→ Is 5 days too much? Here is another option: If you don't want to send your child for the full 5 days, you can send them for just a few days. It will be \$35 a day. Fill out the form and note the days you are attending.

Support our 8th Grade Graduation! The 8th Graders will be selling ice cream treats during lunches on Wednesday, May 14 and Thursday, May 15 in lieu of the cafeteria's sales. More information to come next week!

YOU are the best advocates, and we need YOU to help increase enrollment!

We have been working over break on getting some ideas into play. A school flyer should be ready to go this week. If you own a business we ask that you put the flyer up to advertise for our wonderful school. If you are willing to help us hang up flyers, we would really appreciate it!

The **Title 1 Eligibility (blue) forms** went home about a month ago. They are enclosed once again in today's folder. Simply returning the completed form goes a long way in helping us secure State funding for our school. Please return **TOMORROW** as the deadline is approaching,

FSA still needs your help to make **Teacher & Staff Appreciation** week a success. It is next week so please sign up using this link so we can assess what we still need to purchase. If you don't want to shop, remember that monetary donations are acceptable as well! Thank you in advance! If you already signed up, please remember to send in your donations or items before the day needed.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A45A5A72EA0FDC16-55972578-teacher>

SPORTS & CLUB UPDATES:

- ★ **Volleyball** - The Volleyball Championship tournament will be at Cardinal O'Hara tomorrow, May 1st. We play at 4 and if we win, we play for the trophy at 6pm. The All-Star Game will be next Tuesday.
- ★ Our **After-School Clubs** continue every Tuesday until 3pm ending on May 20th!
- ★ **Chorus Club** continues every Wednesday.

- ★ **SAVE THE DATE** - We will be having a Chorus and Band Spring Performance on Thursday, May 22 at 1pm in half of the gym. It will also be LIVE streamed for those who are unable to attend.

FUNDRAISING UPDATES:

- We hope to see you at our 1st **Meat Raffle**, which is just 2 days away, Friday, May 2!!! Pre-Sale orders are due tomorrow and are enclosed in today's folder. Please sign up for your group now and return tomorrow! We also need more volunteers so if you can help, please let us know! Remember that you can participate and volunteer at the same time! We need everyone's help to make this extra fundraiser a success.
 - ◆ If you have already ordered your tickets or are volunteering, they are enclosed in today's folder! Thank you!
- The **Nothing but Bundt Cake Fundraiser** ends tomorrow, May 1st. Each cake sells for \$7 and will be delivered on May 9th (just in time for Mother's Day). Order forms are in today's folder again. Checks can be made payable to CANF.
- **Spirit Wear** should be delivered this week. Then the office staff will need to organize and pack orders. More information to come.
- **Art Festival, Food Trucks, our Scholastic Book Fair, & Cake Auction** will be held on Thursday, May 22nd! There will be NO After School Care!
 - ❖ School doors will **open** at 4pm and close at 7pm to look at artwork throughout the school.
 - ❖ **Art Festival** events will run from 5-6:30pm.
 - ❖ **Food Trucks** - runs from 4-6:30pm.
 - *We will be selling drinks (pop/water/juice boxes).
 - ❖ **Scholastic Book Fair** will run May 19-22 during lunches and May 22 from 4-7pm. HELP NEEDED! If you would like to sign up to work during school lunches that week, please complete and return the form or email Mrs. Edel - aedel@catholicacademynf.org.
 - ❖ **2nd Annual Cake Auction** (4-6:30pm)- We are encouraging families to bake creative creations (cakes, cupcakes)! See enclosed flyer for details! The last bid at 6:30pm and winners will immediately be announced. Winners must be present to take home their goodie as this event is followed by a 4-day weekend!
 - Looking for a spearhead to help with this part of the event! Please contact Principal Richards if you are interested.

Important End of the Year June Dates:

- ★ 2-6 - Final Assessments Gr. 3-8
- ★ 9 - Walkathon & CANF Polar Spray
- ★ 11 - End of the Year Programs - Pre-K 3, 4 & K
 - 8:30am Pre-K 3 End of the Year Program & last day
 - 10:30am Pre-K 4 End of the Year Program & last day
 - 12:30pm Kindergarten Graduation and last day
- ★ 12 - 8th Grade Graduation 6:30pm
- ★ 16 - Game Day
- ★ 17 - 8:30am Closing Liturgy & Awards for Grades 1-7; 10:30am dismissal



Cake Auction

Who? Any CANF child(ren) and family

How does it work? Your family would make a creative cake, cupcakes, and bring it in on Thursday, May 22nd by 3pm. During the Art Festival, everyone is welcome to look around and bid on the creations. At 6:30pm, whoever has the highest bid will pay by cash or Venmo and take the baked item home!

What can we make? a cake, cupcakes

Why? We would love to not only raise money for the school but to encourage families to be creative and bake/shop together!

Tips from last year: You can buy a plain cake from the store then decorate, etc.

If you have any questions, please contact Principal Richards.



Cake Auction Interest form

Yes, our family is interested in baking a creative creation for the Cake Auction on May 22nd.

Child(ren)'s name: _____

of items: _____

Scholastic Book Fair Volunteer Sign Up

Parent's name: _____

Child's Grade: ____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____



Please circle the days and time you are available to work or email
aedel@catholicacademynf.org:

May 19

May 20

May 21

May 22

10:30-1:30

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4-7

Thank you for volunteering to work the Book Fair! Mrs. Edel will
contact you.