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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
AUG 28	AUG 29	AUG 30	AUG 31	SEPT. 1	SEPT. 2	SEPT. 3
MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8		
4:00 PM HNS Golf Match 5:30 PM Boys Soccer Vs. Daviess Co. 6:30 PM irls Soccer Vs. South	8:00 AM 8th Grade Poster Pictures 5:30 PM HNS Volleyball Vs. North	SPIRIT DRESS DAY Students and staff may wear any HNS shirt with uniform bottoms in support of the HNS soccer team. SPIRIT GAMES 5:30 PM Girls Soccer Vs. North 6:30 PM Boys Soccer Vs. North	8:00 AM All School Mass 2:12 PM Middle School Leadership Class 4:00 PM HNS Golf Match 5:30 PM HNS Volleyball @ Burns	Students may wear HoUSe shirts with uniform bottoms!		

MAP TESTING

MAP Testing begins Monday, August 28th and wraps up on Friday, September 1st. We're excited to see what our Cardinals know and begin tracking their growth for the 2023-2024 school year.

This is the first opportunity for our Cardinals to earn LOTS of house points for giving their best effort, meeting their goals, showing growth from last school year, and/or performing at a high level.

- We have set goals and talked about good test taking habits here at school.
- We need your help at home.

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- Ensure that your Cardinal is present at school on his/her testing day(s).
- Ensure that your Cardinal arrives at school on time on his/her testing day(s).
- Ensure that your Cardinal gets plenty of rest each night before testing.
- Ensure that your Cardinal eats a good breakfast each morning before testing. (Don't forget about the option to eat breakfast in the HNS cafeteria).
- Remind your Cardinal to take his/her time and to give his/her best effort.

Let's Rock this round of MAP Testing, HNS!

LABOR DAY

NO SCHOOL

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

SPIRIT DRESS DAY - HOUSE POINTS

All students and staff may wear ANY HNS shirt with uniform bottoms in support of the Middle School Soccer Team on Wednesday, August 30th. Everyone who participates by wearing a non-uniform HNS shirt will earn 10 House Points.

All students that attend the spirit game(s) will earn 10 additional House Points. Be sure to check in with the HNS

Staff House Committee Member to receive points!





FALL FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

HNS is in need of volunteers that are willing to step forward and help with the Fall Festival! At this time only 49% of the volunteer slots have been filled.

> Grab a friend and sign-up for a time! <u>Click here to volunteer!</u>

If you have questions contact Terra Hurtte <u>thurtte@holynamescool.org</u>



Announcement of Collaboration with the Institute for School and Parish Development (ISPD)

As Holy Name School continues to assess the present and plan for the future, we are pleased to announce that we are entering into a strategic planning process over the next 6-8 months with the Institute of School and Parish Development (ISPD). Headquartered in the Greater New Orleans, Louisiana area. ISPD is a national Catholic consulting firm that works with Catholic schools and parishes throughout the country in strategic planning, marketing and overall school resource development.

As our school and ISPD begin the process, here are the key steps:

- 1. An Executive Committee (EC), made up of school leaders, is already in place. This EC will be responsible for facilitating the strategic planning process and for making final decisions while assuring the steps in the process are communicated to our school families and stakeholders.
- 2. An ISPD consultant conducted an in-person initial assessment this past summer at Holy Name School with a small group of stakeholders. Through the personal interviews conducted and information or materials provided by the EC, ISPD has identified areas of our school that are impressive, those areas that need improvement or development, and those areas that we can begin to immediately work to improve.
- 3. A Core Team of 15-20 school/parish representative leaders has been formed to serve as the "steering wheel" to the process.
- 4. A communication plan will be developed to make sure that our school families are kept informed throughout this process in the coming months, especially how they may become involved.
- 5. Educational sessions will be conducted with school leaders in regard to overall school development/advancement/enrollment management. These educational sessions will be based upon best practices and proven methods that ISPD has developed for Catholic schools.
- 6. Ultimately, based upon the ISPD Initial Assessment and upon discussions with the Executive Committee and Core Team, 8-10 challenges will be created in the area of school operational vitality.
- 7. A Development Advisory Committee of 60 80 people will be formed in order to solve the challenges that have been created. They will work together over 3-4 workshops.
- 8. A school-wide Convocation will be held, in which all school families will be invited in order to offer their solutions to the Challenges that surface in the planning process.
- 9. Based upon the input, ISPD and the Executive Committee will create the School Strategic Plan of Action for HNS.
- 10. Communication of the results and priorities of the Strategic Plan will be presented to the school.
- 11. Implementation will begin immediately after the Final Plan is presented with hopefully much involvement from parents, staff, school alumni, parishioners, and friends.

The focus of this process will be built around the theme of personally inviting and engaging people every step of the way. We invite all staff, parishioners, parents, and friends to pray for the success of this effort.

We look forward to this exciting process -- one that will create a plan of operational vitality for Holy Name School, advance the mission of our school and parish community, and bring our school community closer as we continue to build God's Kingdom.

Sincerely in Christ,

The HNS Executive Committee: Julie Eadens, Judy Jenkins, Emma Bridges, Lyndsay Koonce, Terra Hurtte and Valerie Beckert

ITEMS NEEDED !!!!

LIVE AUCTION

Donations of gently used furniture, household items, toys, and more are now being accepted for our live auction.

SILENT AUCTION

The silent auction is in need of new items and gift certificates for things like Salon Services, Tax Preparation, Gym Memberships, etc. For questions concerning the silent auction please contact Julie Eadens at jeadens@holynameschool.org

COUNTRY STORE & COIN TOSS

The Country Store & Coin Toss booths are in need of clean but used glassware, old fall décor & knick-knacks. All items can be dropped off in the school office.



FALL FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS



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Raffle tickets were sent home with students last week! The raffle is an important part of the Fall Festival fundraiser. Please make every effort to sell at least 10 tickets! If you need additional tickets, please contact Rosemary Bridges rbridgeseholynameschool.org

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Ticket stubs and money can be returned to the school office in a sealed envelope labeled "Raffle Tickets", turned in at the church office or turned in at the Raffle Booth at the Fall Festival.

LEND-A-HAND VOLUNTEER HOURS

Be sure to log your volunteer hours in the Family Portal!

- Click here to log in to the HNS Family Portal
- Then click "Family"

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- The name of each family member will populate in a drop down box toward the center of the page
- Select the parent that completed the hours
- Then press Add
- Enter the description information
- Don't forget to hit save!

SUGGESTED FAMILY VOLUNTEER HOURS:

12 HOURS FOR SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES 24 HOURS FOR 2 PARENT FAMILIES 36 HOURS FOR THOSE RECEIVING TUITION ASSISTANCE

Fall Festival is the largest volunteer opportunity of the school year. Sign up today to volunteer! <u>Click here</u> to volunteer!







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