



IMPORTANT DATES/UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 15 Kindergarten Screening
- March 16 Noon Dismissal (Faculty Meeting)
- March 17 First Reconciliation at 12:00 pm
- March 23 School Mass at 9:15 am
- March 23 7th Grade Fish Fry at 4:00 pm

FROM THE DESK OF MR. KAPPERMAN

Dear Parents,

Gifted Day Off (Reprint): The day off that was given to us from the Catholic School’s Week gameshow will be on Friday, May 4th. This will give everyone a well deserved long weekend immediately following the New York State testing. Please mark your calendars accordingly.

Pledge of Nonviolence: As a follow up to the prayer service that was held today I am sending home a “Pledge for Nonviolence” that I would encourage you to display and use with your children at home. Peace and acceptance begins with us!

Yearbook Orders Due: Second reminder that ALL yearbook orders are due no later than Thursday, March 15th.

Accolades: Casey LaForce and Grayson Warner, both ICS 7th Graders and members of the Aurora Ice Pee Wee Travel Hockey Team, had a great finish to the winter hockey season. This past weekend they assisted their team in winning the Pee Wee level NCCYHL Tournament in Fredonia with a final score of 1-0 in the Championship game.

Congratulations to Bethany Humphrey, grade 7, and Bridget Martin, grade 8, who sang the national anthem on Saturday, March 10th at the Adams Mark Hotel.

Sound and Soul Gala 2018 was a charity event supporting the Buffalo Hearing and Speech Center.

Congratulations!



SCIENCE LAB

Save your breath

Your youngster can inflate a balloon without using his breath. A chemical reaction will do the job for him!

You'll need: empty plastic soda bottle (20 fl. oz.), ¼ cup water, 1 tsp. baking soda, uninflated balloon, lemon juice

Here's how: Have your child add the water and baking soda to the bottle, close the cap, and swirl it around until the water is cloudy. Then, help him stretch out the

balloon and place the opening over the top of the bottle, leaving a small space. He should very quickly add a little lemon juice, seal the balloon completely over the bottle, and shake lightly.

What happens? The balloon inflates.

Why? When you mix an acid (lemon juice) with a base (baking soda), they create carbon dioxide. The molecules spread out as the gas forms, pushing against the walls of the balloon and causing it to inflate. 📦



Amazon Smile: Please remember to link your Amazon account to Immaculate Conception School. It is easy and free and gives money to our school with each purchase you make to support your child's education. Thank you!

Supervision at Events: Please! Please! Please! When at ANY after hours event at the School, be sure that you are supervising your children so that we can keep them safe and out of trouble. Your assistance with this is greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,

Scott C. Kapper
Scott C. Kapperman M.S., Ed.

ICS Principal



“The first step to acceptance is realizing that there are some things in your life that you cannot change.”





THANK YOU

We sincerely would like to thank each and every one of you for assisting with the 2018 Pot o' Gold in some way. Without you, the event would not have been such a success!

Some of you helped "behind the scenes" for months prior by stuffing envelopes with the initial letter and tickets, gathering all the Pot o' Gold envelopes that came in, routing the envelopes, answering multiple questions, advertising, seeking donations, assisting with info for the licenses, selling the Pot o' Gold tickets, contacting families to give them that extra push to get their tickets in, assisting with communication, filing the ticket stubs, providing input/suggestions and for being such great support.

Many thanks to Jeff Smaszcz, Hubba and the Seventh and Eighth Graders for setting up all the tables and chairs, and getting us all set with the microphones, speakers and anything else we needed.

Special thanks to the Kindergarten, First and Second Grade students for their festive artwork this year! The leprechauns, shamrocks and rainbow to the pot of gold really brightened up our bland walls.

Thank you to those that came to set up the evening prior. Some of you even recruited your family members and we were finished in record time!

And, to all the volunteers the night of the event, you all played a crucial role and we are forever grateful for your assistance. Catherine, once again, your homemade desserts were amazing! So beautiful and delicious! Patrons were eating, drinking, socializing and spending money! They all seemed to be having a great time. Hopefully you were able to enjoy yourselves as well!

Lincoln Cutting, a million thanks for your brewer expertise! You really helped to save the evening!

We cannot forget the clean-up crew. You all took charge and stepped right in to make it look like the event never even took place.

Finally, we'd like to personally thank Leayn & Dan Flaherty for their extremely generous donation of one thousand numbered chips that were used for the 2018 Pot o' Gold drawing and will be used at all future Pot o' Gold drawings.

May God continue to bless each and every one of you!

Have a wonderful St. Patrick's Day!

Our deepest gratitude,
Kim Lorenzo
Becky Davidson

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SEVENTH GRADE

 **FISH FRY** 

4 - 7 p.m. FRIDAY, MARCH 23

Dine-In* or Take Out

Fish.....\$12

Breaded Shrimp.....\$12

Chicken Fingers.....\$8

**All meals include dessert, roll and butter,
French fries and coleslaw**

***Dine-in includes drink**

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