



Pacelli Post

Educating the Heart and Mind

November 2, 2022

Cardinal Pacelli School's Mission

Cardinal Pacelli, parish school of Our Lord Christ the King, is driven by Christian values, committed to academic excellence, strengthened by a nurturing community and dedicated to educating both the heart and mind, while serving the Lord.



Mrs. Cento's Weekly Message

Dear Pacelli Families & Friends,

November 2nd recognizes All Souls Day in the Catholic Church. Most of us know the origins of Halloween and All Saints Day – Holyday but some forget about all those souls who have not made it to heaven yet and need our prayers. To become more familiar with All Souls Day please [Click Here](#).

All Holy Souls, our prayers and Mass offerings are directed to you this day, in the hope that what we do on earth may benefit your advancement toward a fully divine life in heaven where you may, in turn, pray that we may one day join you there. May God's grace abound, Amen.

School Lunch Kaldi's Catering provides our students with school lunches. Parents set up an account and add funds for their children to purchase lunch at school. It was brought to my attention that we have families with significant negative balances. [CLICK HERE](#) for the details on how the lunch program works. Here are a couple of highlights:

- Low balance alerts are sent Tuesday and Thursday for balances less than \$15.00.
- Delinquent balance alerts are sent daily once the balance drops below \$0.
- A balance summary is sent to all accounts weekly on Sunday. This is a great way to monitor your child's spending.
- Lunch service will be limited to a single entrée and beverage daily once an account reaches \$-10.00. Lunch service will be suspended once an account reaches \$-20.00

Some of the balances are much below the \$-20.00 to Kaldi's Catering. Kaldi's discovered that the

towards the resolution of this glitch in the system. In the meantime, can you please take a few minutes to visit your child's account to check on your balance and bring it current if it is negative?



Ghoulish Games & SVDP Food Drive Thank you to Student Council and the 8th grade who worked so hard on the games and the food and personal care items drive for St. Vincent DePaul. I was truly AMAZED at the number of donations we received to help the needy in our community. We worked in tandem with Christ the King Parish on this act of service. During the pickup of the items, we were told we had collected more items than the entire parish!

Kudos to all of you!! There was also so much fun and excitement during Ghoulish Games and it was an incredible school family bonding moment for everyone.



Uniform Change November 1st through March 31st students need to put their shorts aside and wear their long uniform pants and their solid Navy blue or black sweatpants for PE class. I never thought it would be so difficult to describe the color, navy-blue. I just learned last year that every color has a pantone to help printers and designers specify and control colors for printing projects. Apparently, vendors have a similar issue when designating navy-blue.

Although I do not know the pantone of our navy-blue color, navy-blue to Cardinal Pacelli students match the color of our navy-blue uniform pants and shorts. As far as our uniform goes, any other shade is not navy. Of course, black is also acceptable for sweatpants. Solids are hard to find but do your best. However, I am not fine with more distracting design features. In the future, all students should be in the approved uniform apparel for PE which includes orange Pacelli T-shirt, uniform PE shorts and uniform approved sweat/athletic pants.

Ladies, no leggings, tights, or yoga pants for PE class. These can be worn under a uniform skirt or jumper to help keep your legs warm but not uniform for PE days.

Some students have purchased from Spirit Wear, gray Pacelli branded sweatpants. Unfortunately, these and any other gray sweat pant cannot be worn for PE class. **Navy-blue** spirit wear sweat/athletic pants are available through Athletics several times per school year and are approved for PE class.

We are partnered with Queen City Spirit for approved uniform needs throughout the entire school year. They also have some Spirit Wear (Pacelli Wear) selections. [Click Here](#) for more detailed information on the Uniform Approved Apparel which include gym uniforms and Pacelli Wear for your spirit wear needs.

I spoke with all the students yesterday in their classrooms and answered lots of questions. I hope I was able to clear up a few things for them regarding the school uniform.

Morning Tardy Reminder Thank you for being more attentive to the time. We have seen a slight improvement on the number of tardies in the morning. As I stated last week, mornings are the worst for me. 5 AM comes way too early. Continue to work on ways to get out of the house earlier on school days so traffic or weather issues do not make your children late for school. A prompt arrival to school will produce the benefit of your child being able to begin his/her school day without stress and will help our record keeping and the flood of students in the school office for tardy slips in the morning. Thanks for your continued attention and cooperation in this.

NEW Student Application Information - As we start to plan for the 2023-24 school year, all **NEW** students of current families at Cardinal Pacelli School have the first priority to apply and enroll in our Early Learning Program and Kindergarten. Preschool (3 & 4 yr. old students) and Pre-Kindergarten (4 & 5 yr. old students) will fill up and will most likely have a waiting list. We are asking you to **complete the application for your new student by November 30th**. There is a \$25 application fee for all new students. For instructions on completing the application, [CLICK HERE](#). Please email admissions@cardinalpacelli.org with questions.

"To maintain a joyful family requires much from both the parents and the children. Each member of the family has to become, in a special way, the servant of the others." ~ Pope John Paul II
Cheerfully in Christ,
Mrs. Terri Cento



Veterans Day Celebration


In honor of Veterans Day, Cardinal Pacelli wants to invite all relatives, special friends, or neighbors of Pacelli students who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces to join us at 8:15 Mass on Friday, November 11th. Following Mass, there will be light refreshments in the Atrium where students will be able to express their thanks for their bravery and courage.

Please RSVP to Anne Marie MacKenzie at mackenzie_a@cardinalpacelli.org stating the name of the Veteran(s) attending, along with the name(s) of the student(s) that invited them. Please also make sure to include the email address or contact information of the Veteran so that we can contact them with parking instructions and further details.

Enriching Kidz

Classes Offered for Cardinal Pacelli School

Kidz Home Alone
For Boys and Girls
Grades 4, 5, & 6



COST: \$75

Students Learn:

- First Aid & Self Heimlich Maneuver
- What If Scenarios
- How to Handle Emergencies
- Creative Problem Solving
- Weather Emergencies
- Poison Safety
- Home Alone Rules
- Activities to do while Home Alone
- What to do if you can't get in touch with your parents
- Fire and disaster escape plans
- Special Parent Guide included
- And It's FUN!!

Class Information:

Wednesdays 11/9, 11/16
2:45 - 4:45 pm

Students must attend all classes in the session to complete the course

TO REGISTER:
Go to www.enrichingkidz.com, click on Register for a class, select the class, then scroll down to the class schedule to find the location.

To register by phone, or if you have questions regarding course curriculum, call Amy Marks at 513-336-9993.

Cardinal Pacelli Athletics Booster Club – Register Now!

The Cardinal Pacelli Athletic Commission would like to invite you to become an inaugural member in our new Cardinal Pacelli Athletics Booster Club. There are many ways to support Cardinal Pacelli Athletics throughout the year, however we're looking to consolidate our traditionally many fundraising events into one program designed to have enduring impact. Your support of Cardinal Pacelli Athletics will help deliver our children an amazing extra-curricular experience, while also allowing you and your family to be recognized for your support of our amazing school and parish. We are standing up this booster club, in partnership with our current Pacelli Athletic Commission, to achieve the following:

Goals of program:

- Provide our Cardinal Pacelli athletes and coaches with the cutting-edge equipment and uniforms
- Streamline fundraising efforts into a once-a-year program to bolster Cardinal Pacelli athletics at the beginning of each school year
- Reward booster club members with unique benefits to promote school spirit!

Booster Tiers:

Booster Level 1 (\$150)

- Family admission pass for Fall, Winter, and Spring sports
- Booster club car magnet
- 1 Cardinal Pacelli winter hat/beanie
- Name on banner at gym entrance

King Level (\$500)

- All Panther level membership benefits
- 5 - \$10 Cardinal Pacelli gym concession stand vouchers
- 1 Cardinal Pacelli Yeti tumbler
- 1 Additional Cardinal Pacelli winter hat/beanie
- Name on banner on gym wall

How to become a booster club member (Deadline is November 4th):

1. Use this link to register <https://www.wesharegiving.org/app/giving/WeShare-2609>
2. Click "Home" on the top left
3. Scroll down and find the "Cardinal Pacelli Athletics" logo
4. Select fund "Cardinal Pacelli Athletics"
5. Enter \$500 or \$150, depending on the desired Booster Tier (Please note that this is a free form text box, so please enter \$150, \$500 or any additional amount in this box)
6. Complete payment information

Note: All donations will remain in the Cardinal Pacelli Athletic Commission bank account and requires a vote from the Athletic Commission to repurpose.

On behalf of the Cardinal Pacelli Athletics Commission, thank you for your continued investment in our children and Cardinal Pacelli Athletics. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Cory Ondo (coryondo@yahoo.com) – AC President, or David Houston (ccd.houston@gmail.com) – AC Vice President/Booster Chair.

PTO Conference Volunteer Food Signup

Please consider donating a treat for our wonderful teachers on Conference Day.

[Conference Day Food SignUp](#)

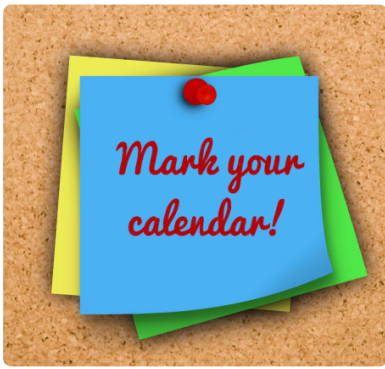
LUNCH MENU

Reminder - All lunch orders MUST be placed before 8:00 a.m. to guarantee a lunch is available for your child!!

NOVEMBER LUNCH MENU

Dates to Remember

- November 4 - Fall Open House
- November 4 - End of Trimester 1



- November 7 - Parent/Teacher Conferences - No School
- November 8 - Election Day - No School
- November 10 - Annie Jr. Performance - 1:00 and 7:00 pm
- November 11 - Veterans Day Celebration
- November 11 - Report Cards Emailed

Parish News

Parish Survey

Be on the lookout for an electronic survey asking for your input regarding our worship schedule and opportunities for parish engagement. Your feedback is very important to us. Thank you for taking a few minutes to respond.

Fall Open House at Cardinal Pacelli – This Friday

Friday, November 4, 2022

9:30 - 11:00 am

Informational session in The Cross and Crown Atrium followed by a school tour.

[RSVP Here](#)

Please help us spread the word! Questions? Please contact our Enrollment Coordinator, **Julie Florio** at admissions@cardinalpacelli.org

Mass for the Deceased - November 6

On Sunday, Nov. 6, the 10:30 am Mass will be in remembrance of all those who have died in our Parish this past year. A candle will be lit for each person and the Book of the Dead will be placed by the candles. All parishioners and friends are invited to attend this Mass. A reception will be held in the Atrium following Mass.

SVDP Fall Coat Drive – Starts this Weekend

Each year, as the temperatures drop and the first snowfall covers the area, St. Vincent de Paul collects new and gently used coats and then distributes them to our neighbors in need. Please gather your coats and starting the weekend of **November 5-6**, there will be a rack in the back of church where you may drop off your donations. Thank you for helping us to meet the needs of families in Cincinnati.



Turkey Drop Off is This Week!

Again this year, our parish has been asked by the **Queen City Kitchens** to supply **40 or more** roasted turkeys for holiday meals. Turkeys need to be **FROZEN** and **should weigh approximately 20 lbs.** Please deliver to the Cross and Crown Atrium Gathering Space from **2:00-4:00 pm on Wednesday, November 9 and Thursday, November 10.** Volunteers will be ready to accept them. Monetary donations are also gratefully accepted. Make checks payable to CTK Turkey's and deliver your check to the Parish Office or place in the Sunday collection. We also use the [WeShare](#)

or questions, please contact **Sue Boehm** at 513-476-8790 or Sueboehm24@gmail.com. Thank you.

Paws, Parish and Pints Happy Hour – Friday, November 18

You're Invited! In honor of the **Feast of Christ the King**, we will have a casual happy hour outside on **Friday, November 18** at the **Pacelli Playfield from 4:00 – 6:00 pm**. This is a fun gathering for our entire parish and school family. Everyone is welcome. BYOB and please bring an appetizer, snack, or treat to share! Blankets & chairs too! Please note: this event is weather permitting. See you then!

Christmas Gift Giving Returns

Again this year we will offer our parish and school community the opportunity to brighten the lives of others in this blessed season. Share in the true spirit of Christmas by contributing to our St. Vincent de Paul neighbors and Children's Hospital. Look for information about the Gift Giving Program in the bulletin or [HERE](#).

New Early Learning Playset!

The **PreSchool** and **PreK** students have a wonderful new playground area to enjoy. Thanks to the PTO, a new playset was installed with artificial turf and new fencing. **PTO president Lauren Dammel** said, "We want to give a huge THANK YOU to **Perry Frey** and **Eric Schmidt** from **Playground Equipment Services** and **Matt Purpus** from **Superior Aluminum Products** for the outstanding support to complete this project in such an expeditious fashion. We are grateful to have an enhanced area where our PreSchool and Pre-K learners can safely navigate and explore their environment outdoors. **THANK YOU to our Pacelli families and friends, for your hard work and generosity in support of our fundraisers throughout the years!**"

St. Vincent de Paul Fall Food Drive – Thank You!

Thank you for your donations to last weekend's food drive that will help to replenish food supplies at the Bank St. Food Pantry. There was a great response from our school and church!

High School Information

St. Ursula Academy

St. Xavier

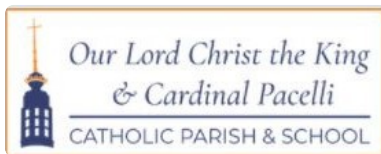
McNicholas High School

Mount Notre Dame

[Ursuline Academy](#)

[Purcell Marian](#)

[Mercy McAuley](#)



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