



Parent Newsletter

September 26, 2022

Web Site: Stannebethlehem.org

Dear Parents & Guardians,

We are currently experiencing some technical difficulties with our Facebook Account. We are looking forward to getting this resolved and posting your children's smiling faces very soon.

Reminders

- ✓ Doors open at 745 AM. Please drop off your student early enough to allow them time to get settled in their classroom by 8:10. There has been too much tardiness. Students arriving late interrupts the educational process.
- ✓ Please report absences by 8:45 AM
- ✓ Please send in a note if your child has an appointment the day before. Students should bring a note when they return or the following day from the appointment.
- ✓ Pro Lunch forms can be found on our website.

CYO Teams - The girls Varsity team went undefeated ALL WEEKEND winning their games against OLPH, Norte Dame and Holy Family.

The girls Junior Varsity team also went undefeated ALL WEEKEND winning their games against Norte Dame, St, Janes and OLPH.

St. Anne Church – Please join us for Sunday Mass at 8am, 10am and noon.

Students are encouraged to consider service to the church as alter servers.

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER 6 – Picture Day

OCTOBER 7 - Our next school Liturgy. Mass begins at 8:45 AM in the church

BLESSING OF THE PETS @ 2PM in school parking lot

OCTOBER 10 – SCHOOL IS CLOSED FOR COLUMBUS DAY

OCTOBER 14 – Dress Down Day

OCTOBER 18 – Trunk or Treat in school parking Lot **6:30-7:30** There is still time to sign up to decorate your trunk

OCTOBER 21 – HALF DAY NOON DISMISSAL

OCTOBER 28 - Halloween parade K-5 @ 1pm Classrooms that are participating will receive more information

COMING SOON – Gertrude Hawk Candy Sale – details to follow

PSA

PSA Meeting **October 17**

Mr. Pastie orders due **October 14**

Phantoms night **October 22@7:05**

School Spirit bracelets **October 28**

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PSA Meeting – October 17 at 6pm in the Community Center

Hello St. Anne's Parents!

The St. Anne's PSA (Parent School Association) has already started meeting, planning and hosting events to help make this one of the best years yet!! We hosted the Fall Bookfair with the help of so many of you and it was one of the most successful fairs in School History! Martellucci's was a successful Dine and Donate night and a lot of you have signed up for the Phantom's Night (October 22) - which is always a fun community building event! Currently, the School Spirit Bracelets and Mr. Pastie fundraisers are going on. Please be sure to check your children's paperwork coming home today for **VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR OUR FIRST ANNUAL DANCE-A-THON!!!!**

We held our initial meeting in September, identified **Melissa McGill** as the Officer for the Pre-K-5 PSA and covered expectations/opportunities. We also gathered all of the Volunteer Opportunity sheets you returned to the school, so e-mails have been sent out to each person interested in a specific committee. **Remember that if you haven't done so already - please identify who the chairperson will be for your group and let the PSA Board know ASAP.** In order to start the activities we need to have a leader! If you haven't turned in your sheet and would like to help out it is never too late to submit!

THANK YOU to the following people who are now the Chairperson for their committee: Catalog - **Emily Meyers**, Bookfair - **Liz Seaman**, Car Wash - **Ellen Dunn**, Thon - **Ellen Dunn, Joey Gallagher, Keri Zarnas**, Olympic Day - **Traci Nistal/Suzie Rhinehart**, Middle School Dance - **Middle School Board**, Theater Group - **Becky Hahn/Gabrielle Bryen**

OPEN Chairperson positions: Gift Card, Dine & Donate, St Annes Night Out, Santa Shop, Catholic Schools Week, Talent Show, Teacher Appreciation Week, Assemblies, Family Dance

Lastly, our second PSA Meeting of the year will be held **Monday, Oct 17th** at 6pm in the Community Center. We will be discussing the upcoming events for the rest of 2022 so that you can plan ahead! **We NEED your help!** So please, if you haven't done so already, get your clearances (visit www.stannebethlehem.org →Parents → Volunteer Information for all requirements) and send them in to Mrs. Vasko so that you can volunteer! The complete School calendar can be found on the St. Anne home page and the PSA calendar is in the Communication Packet weekly.

Looking forward to a great year!!

Your PSA Board



St. Anne School was founded on November 14, 1929 and will be 93 years old in 2022. ***What do you do for a birthday?*** You celebrate with singing, dancing, eating and bringing gifts! That's what the St. Anne School community is going to do on **Friday, November 4, 2022**. We are starting a **brand new tradition** this year to **celebrate and fundraise** for our school called the...

Happy Birthday St. Anne School Dance-A-Thon

Singing – It's not a birthday without singing the birthday song! Fr. Mongiello, Mr. Krupka, St. Anne School faculty and staff, as well as bands, cheerleaders and mascots from our local Catholic High Schools will help us get the party started, in tune and in step, ready to dance!

Dancing – From the running man and Macarena to the Cha Cha slide and Twist, we will be dancing to live music all morning long to raise money for our school!

Eating – A birthday party isn't complete without FOOD! Pizza and cake will be served!

Bringing Gifts – We can't forget the birthday gifts! Let's show how much we love our school by raising money to benefit it! **Our fundraising goal for each St. Anne family is \$200** which can be raised through business sponsorships, donation letters and individual donations.

And guess what??? Big prizes could be coming our way if we meet our goals:

If we raise \$10,000 , we earn a...	<i>Free Dress Down Comfy Clothes/Pajama Day!!!</i>
If we raise \$20,000 , we earn a...	<i>Free Lunch & Treats and Extra Recess Day!!!</i>
If we raise \$30,000 , we earn a...	<i>Special Event Day to be voted on at kick-off assembly!!!</i>

So let's get this party started – here's what we need from you...

PLEASE fill out the forms attached to this letter and return to the location by the due date indicated on each form. Names and descriptions of the forms are as follows:

- ***T-Shirt Form*** – Must complete in order to get your free student t-shirt!
- ***Business Sponsorship Form*** – Please reach out to businesses you know to help raise funds!
- ***Donation Letter Addresses*** – Students will be completing handwritten donation request letters in their classrooms. Must provide names, addresses and stamps for letter mailings.

We are so excited about this event! It will be a great time to celebrate St. Anne School's birthday, raise money for our school and give our community an awesome party! Thank you for your support and Happy 93rd Birthday St. Anne's School!

Happy Birthday St. Anne School Dance-A-Thon 2022

T-Shirt Order Form

This form is due to the **MAIN OFFICE no later than **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2022****

****Free Student T-Shirt Order****

All St. Anne students, faculty and staff will receive a **FREE** t-shirt to wear to the birthday party!
Please complete the following form for your St. Anne School student(s).

Family Name:

Name(s) of Student(s)

Homeroom #

<u>Child Sizes</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
Small (6-8)	_____
Medium (10-12)	_____
Large (14-16)	_____

<u>Adult Sizes</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
Small	_____
Medium	_____
Large	_____
Extra Large	_____
XXL	_____

****\$10 Parent/Family Member T-Shirt Order****

T-shirts are available for sale for parents and family members at \$10 each. Please make checks payable to St. Anne School and enclose with this order form.

<u>Child Sizes</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
Small (6-8)	_____
Medium (10-12)	_____
Large (14-16)	_____

<u>Adult Sizes</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
Small	_____
Medium	_____
Large	_____
Extra Large	_____
XXL	_____

Number of parent/family member t-shirts _____ x \$10 = _____ Amount enclosed



Happy Birthday St. Anne School Dance-A-Thon 2022

Business Sponsorship Form

St. Anne School, Bethlehem is celebrating its 93rd birthday! We want to celebrate and are starting a brand new fundraiser this year called the ***Happy Birthday St. Anne School Dance-A-Thon*** taking place **Friday, November 4, 2022**. Our over 300 students will be dancing to raise funds to benefit our school! We are so excited to celebrate our school's birthday and are honored to ask our community businesses to contribute as sponsors of this event. We gratefully ask for your consideration in the following sponsorship opportunities listed below:

<u>Level #1</u>	Business name on over 300 t-shirts worn by students and staff Exposure on school web page, Facebook page, parish bulletin Largest size name recognition on the top of the back of our t-shirt	\$500
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<u>Level #2</u>	Business name on over 300 t-shirts worn by students and staff Exposure on school web page, Facebook page, parish bulletin Medium size name recognition on the middle back of our t-shirt	\$250
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<u>Level #3</u>	Business name on over 300 t-shirts worn by students and staff Exposure on school web page, Facebook page, parish bulletin Small size name recognition on the bottom of the back of our t-shirt	\$100
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Business Sponsorship Submission Deadline: Monday, October 17, 2022

Business Name: _____

Business Contact Name: _____

Business Address: _____

Sponsorship Level Choice: _____ Level #1 (\$500) _____ Level #2 (\$250) _____ Level #3 (\$100)

Name of student(s) you are sponsoring that are attending St. Anne School, if applicable:

Please make checks payable to ***St. Anne School*** and return this form and payment to: ***St. Anne School "Dance-A-Thon", 375 Hickory St, Bethlehem, PA 18017*** by 10/17/22 to ensure your name is included for t-shirt printing. Your donation may be tax deductible.

Happy Birthday St. Anne School Dance-A-Thon 2022

Student Donation Request Letter Information Form

This form is due to **STUDENT HOMEROOM no later than **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2022****

Students will be writing and sending donation request letters at school with teacher supervision using the form below. **PLEASE provide the name(s), address, "Dear" information and a stamp for each address you would like a donation request letter to be sent.** **Note that one form should be completed for each student.* Thank you for your help with this process!

STUDENT NAME _____ HOMEROOM _____

Example:

Name(s) & Address Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, 123 Avenue, Bethlehem, PA 18017

Dear Grandpa and Grandma,

My student will be sending donation request letters to the following addresses:

Name(s) & Address _____

Dear _____

Name(s) & Address _____

Dear _____

Name(s) & Address _____

Dear _____

Name(s) & Address _____

Dear _____

Name(s) & Address _____

Dear _____



ST. ANNE SCHOOL PSA

SCHOOL SPIRIT BRACELET FUNDRAISER **\$5/EACH OR \$20/5**

FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN TO SCHOOL WITH PAYMENT (CASH OR CHECK) IN AN ENVELOPE, MARKED "C/O GABRIELLE APGAR 702." CHECKS MAY BE MADE PAYABLE TO ST. ANNE SCHOOL. *ALL PROCEEDS DIRECTLY BENEFIT THE ST. ANNE SCHOOL PSA! THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!*



ENDS 10/28/22!

NAME & HOMEROOM: _____

OF BRACELETS: _____ **\$ AMOUNT ENCLOSED:** _____



MR. PASTIE PUTS THE FUN IN FUNDRAISERS!

"Pass the Pass-tee"

Tired of pizza and hoagies?

Want a quick meal for after practice or the games??

Want a comfort meal for chilly Fall nights?

Mr. Pastie is the something different you are looking for.

The Washington Post food editor agrees our old-fashioned delicacy, passed down from generation to generation tastes "like Mom's". Our process is a 2 hour labor of love from scratch to finish. The secret of our success is the "just right" pastry which is tender and flaky. Always remember to look for our famous "finger crimp" on each pastie. It is the heart of what customers love most about Mr. Pastie. Pasties are great for lunch, dinner or after school treats.

We offer a wide variety to choose from; Original Beef with or without onion, Chicken, Italian Sausage, Veggie Melt, Spinach Melt 12oz, Premium Ham Pastie 12oz.

What to do? You and your students can take the order form and start selling now through October 14th! All pasties are \$7.50 (except the Ham which is \$8.00). Total the amount of each ordered and the total dollar amount. **Money due at the time you turn in the order sheet. *Make sure to clearly mark your child's name and homeroom***

When to do it? Sell now through October 14th. No orders can be placed after October 18th. All money or checks (made payable to St Anne School) must be remitted with the order form.

****Pasties will come frozen and pick up day will be Friday, October 28 in the Team room though the Main Entrance. More details to follow..**

All funds raised go to the Parent School Association for events for our students

October

St. Anne School PSA

2022



Monthly Parent School Association (PSA) Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	Mr. Pastie fundraiser starts	3	4	5	6	7
					School Picture Day *Dance-A-Thon Papers Sent Home	School Mass Blessing of Pets
9	School Closed Columbus Day	10	11	12	13	14
					Dance-A-Thon Kick-Off Assembly	Dress Down Day Mr. Pastie fundraiser ends
16	PSA Meeting 6pm *Dance-A-Thon Sponsors Due	17	18	19	20	21
					Trunk or Treat 6:30pm	Noon Dismissal
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
					Mr. Pastie order pickup	Halloween Parade Bracelet Orders Due
30	31					
	Happy Halloween!					

Dates subject to change and will be communicated as soon as possible.

Reminders:
Please make sure your clearances are up to date!
Volunteer Clearance Questions:
Contact Mrs. Vasko

Next PSA Meeting:
November 21, 2022

Next month preview:
Animal Land Fundraiser

Thank you for all you do for St. Anne's School!

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

RESCHEDULED FRIDAY October 7@2PM

School Parking Lot



SCHOOL FAMILIES ARE INVITED TO BRING THEIR PETS TO OUR BLESSING



PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN THE SCHOOL PARKING LOT



PARTICIPATING STUDENTS OF FAMILIES BRINGING PETS WILL BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE BLESSING – PARENTS MUST FILL OUT THE PERMISSION FORM ATTACHED AND RETURN IT, IN ORDER FOR THEIR STUDENTS TO ATTEND



NO student may be dismissed **DURING OR AFTER THE BLESSING**. All Students will be dismissed as usual from their classroom.

TO PARTICIPATE THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED. THANK YOU!

My Student (s) _____ Gr. _____

_____ Gr. _____

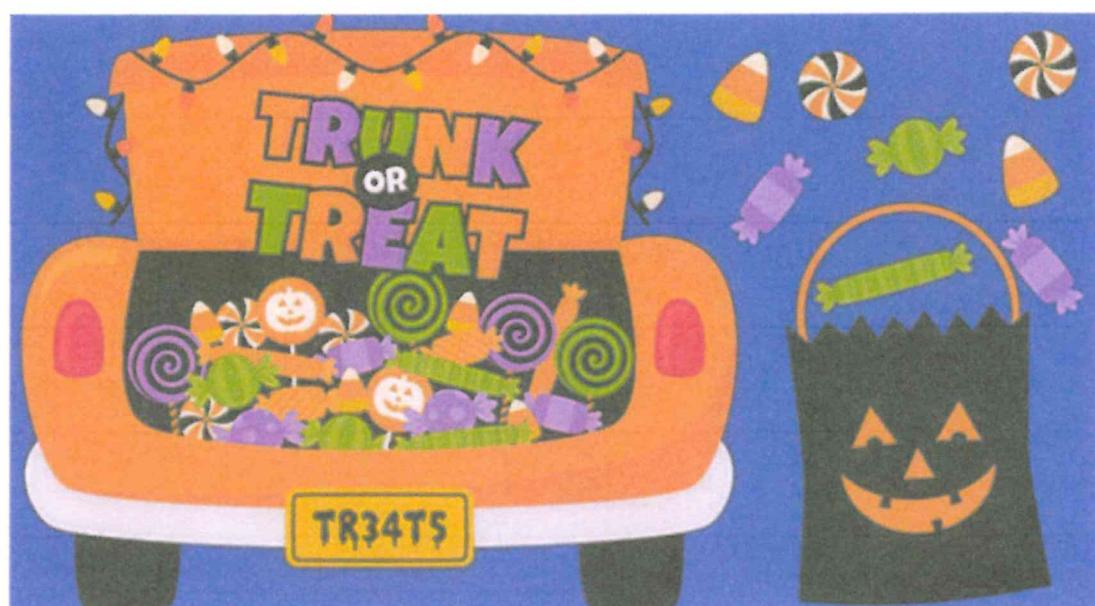
_____ Gr. _____

Parent Name _____

**Join us for one of the most fun events EVER at
St. Anne School!**

TUESDAY, October 18, 6:30-7:30

St. Anne School Parking Lot



**Students get your costumes ready and enjoy our safe, outdoor
fun!**

**Our families/staff create the spookiest, cutest, most creative
Trunk or Treat displays the world has ever seen!**

******* WE STILL HAVE SPOTS REMAING – sign up NOW to
reserve your space to decorate your trunk for our school
students.**



Avoid The Flu!

Drive Thru Flu (and COVID Booster) Clinic

**Saturday, November 12, 2022
10am-1pm**

Freedom High School Parking Lot
3149 Chester Ave, Bethlehem, PA 18020

Vaccines Offered:
Influenza (Fluzone Quadrivalent)
Pfizer Bivalent Booster

Free COVID Rapid Test Give Away!

SIGN UP HERE:

<https://tinyurl.com/FluDriveThru>



For more info call : **Bethlehem Health Bureau**

610.865.7007

