

October 8, 2019



Dear Saint Clare Families,

Golden Apple Awards:

Community member and former St. Clare parent and student, **Karmen Lemke**, spent time last week thanking all of our teachers for their faithful service to our school. She had kind words for the teachers, asked the kids to give them a round of applause, and gave them a Serogy's candy bar as a token of her appreciation. She also passed along a message from **Partners in Education**. I have enclosed the application form from Karmen and Partners in Education in case you would like to nominate a teacher for a Golden Apple Award.

Celebrate St. Clare!

The students, teachers, and I enjoyed our 2nd Celebrate St. Clare event! First, everyone with



a birthday in the past month was acknowledged with a new birthday song, a joyful cheer, and a candy bar. Then we recognized the kids who were given a "Celebrate!" card this month. All of those students stood as I read the teachers' positive observations of them. I also reminded **all** of the students that they, too, will be recognized in the future for their outstanding behavior and accomplishments. The celebration ended with a ping-pong-ball-filled demonstration of how much God Loves Us!

Chance to win 2020-21 School Year's Tuition:

If a Scrip profit goal of \$40,000 is achieved this fiscal year, an anonymous donor has offered to pay a student's tuition for next year!

Starting this week, slips are available where Scrip is purchased. Fill out a slip and return it to the Scrip table to enter your name into the free tuition drawing. Each family may have one entry per month for a total of 11 possible chances. The drawing will take place at the 2020-21 Parent Night Meeting in September 2020.

Praying the Rosary -- October 18th from 10:50 - 11:30am

Ms. Kola and the 6th-8th graders will be presenting the Rosary on Friday, October 18th at St. Clare Church in Wrightstown. We will pray the Rosary for the intention of Respecting Life. It would be wonderful to have members of our faith community praying with us. All are invited to share in this special experience.

Veterans' Day -- SAVE THE DATE:

St. Clare School will be holding a special Veterans' Day event at 1:30pm on November 11th. All parents, grandparents, and community members are invited to join us!

If you know of a Veteran who may be interested in attending this event, please send his / her name and address to jhubbard@stclareagw.org. We would love to send our local Veterans a special invitation.

Please return the E-rate survey that was sent home in the September 24th Tuesday folder!

Whether or not your family shows a financial need, we will get a benefit from having 90% of the forms returned. The higher our return rate, the more funds we are eligible to receive.

Fundraiser Updates:

Little Caesar's Sale -- Thanks to our school families, we made a profit of \$1,896!

1st, 3rd, and 5th grade all averaged over \$150 per student, so they will receive home-made cookies and an extra-long recess on a nice day.

Thank you to our top fundraisers: Tatum Theunis, Lexi Blauert, Travis & Adrienne Stelzer, John & Allison Feldkamp, and Addie & Kylie VandeHey. They will be having a special lunch with Mrs. Hubbard on Tuesday, October 15th.

Soda can pull-tab collection -- Our school helped Wrightstown 4-H to collect more than 60 pounds, and the Green Bay area collected over 600 pounds of pull-tabs to support our local 4H Clubs.



UPCOMING DATES:

Little Caesar's Pick-Up in school basement -- **Today** 10/8 after school until 6pm

Hearing and Vision Screenings -- Wed 10/9 at 8am

Next School Advisory Board Meeting in Mrs. Kola's room -- Thurs 10/10 at 6pm

Fire truck visit for 4K through 3rd grade -- Friday 10/11

Next Home and School Meeting in 4K room -- Tues 10/15 6pm

School Committee Fair in the school basement -- Thurs 10/17 at 6pm

Parent-Teacher Conferences -- Tues 10/22 and Th 10/24 from 3:15 - 7pm

***Please sign up on-line.**

No School -- Fri 10/25

I hope you have a beautiful week in the Lord,

Julie A. Hubbard