

9/26/07

Happy Homecoming Week! I hope you are enjoying this week as much as the students are. Thank you for supporting your son or daughter during this hectic and wild week.

Royal Cards, Student Information Sheets, Student/Parent Handbook Signature forms

Please double check with your son or daughter to see if they have returned the items listed above. We are missing some things from various students. These items are important from a fundraising and liability stand point.

Month of Mary

October is one of our months of Mary. Please celebrate with your family by saying a prayer of thanksgiving to Mary for accepting Jesus as her Son, and thus our Savior.

The Assumption Community will celebrate Mary with a Living Rosary Wednesday night, October 10th at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited.

October 5, 2007

No school for students on October 5th. Teachers and administration will use this day as an in-service day. We hope the students return on Monday, October 8th rested and ready to work.

Some Calendar items

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| 1. Scrip Information night | October 10, 2007 (6:00 p.m.) |
| 2. Living Rosary | October 10, 2007 (7:00 p.m.) |
| 3. Parent / Teacher Conferences | October 24 and 25, 2007 |
| 4. AHS Christmas Concert | December 3, 2007 |
| 5. Golden Mass | December 21, 2007 |
| 6. Christmas Break | December 24, 2007 – January 1, 2008 |
| 7. First Semester Exams | January 22-24, 2008 |

Mr. Reichenbacher contact information

Occasionally parents need to contact me after normal school hours. If you need to contact me after school hours you may call my cell phone (323-1904). I do ask that you try to call before 8:30 p.m.

Take some time for prayer with your family. Prayer and family always go together.

God's Grace be With You,

Thomas Philip Reichenbacher

Principal

Senior only section below

Graduation Time?

Enclosed with this letter you should find a survey regarding the time of graduation. The time that receives the majority of the votes will become our graduation time. Please return these surveys on Tuesday night, August 29, during the locker drop off.

Scholarships

With the rising cost of postsecondary education it is important that students do their best to defray the cost of college or technical schools.

Mr. O'Donnell and I have spent a long time talking about this; we truly believe that all students have the potential to apply for and be offered scholarship money.

What does it take? Effort.

1. Seniors need to stop in Mr. O'Donnell's office to find out what scholarships are available to them.
2. Seniors need to research the universities and colleges they are interested in to see what scholarships are available through the schools.
3. Seniors need to take the time to complete quality applications.

I tell students this, "If you take ten hours applying for ten scholarships, and you receive one \$1000 scholarship, you just earned \$100 dollars an hour." Please, encourage your son or daughter to spend time with Mr. O'Donnell, to look through all of the information they have on potential universities and colleges, and to apply for any scholarship in which they are qualified. The top three students in the class do not

simply receive all of the scholarships, but the students who apply for the most scholarships always earn more scholarship money than those students who do not apply at all.