



The Halo Report

Saint Augustine Catholic School
1421 V Street, NW | Washington, DC 20009

Theme 2016-2017: "Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace." Ephesians 4:3

Greetings Parents, Guardians, and Teachers!

As we near the end of the school year, our students will be taking field trips, afterschool activities, and classroom fun! We ask that if all parents can, may you please participate by dedicating your time to our students when these events occur. It would be with great pleasure to accept and have your help. The previous Friday, the children enjoyed the dances, and the middle school looked lovely in their attire. We appreciate all of our parents who came out to help chaperone and have fun with our students. The children are very excited about ending the school year, and looking forward to new beginnings. We want them to finish with great efforts and support from our excellent teachers, and their parents.

The bathroom renovations have been addressed by a letter sent by Father Pat through Rediker over the spring break. We appreciate your patience while this matter is being attended to.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS: School will be closed this Friday on May 5, 2017 . Classes will resume on Monday, May 8th.

2017 LADYBUG ART EXHIBITION: Saint Augustine Catholic School Annual Art show will take place from May 12th -14th. Last years art show was a tremendous success, please come and support our young artist. Please see the attachment for further details.ki

HSA DANCE: We thank the parents and staff who came out to have fun at the HSA dance. The food and music were great, and we wish that we could have just shared that moment with more of you.

EIGHTH GRADE CONFIRMATION DAY: The 8th grade confirmation will be held at Saint Augustine Catholic Church on May 27th at 4:30pm. All 8th graders are required to attend. Students please wear your graduation attire.

EIGHTH GRADE PARENT MEETING: The 8th grade meeting will be on Thursday, May 11th at 6:00pm. Parents please bring copies of acceptance letters or emails. We are currently working on the awards program, in which this information will be included. At the meeting parents will obtain copies of the final exam schedule.

OFFICE PHONE: There have been numerous students who are frequently using the office phone to call home. We would like for our students to only make calls when it is an emergency. To keep the calls at a minimum, parents we would like you to touch base with your child(ren) before leaving home to make sure that all pick-up arrangements are taken care of.



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5/12	Annual Art Show Fourth Quarter Progress Report
5/19-5/20	Spring Musical
5/26	NO SCHOOL
5/27	Confirmation Day
5/29	Memorial Day NO SCHOOL

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SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS: We would like to congratulate everyone who have participated in the 2017 Science Fair this year. This year winners we have, Mikyas Assefa, Grade 8 in first place, Logan O'Neal, Grade 4 in second place, and Kimber Dickson, Grade 6, in third place.

The most promising scientists are: Kari Noelle Delmar Grade 4 (Skunk Attack), Kosidinna Achikeh Grade 5 (Heat Capacity of Liquids), and Michael Lebbie, Grade 3. (Turn Milk into Plastic). The Honorable mention is: Olivia Williams, Grade 7 (Peppermint Test). Everyone did such a wonderful job with their projects, and we enjoyed all of the students variety of their creativity

SUMMER SCHOOL OPTIONS: Letters for students who must attend mandatory or enrichment summer school has been distributed. Please make sure you check with your child's teacher if you did not receive a letter. **As a reminder**, please make sure you chose a summer school for your child to attend. We also ask that you please provide proof of the school you have decided upon. Inform us of the school your child will be attending in proof of the successful completion of the program.

TENNIS: Tennis has been cancelled for the rest of the school year.

AFTERCARE: (REMINDER) There will be no aftercare or afterschool activity on Friday, May 12, due to the Annual Art Show. Parents, please make a note of these dates.

We hope you find this information helpful. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the main office.

Sincerely,
Sister Gloria Agumagu, HHCJ



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May 3, 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians,

First of all, thank you for your patience as we have worked very hard to determine the source of the sewage odor in our school.

To date, we spent over \$10,000 investigating and replacing the galvanized steel pipes with cast iron pipes in the girl's restroom. This was the source of the sewage odor (see photos attached).

When the contractors completed the repair over the Easter Break, the odor returned but in a different location; the boy's restroom. When everyone returned from the Easter Break on Monday, April 24, 2017 the odor was very strong in the building. I met with two District of Columbia Water and Sewage Authority Workers and they provided feedback regarding the odor coming from the restroom. The workers treated the main trap in the boy's restroom which helped decrease the odor. I am relieved to report that I and others detected no odor at all since Monday. It looks like our efforts are finally working.

In the meantime I am also investigating reports that the Reeves Center across the street has also been experiencing sewage odors in the building since the start of the building construction across the street.


We will continue to monitor the situation and keep you informed of any developments.

Rev. Patrick A Smith
Pastor





**TEST SCHEDULE
WEEK TWO**

Mon 5/15/17	Tue 5/16/17	Wed 5/17/17	Thurs 5/18/17	Fri 5/19/17
8:30-9:15 am Grade 1 MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	8:30-9:15 am Grade 5 MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	8:30-9:15 am Grade 7 MATHEMATICS	8:30-9:15 am READING Kindergarten 2 students	8:00-9:30 MASS 
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10:25-11:10 am Grade 2 MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	10:25-11:10 am Grade 4 MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 1 student	MAKE UP	10:25-11:10 am READING Kindergarten 2 students	10:25-11:10 am READING Kindergarten 2 students
11:15-12:00 Grade 3 MATHEMATICS	11:15-12:00 Grade 6 MATHEMATICS	MAKE UP		
LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:25-2:10 pm Grade 2 MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	1:25-2:10 pm Grade 4 MATHEMATICS	MAKE UP	NO TESTING	NO TESTING
2:15-3:00 pm Grade 3 MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	2:15-3:00 pm Grade 6 MATHEMATICS	MAKE UP	NO TESTING	NO TESTING

PERFORMANCE SERIES TEST SCHEDULE**WEEK THREE**

Mon 5/22/17	Tue 5/23/17	Wed 5/24/17	Thurs 5/25/17	Fri 5/26/17
8:30-9:15 am READING Kindergarten 2 students	8:30-9:15 am MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	8:30-9:15 am MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	8:30-9:15 am MATHEMATICS Kindergarten 2 students	NO SCHOOL
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St. Augustine Catholic School

announcing

2017 Ladybug Art Exhibition

Annual Student Show

Artist of the future

The genesis of genius

Date/Time! May 12 Friday: 10.00 am – 5.30 pm

Saturday May 13th, and Sunday May 14th,

10.00 am 3.00 pm

Place: St. Augustine Catholic School

1421 V Street NW Washington. DC 20009



Show and sale



















Support the Arts at St. Augustine School



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Lunch Menu

May 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Hot Dog Baked Beans Fruit Cocktail Milk or Water 	2 Chicken Parmesan Penne Pasta Candied Yams Fruit Water , Juice or Milk 	3 Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes with Gravy Fresh Cucumber Salad Fruit Milk or Juice 	4 Barbeque Chicken Rice Corn Fruit Milk or Water 	No School
8 Cheese and Pepperoni Pizza Fruit Milk or water 	9 Rice with Chicken Cuban Style Pinto Beans Corn Chips Fruit and Water 	10 Spaghetti with Italian Meatballs in Tomato Sauce Dinner Roll Fruit Milk or Juice 	11 Barbeque Chicken Rice Corn Fruit Milk or Water 	12 Grilled Chicken Quesadillas Iceberg Lettuce Apple Sauce Milk or Juice 
15 Hot Dog Baked Beans Fruit Cocktail Milk or Water 	16 Chicken Parmesan Penne Pasta Candied Yams Fruit Water , Juice or Milk 	17 Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes with Gravy Fresh Cucumber Salad Fruit Milk or Juice 	18 Barbeque Chicken Rice Corn Fruit Milk or Water 	19 Cheeseburger French Fries Steamed Broccoli Fruit Juice 
22 Cheese and Pepperoni Pizza Fruit Milk or water 	23 Rice with Chicken Cuban Style Pinto Beans Corn Chips Fruit and Water 	24 Spaghetti with Italian Meatballs in Tomato Sauce Dinner Roll Fruit Milk or Juice 	25 Barbeque Chicken Rice Corn Fruit Milk or Water 	No School