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EXAM SCHEDULE

Monday, Oct. 11 – Science
 Tuesday, Oct. 12 – Religion/Math
 Wednesday, Oct. 13 – Social Studies
 Thursday, Oct. 14 – Reading/English
 Friday, Oct. 15 – Early Dismissal – 11:30 a.m.

FAIR NEWS

- **Tupperware: *It's not too late!*** You may continue to take orders through the week! Don't forget to indicate your prize selection on the order packet. Orders will be delivered on or near October 25th. If you have any questions call Diane Kratochvil (832-0486).
- **SOUTHERN LIVING AT HOME:** Last chance to place your orders! Call Mary Barlow at 301-4466 or 220-8490. There will be catalogs in the office this week for you to see if you missed the opportunity at the Fair. You may also view a limited version online at: www.southernlivingathome.com/marybarlow ***100% of all profits will be donated to St. Angela, so get your Christmas lists out and let me be your "Southern Living Santa!" All orders must be placed by Friday, October 8.

FAMILY LIFE ORGANIZATION

Anyone interested in becoming a member or finding out more information, please join us for a general meeting tomorrow, Wednesday, October 6th at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room. For more information, please call Greta Johnson or Janice Wolff.

Upcoming F.L.O. events:

- October 16th – Parish Pot Luck Dinner – Please come share great food and company! Bring a dish – 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Kern Center. For more information, call Kim Elston. Fun for ALL families!

PENCIL MACHINE

We now have a pencil machine in the library. Pencils are \$0.25. The pencils are of assorted varieties and dispensed in random order.

ATTENTION GRADE 4-6 GIRLS

Please see a flier going home today with all girls in grades 4-6.

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

THANKS TO ALL!

I am happy to report that our Parish Fair this weekend was a great success! The weekend provided an opportunity for lots of fun and socializing for our parish family as well as our much-needed funds. Many thanks to each and every one of you that had some part in making the St. Angela Merici Fair a success. This type of fundraiser cannot be a success without the help of many people: parents, faculty and staff, parishioners, grandparents, alumni, relatives, students, and community members. It is a true example of God's community working together for a common cause.

I would especially like to thank the 2004 Fair Committee for the endless amount of time and effort that was spent in organizing the fair. They have been working for a year and, more recently, have spent many long days and late night working out all of the details. Their diligent efforts have most certainly been a major factor in the continued growth of the fair. Very special thanks goes to Paula Lockhart and Thais Chanove for their hard work as co-chairpersons of the fair. This job has much responsibility and is very time consuming, but they, once again, did an excellent job for a second year. They managed to juggle young families and full time jobs and still dedicate countless hours to the fair. Please thank them when you see them.

The preliminary figures show that the fair was a great success financially. We grossed several thousand dollars more than we did last year. But most importantly the weekend was a great opportunity for the St. Angela Merici family to come together, both at work and at play. Please be on the lookout for a special "thank you" Fair Focus that will be sent home at a later date. We will have the opportunity to specifically thank so many of you who worked so hard to make this fair a success. The Fair Focus will also name the winners of the various raffles and contests. Thanks again!

CUB SCOUT NEWS

- **IMPORTANT Scout Parent's Meeting**
 October 7th @ 7:30 p.m. in the Annex. Those attending will be discussing and finalizing the campout details. This is a critical meeting and we need your input! All scout parents are welcome and encouraged to attend!
- Please check the school website: www.stangelaschool.org for the first (October) edition of the Pack Newsletter. Important information regarding Pack business and the October campout is included. We **MAY** not be publishing a hard copy this year, so it is vital that you get your e-mail address to Bill Hamblin for inclusion on the distribution list to receive it. The newsletter will be available monthly on the school website as well. Send your e-mail address to: billhamblinjr@cox.net or bhambli@concofoods.com

BROWNIE TROOP – 2ND GRADE

The 2nd grade brownie troop will have their first meeting this Friday, October 8 at 3:15-4:45 in the annex. Hope to see you there. If questions, please call Cheryl Bergeron or Rosalie McGraw.

SPORTS NEWS

Boys Flag Football

Sr. playoffs will begin next week, October 11th. The Jr. playoffs will be held during the week of October 18th.

Girls Volleyball

- Wed 10/6 vs. St. Louis @ SAM @ 4
- Mon 10/11 vs. OLPH @ SAM @ 4
- Wed 10/13 Jr. vs. St. Clement @ SAM @ 4 and Sr. vs. St. Francis @ SAM @ 5

Check www.stangelaschool.org and click on Volleyball schedule for updated volleyball schedule.

Cheerleaders

Air-head Angels will cheer for volleyball games on Wed, Oct 6th 3:30 p.m. @ SAM

Tasmanian Devils will cheer for volleyball games on Mon, Oct 11th 3:30 p.m. @ SAM

Lucky Charms will cheer for volleyball games on Wed, Oct 13th 3:30 p.m. @ SAM

Please check the school website and cheerleader calendar for updated information.

Cross Country

- Cross Country practice: Today and Wednesday after school @ SAM until 4:20 p.m. Thursday at the Bonnabel Boat Launch until 4:30 p.m. Next week practice Monday and Tuesday @ SAM, Thursday at the Bonnabel Boat Launch. Please bring cans or weights to practice on the SAM days.
- Cross Country meet at the Bonnabel Boat Launch this Saturday, October 9th. Be there for 7:30 a.m. Parents, I will be asking for your help with this meet. Thank you in advance.
- Next week Cross Country meet at Gretna Park on October 16th. First race starts at 7:30 a.m. We will have to be there by 7:00 a.m.

BAND NEWS

Congratulations to the Jazz Band members for a spectacular performance at the fair this past weekend. Thank you for your dedication and hard work.

Jazz Band Schedule:

- **October 9 and 16-** Practices at St Christopher (attend as possible): 11:30am-12:30pm- Advanced Jazz Band / 12:30-1:30pm- 1st year Jazz Band members.
- **October 23-** Jazz Band performance at St. Christopher's "Fall Fest", between 4:00 and 6:00.

A note to all Jazz band parents- Please contact Mr. Smith if your child will not be able to attend the St. Christopher performance. Contact Mr. Smith at 393-0286 or ward.smith@att.net

CHOIR NEWS

We will practice this Wednesday from 3:30-4:30. The choir received a special letter today. Please read, sign and return to practice on Wednesday.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

You can't change the world, you can only change yourself.

KID'S THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

Never start slowly.

SPIRIT OF AMERICA

Sometimes people call me an idealist. Well, that is the way I know I am an American.

ROOM MOTHERS

Following is a list of room mothers for the 2004-05 school year. There will be a room mother meeting at 9:00 a.m. in the library on Thursday, October 14th. Please RSVP to the school office. Thank you.

Co-Op Room Mother Chair	Ashley Holmes
PreK3 Mrs. Aimee	Jennifer Hofstetter
PreK4 Mrs. Dee	Greta Johnson
PreK4 Mrs. Laurie	Giovanna Brunswick
	Tanya Carroll
K Mrs. Bonnie	Joshua Clulee
K Ms. Jennifer	Terry Delaney
1 st Miss Kyame	Cristen Briuglio
	Nancy North
1 st Miss Reuter	Paula Lockhart
	Lisa Philippi
2 nd Mrs. Hare	Cheryl Corrente
2 nd Mrs. Payne	Melissa Campbell
	Kim Elston
	Lisa Rau
3 rd Mrs. Plaisance	Salva Failla
	Joy Spansel
3 rd Mrs. Pratt	Kelli Kelly
4 th Mrs. O'Sullivan	
4 th Ms. Ulmer	Beth Hartline
	Beth Kliebert
5 th Mrs. Hurd	Ashley Holmes
	Lisa Morgani
5 th Mrs. Pretus	
6 th Mrs. Gerace	Allison Drez
	Gretchen Lowe
6 th Ms. Rovira	Susie Hammant
	Cathy Laguaita
7 th Mrs. Fouchi	
7 th Mrs. Wright	Donna Brouillette
	Denise Guillera
8 th Mrs. Bourque	

You will note some classes are in need of a room mother. If you signed up for a helper and would like to be a room mother, please call the office.