



Angelo Catholic School Newsletter

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Highlights

October 7 & 8 – Vision/Hearing, Acanthosis Nigricans Screening – Primary Campus
October 9 – Vision/Hearing, Acanthosis Nigricans, and Spinal Screening – Elementary Campus
October 13 – Individual Student Yearbook Pictures – Elementary Campus
October 14 – Individual Student Year book Pictures – Primary Pictures
October 19 – Home & School Meeting 6:30 pm Elementary Gym – K & 3rd to perform

Student/Virtue of the Week

This week, the Virtue of the Week is Compassion. *Compassion is sympathy and awareness of someone's suffering accompanied by the desire to help it go away.* The students of the week on the Elementary Campus who best exemplify *Compassion*, the Virtue of the Week are: Olivia Rangel, Second Grade; Jacob Wieting, Third Grade; Analisa Rios, Fourth Grade; Adam Ramirez, Fifth Grade; and Moriah Garcia, Sixth Grade. Each student was recognized during Lunch Time on Monday and received a certificate noting the Student of the Week honor. The "Virtue of the Week" for October 5- October 12 is *Dependable*. *Synonyms for dependable are: trustworthy, trusty, trusted, steadfast, faithful, and responsible.*

Inside Track – What is this?

Each teacher sends a newsletter home weekly to keep parents informed of what goes on in that particular classroom. The Inside Track keeps everyone on the *inside track* of what is happening at ACS. The Inside Track contains summaries from each classroom as well as the Library, Music, P.E., and Spanish. Remember, the Inside Track and your student's newsletters can be found at www.angelocatholicsschool.org.

Oktober Fiesta Newsletter Enclosed in Communication Envelope Today

Enclosed in today's Communication Envelope is the first Oktober Fiesta Newsletter. It is full of information for this year's Oktober Fiesta. Be sure you read it to stay informed of all that is still needed in order to make this year's Oktober Fiesta the best ever! **See the raffle sales sign-up form in the Communication Envelope.**

ACS Sweatshirt Orders – Order deadline extended to Friday, October 9

ACS Sweatshirt orders were due October 2, but that deadline has been extended to Friday, October 9. Staff in either office can provide an order form or information.

Cathedral Mission – October 12 through 15

Sacred Heart Cathedral is holding a Parish Mission from Monday, October 12 through Thursday, October 15. Father Victor Karls of the Redemptorist Fathers will be preaching. The Mission Services will be held each night in the Cathedral at 7:00 p.m. Everyone, regardless of parish affiliation, is invited and most welcome to attend.

Individual Fall Yearbook Photos – October 13 and 14

Acevedo Photography will be taking individual yearbook photos on Tuesday, October 13 (Elementary Campus) and Wednesday, October 14 (Primary Campus). All students must wear the regular school uniform for these pictures.

Skate Night Rescheduled to Thursday, October 22

Skate Night at the Angelo Skate and Fun Center has been moved from October 15 to Thursday, October 22 so as not to conflict with the Sacred Heart Parish Mission.

Oktober Fiesta Raffle Ticket Sales Recognition (100+sales/50+sales)

Students who have sold 100+ tickets this week are: Dylan Fisher and Myra Wong. Students who have sold 50+ tickets are: Madi Carrion, Baylin Davis, Jarrett Gulley, and Emma Morales. Students who have sold 100+ are: Halle Carlson, Gracie Diaz, Carter Fennern, Adriana Garcia, Mary Graham, Ryan Hasty, Aydin Lopez, Daniel Madrid, Kaleb Martinez, Samuel Milford, Bri-Anna Soliz, and Ryder Willberg. Students who have sold 50+ tickets are: Micaela Andros, Matilda Mendoza, Olivia Rangel, Catie Rodriguez, and Sarah Rodriguez. All ACS families are required to purchase and/or sell 100 raffle tickets per student enrolled at ACS. If you are someone who supports the school by simply sending a check for \$100 to the school with your **unsold** raffle tickets, please return your tickets to either campus office ASAP so that others might have an opportunity to sell those tickets. Thank you for your support.

Vision and Hearing Testing Continues through October 9

The Vision, Hearing, Acanthosis Nigracans, and Spinal Screening Program, Chapter 36 of the Health and Safety Code, requires children enrolled in public, private or parochial schools in Texas be provided with a screening each year. ACS began screening today, Wednesday, October 7 and will continue tomorrow, Thursday, October 8 for the students on the Primary Campus. October 9 will be the screening date for the Elementary students. All four year old students, as well as Kindergarten, First Grade, Third Grade, and Fifth Grade students, along with any new student to the school, will be tested.

Thank you!

Thank you, Bishop Pfeifer, for the beautiful St. Francis Day Mass celebrated Friday, October 2. Gathering as a community to fellowship and receive a special blessing (along with all of our pets!) made for an exceptional day.

Partners in Faith/Home and School Connection

Once a month, look for these two useful resources. They have wonderful ideas and useful tips on how to encourage your child(ren) spiritually, mentally and physically. Enclosed in today's Communication envelope is Partners in Faith. Please read it to discover why it is important to go with your family to Mass every Sunday.

Remember:

- Collect box tops, Campbell soup labels, ink cartridges and old cell phones. NO PLASTIC BOTTLES/NESTLE Labels
- Recycle aluminum cans (boxes available on both campuses).
- Attend School Wide Mass on Tuesdays at Holy Angels at 8:30 a.m.
- Attend School Wide Mass on Fridays at Sacred Heart at 8:30 a.m. and/or Rosary at 12:10 p.m.
- Attend Mass on Sundays with your family. Attending Mass on Sunday is an obligation, not an option!

Dates to Remember

- **October 4-10** – Fire Prevention Week
- **October 7 & 8** – Vision/Hearing, Acanthosis Nigracans Screening – Primary Campus
- **October 9** – Vision/Hearing, Acanthosis Nigracans and Spinal Screening – Elementary Campus
- **October 12** – Home & School Executive Board Meeting
- **October 12-15** – Parish Mission at Sacred Heart 7 p.m.
- **October 13** – Individual Student Yearbook Pictures – Elementary Campus
- **October 14** – Individual Student Yearbook Pictures – Primary Campus
- **October 18-23** – Red Ribbon Week
- **October 19** – ACS School Board Meeting, Elementary Campus, 5:30 p.m.
- **October 19** – Home and School Meeting, Elementary Campus Gym
- **October 22** – Skate Night at the Rink moved from October 15 to **October 22** because of SH Parish Mission
- **October 24** – Oktober Fiesta Set-up – All Hands on Deck!! Bring Baked Goods to Primary Campus
- **October 25** – Oktober Fiesta – 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 2315 A&M Ave.
- **October 26** – School Holiday

Please Pray for:

Faithful Departed
ACS Past, Present, and Future Students and Families
 Bobby Puett, grandfather of Daniel Madrid (5th grade)
ACS Past, Present, and Future Faculty and Staff
 Betty Stevens, mother-in-law of Crystal Dusek (Primary Campus Secretary)
 Robert Powell, father of Lucy Thomas (Principal)
ACS Growth: Retention and Recruitment
All Military and families
All Priests
Seminary Students from the Diocese of San Angelo
More vocations to the priesthood and religious life

