

Angelo Catholic School Newsletter

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Highlights

November 6 – Report Card Conferences – Sign-up sheets available on each campus.

Early Dismissal – After School Care is available.

November 7 – Veterans Day Parade; return form if you want to ride the float!

November 9-13 – Phone Book Drive – Bring your phone books to ACS!

November 10 – 2nd/3rd Grade Educational Outing to HEB

November 11 – 4th/5th/6th Grade Educational Outing to HEB

November 11 – Veterans Day – Military/Veterans invited to lunch

Student/Virtue of the Week

Last week, the Virtue of the Week was Generous. *Generous means charitable, liberal, bountiful, unselfish and open-handed.* The students of the week on the Elementary Campus who best exemplify *Generous*, the Virtue of the Week are: Zoe Cortez, Second Grade; Mikaylah Hernandez, Third Grade; Elyssa Martinez, Fourth Grade; Dylan Nunez, Fifth Grade; and Catherine Hernandez, Sixth Grade. Each student was recognized during Lunch on Monday and received a certificate noting the Student of the Week honor. The “Virtue of the Week” for November 2 - 9 is *Patriotism/Patriotic*. *Synonyms for patriotic are: loyal, faithful, dedicated, and dutiful.*

Individual Student Pictures – Proofs Due Tomorrow November 5 - Group Composite Pictures Info

Your child(ren)’s individual student pictures for 2009-2010 school year were sent home last week in the Communication Envelope. Orders are due back in the school by Thursday, November 5. If you would like a composite of your child’s class (see the example in each campus office), you may receive for \$6.00 if you order a yearbook picture package or for \$10.00 if you do not order a picture package.

Report Cards/Parent Conferences - November 6

The first report cards of the year are distributed during a parent-teacher conference on Friday, November 6. Conferences are 10 minutes; please adhere to this. Please be on time. No conferences can be scheduled or report cards given out before November 6. **Also, all fees/tuition/etc., must be paid before a conference can be scheduled.**

Early Dismissal – Friday, November 6

Friday is early dismissal, 12:30 pm for the Primary Campus and 12:45 pm for the Elementary Campus. After School care is available. You may drop your child off in After School Care for your 10 minute Report Card conference if you have already picked up your child.

Veterans’ Day Parade – November 7

This year’s Veterans’ Day Parade will be Saturday, November 7. Come out and see Mr. and Miss ACS, Adam Ramirez and Adriana Garcia along with our Prince and Princess, Ryder Willberg and Bri-Anna Soliz. All ACS students are invited to participate this year. We will need an accurate number of children who will be riding on the float. In the Communication Envelope is a sign up form. Please complete and return it to the office by tomorrow, Thursday, November 5. Come out and support Angelo Catholic School and honor our Veterans! **Students who ride on the float must meet at 9 a.m. on River Road near the Boy Scout House.** Contact Rebecca Gutierrez or Stacey Cortez for more information.

Phone Book Drive - November 9 - 12

The phone book drive will run November 9-12. There will be recycling dumpsters at each campus. Put those phone books in. Dumpsters should be picked up the morning of November 13, so get them all in by the afternoon of November 12. We can call for a new dumpster should we fill them; let’s fill them up!!!

Partners in Faith

Enclosed in today’s Communication Envelope is the Partners in Faith for November. It is filled with wonderful ideas and useful tips on how to encourage your child(ren) spiritually, mentally and physically. Please read it to discover why it is important to go with your family to Mass every Sunday.

Shop My.Blastoffnetwork.com and earn money for Angelo Catholic School

Go to my.blastoffnetwork.com/angelocatholicsschool09; join, and start shopping. There are good products, good prices, and a portion of the money spent will come back to ACS. Encourage all to join!

Christmas for Our Troops Due November 20

Donations are needed for “Christmas for Our Troops”. Until November 20, Angelo Catholic School will be collecting for our troops. Each year, “Christmas for Our Troops” tries to send the troops what they have requested. Your generosity is deeply appreciated. See the green insert in today’s Communication envelope for more information and for a list of things to give to our troops. Last year, over 700 boxes were sent; the goal for this year is 1,000.

Cold and Flu Season

Students are being encouraged to wash their hands regularly and use hand sanitizer frequently at school. Help us keep everyone healthy by encouraging this behavior at home as well. Also, please remember, as stated in the Handbook on page 6, “**Students should be fever free for 24 hours before returning to school.**”

Fiesta Plates still available

The fiesta plates and tiles that ACS students painted are still available in the offices of their respective campuses. If you did not pre-purchase your child(ren)’s plate/tile, you may purchase now.

Inside Track for October

Enclosed in today’s Communication Envelope is the Inside Track for October. Read about the different and exciting things that ALL ACS students have been doing. See what each class has been learning.

The Box Tops Buzz – What is this?

Enclosed in today’s Communication Envelope is The Box Top Buzz, a source of information for the latest news from Box Tops for Education. Thank you to Stacy Combs, mother of Meagan (1st) and Michael (4th) for counting the Box Tops and keeping us informed with the latest Box Top news. Classroom standings are on the Buzz.

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

- **November 6** – Report Card Conferences
- **November 6** – Early Dismissal, 12:30 pm Primary Campus; 12:45 pm Elementary Campus
- **November 7** – Veteran’s Day Parade
- **November 9** – Home & School Board Meeting – 5:30 pm
- **November 9-12** – Phone Book Drive
- **November 10/11** – Elementary Campus to HEB
- **November 11** – Veterans Day
- **November 12** – Science Day at ASU – 4th Grade to attend
- **November 13** – Tom Green County Librarian to visit Primary Campus/HEB to visit K/1st
- **November 16** – Home and School Meeting/Come at 6 p.m. for a CATCH presentation!
- **November 18** – Progress Reports
- **November 19** – Elementary Campus to Tom Green County Library
- **November 20** – Last day to bring items for Christmas for our Troops
- **November 23** – ACS School Board Meeting
- **November 24** – Thanksgiving Meal – All students on Primary Campus – Early Dismissal 12:30 p.m.
- **November 25-27** – Thanksgiving Holiday

Please Pray for:

Faithful Departed
ACS Past, Present, and Future Students and Families
Epi Febres, father of Isabella Febres (1st grade)
ACS Past, Present, and Future Faculty and Staff
ACS Supporters
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

