

St. Charles Chatter

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Father Daughter Dance Tomorrow Night!

Howdy Cowgirls and Boys!

Come to the Annual Father Daughter Dance in the St. Charles PAC this Saturday from 7-10 pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$20 a family. Dancing, fun and amazing price baskets to be won! Hope to see you there!

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL REFEREES NEEDED!

The 2nd/3rd grade intramural basketball league needs parent or grandparent volunteers to referee the boys and girls games on Friday nights. Please contact Bill or Cindy Brogan (886-2402) if interested. Games begin on December 9th.

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VOLLEYBALL SIGN-UPS

BOYS & GIRLS Grades 4 – 8

THIS, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2011

7:00– 7:30 PM

ST CHARLES CAFETERIA

BRING THE COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORMS FOUND ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE

(<http://stcharles-kettering.org/school/athletics/registration-forms/>) AND \$50.00 REGISTRATION FEE (CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO ST CHARLES ATHLETIC COMMISSION)

Registration Forms and Payment may be dropped off at the school office prior to *November 20, 2011* The registration fee for forms submitted after Dec 20th is \$75.00.

2nd Grade Reminder

Reconciliation Event taking place this Saturday (11/19 at 9:30) and Sunday, (11/20 at 1:00) in Walsh hall

2012 St. Charles Preschool

If you or a friend is looking for a preschool next year, St. Charles is the place to be! If you would like to be informed on the process or have any suggestions, questions or concerns please email Maggie Collins at mcollins@saintcharlesschool.net

Winter Weather is Here!

Please remember to dress your child properly, as the winter weather is quickly approaching.

- **If the temperature is above 20 degrees they will be going outside and need proper clothing.**
- **If the temperature is below 20 degrees (including wind chill/ “feels like” temperature) They will have indoor recess.**
- **All temperatures will be taken from The Weather Channel 45429 zip.**

Congratulation to Mrs. Carlson!

On Oct. 27th one of our 4th grade teachers, Mrs. Carlson presented her Appalachian Trail math unit at the NCTM (National Council for Teachers of Mathematics) conference in St. Louis, Missouri. She presented at the NCTM conference again on Nov. 3rd in Albuquerque, New Mexico. This math unit is a culminating lesson that incorporates every math concept throughout the school year while the students travel the Appalachian Trail.

Need Christmas Gifts?

Here is a great opportunity to get some great Christmas gifts and give back to St. Charles school while shopping. You can order Thirty One gifts from Melissa Erter and 15% of the sales will be given to St. Charles School. If you want to order now for Christmas this is all you have to do go to mythirtyone.com/92082 and go to my events and find the St. Charles Fundraiser and start shopping! Or you can e-mail me with your order at m_hundley@ctcn.net. Checks or credit cards are accepted. If you write a check it will be made out to me Melissa Erter. You can have it shipped right to your home for a nominal fee. There are some fantastic specials for this month so check out my website for details!! All orders must be placed by December 9th in order to be here for Christmas. Enjoy shopping and if you have any questions please feel free to contact me! Thank you.

We will also be having a night out for the ladies when the new spring Thirty One products come out!!! There will be more information to come as it gets closer to time so STAY TUNED!!

Future Events:

Nov 21 – TK-K Thanksgiving Performance
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Nov 23-25 – No School, Thanksgiving Holiday
Nov 26 – Advent Wreath Workshop, 11:00-12
Nov 28 – School Commission Meeting, 6:15
Dec 1 – School Spelling Bee
Dec 4 – Band Concert at Alter, 3:30
Dec 8 – Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Skateworld \$1 admission

See your coupon for details from the Wednesday Envelope. Mention St. Charles and we will get back half the admission for our school!

SCRIP

AN EASY WAY TO SUPPORT ST. CHARLES

There are so many ways SCRIP can make your life easier. Please remember to order your cards. Due to Thanksgiving next week, this week's scrip orders won't be delivered until Nov 28th

Congratulations to K. Banford!

Her drawing was chosen for this year's Year book cover! Thank you to all of our wonderful entries for this new contest!

Thanksgiving Eve Mass

Please join us in our Annual Thanksgiving Mass with St. Benedict Parish, November 23, 2011 at 7 pm at St. Benedict the Moor Church, 519 Liscum Drive, Dayton.

Christmas Parents Night Out!!

Parents, do you need a night out and a safe, fun environment where you can leave your children for a few hours? Then we have the perfect solution!
WHEN: Saturday December 10th from 6:30-10 p.m.
WHERE: Alter High School (Drop off in the rear parking lot.)
WHAT: An evening of cookie decorating, games, a Christmas movie (rated G) and a snack lead by Alter H.S. seniors for children ages 3(Must be potty trained)-12.
WHY: A group of Alter seniors are going on a Mission Trip to New Orleans during their Spring Break to help Habitat for Humanity. This is a fundraiser for that trip.
Cost: \$25 for the first child, \$5 for each additional child. Parents of Mission Trip participants will be present along with Mission Trip Coordinator Coleen Petrello (937-307-7284) cpetrello@alterhighschool.org. Please call or email Coleen with any questions. Space is limited. Sign up early so you won't be turned away.

Happy Birthday

H. Wirsing	K. Brose
G. Malik	A. Moore
I. Kenney	E. Welch
G. Powderly	A. Hornick
M. Goheen	P. Buckle
A. Gochenaur	D. Gochenaur
M. Rooney	O. Schrimpf
B. Koller	S. Kessler
P. Hoey	B. Fanjoy

MARCHING KNIGHTS!

Congratulations to St. Charles very own H. Avery (trumpet), M. Mosconi (Alto Saxophone) and N. Mueller (Percussion – Bass Drum).

On November 5th The Alter Marching Knights were awarded **Reserved Grand Champions** of this Saturday's Championship competition with a score of 83.7! They won Best Percussion, Best Visual, and Best General Effect in both Preliminary Competition and Finals Competition. This is the best ever score for the Marching Knights and we are extremely proud of all of the Marching Knights efforts along with the staff who lead this kids. It has been a very time consuming season of dedication and hardwork. Thank you for representing St. Charles with Honor!

Save the Date

Seventh grade Euchre Card Party

February 18th, 2012 7:00 to 10:00 in school cafeteria, 6:30 instructions on how to play.
Come enjoy a fun filled evening of cards and camaraderie with friends. Watch the Charger Chatter and Wednesday envelope for more information.

ADVENT WREATH WORKSHOP

LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP Please register by November 20, preferably sooner via e-mail.

Saturday, November 26, St. Charles School Cafeteria, 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon – Please join us as we make live Advent Wreaths, bless our wreaths and have lunch together! Provided will be a presoaked oasis wreath foam with tray, fresh greens, candle set, Advent prayer booklet and lunch. All you need to bring is your family or friends, and hand clippers. Call 434-9272 or e-mail dscharf@stcharles-kettering.org with name, phone, an number of people attending. You may also sign up in the Atrium. Cost is \$20.00 *per wreath*, which includes lunch for the entire family.