



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### [Seton Live Calendar](#)

- Sept 23 JHS Pepsi/Pizza/Polaroid Party  
10-12:30
- Sept 27 Picture Day
- Oct 4 Col P. Golf Tournament
- Oct 9 Guest Speaker for Faculty 3PM
- Oct 11 PSAT 9, 10, 11th Graders  
7th Grade Field Trip  
8th Grade Field Trip
- Oct 14 Haiti Fundraiser
- Oct 17 Swim Team NEW Parent Orientation Meeting 7PM in Aquinas
- Oct 20 End of 1st Quarter
- Oct 20, 21, & 22 Fall Play
- Oct 24 ASVAB Interpretation at 11:30
- Oct 25 Oktoberfest
- Oct 28 Admissions Testing 8:30AM  
Halloween Dance
- Oct 29 Festival TBD
- Oct 31 7th/8th Grade All Hallows Eve Party



*The Pilgrim Virgin statue will be received by the Bookwalter family.  
The vocations crucifix will be received by the Carolla family.*

## FROM THE DIRECTOR

**OPENING MASS:** Many thanks to all those who attended the Mass to pray for the new school year. Special thanks to Mrs. Kelly, cantor Marcie Van de Voorde, and the Seton choir, the altar servers, the lector Maria Cook, the girls volleyball team who set up the gym, Mr. Pennefather and company who set up the altar, our sacristans Mrs. Pennefather and Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. Forman and the Hospitality Committee. We continue to be grateful to our pastor Father Roos for all that he does for Seton. Thanks also for all the donations to the Bethany Food Pantry.

**PICTURE DAY, Wednesday, September 27.** Please see the dress code requirements elsewhere in the Sentinel. You can also check the Out of Uniform Dress Code in the Seton Handbook. Please help your children to cooperate with this dress code so that everyone can look good for picture day.

**POLAND PILGRIMAGE:** Please see the flyer or [click here](#). This is a wonderful spiritual and cultural opportunity for our young people, and the price (all inclusive) is unbeatable.

**THE POWER OF SILENCE:** Here is the third installment from Father Morey's faculty retreat:

So, what is silence? I looked it up in Webster's online dictionary. To say that silence is the absence of sound doesn't tell us what it *is*. Part of the problem is that we simply *can't* reduce "silence" to one concise sentence-long definition. It's impossible because silence is more powerful and mysterious than that. An amazing book, published only last year, is called *The Power of Silence*, by Cardinal Robert Sarah, an African cardinal, currently serving in Rome as the Prefect of the Congregation for Divine Worship. I'm getting absolutely no royalties or "cut" from promoting this book. But let me tell you: it'll change your life. The introduction itself will draw you in. Without a doubt, it's the most compelling introduction I've ever read in my entire life. Ten pages of sheer genius, guaranteed to pull you into the story. And the funny thing is, it's not even written by the Cardinal or by a Church prelate. It's written by the French interviewer, Nicolas Diat, who clearly has learned something about silence by observing the man he was interviewing. The interview highlights the spiritual friendship of Cardinal Sarah and a young Carthusian brother in France, whose illness had deprived him of the ability to speak. How can one build a personal and intimate friendship in only a few short visits with a bedridden person who can't even speak? Well, you'll have to read the book to find out. But here's a hint: their friendship is built on the power of silence.

## MASSES AND ROSARIES

- Monday Mass*  
**All Saints 8:30 AM**  
*Rosary*  
**Tues-Fri 8:00 AM**  
**in the Chapel**



## PRAYER REQUESTS

*Please pray for*  
*Kris Burns, founding*  
*faculty member of Christendom College (a recurrence of cancer)*  
*Jon and Bethany Stine,*  
*Seton Alumni*  
*Mr. Jensen (accident victim)*  
*Alan McDonald*

Thank  
You

Mrs. Knight  
for providing  
the priests  
lunch and  
dinner for  
Mrs Carroll  
and Fr. Noah  
for saying  
Mass.





## PICTURE DAY

Wednesday, September 27th

Wednesday, September 27th is picture day. Students are allowed to be in out-of-uniform dress code. Please [click here](#) or see the flyer for more details about what you should wear. All students will be photographed even if you are not purchasing the pictures. Picture forms are available at both offices and attached [here](#). Make sure to take your money and form to the photographer and not the front office or teacher. You can also go to [mylifetouch.com](http://mylifetouch.com) and enter the Picture Day ID: **HJ257281Q0** to order pictures.



## PEPSI/PIZZA/POLOROID PARTY

Saturday, September 23rd

Attention all 7th and 8th graders! The Pepsi/Pizza/Polaroid Party is this Saturday. Sign up on the Welcome board of the CC building. The games begin at Seton in the JP II Gym at 10:00 and will end at 12:30. Both boys and girls can wear casual (loose fitting) junky t-shirts and athletic pants, casual pants or capris (for girls) and tennis shoes since there will be lots of running!



The webstore to order Seton Jackets, Athletic Bags & Caps from East to West is now open.

Please see the attached flyer for info or [click here](#).

Orders are **online only**; click here: [East to West Link](#) Choose Seton & use access code: **seton18**.

**Last day to order: Monday, Sep 25th**



## SETON ALUMNI SHINE DURING HURRICANE IRMA.

Click [here](#) or <http://www.catholicdigest.com/news/nationworld/catholic-college-sheltered-poor-irma/> for a beautiful article about how some of our Seton Alumni helped their neighbors during and after Hurricane Irma.

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SETON COMMUNITY

- ✦ **All Saints Catholic School 60th Anniversary Celebration** on **Friday, Sept 22** from 6-9 at the Parish Courtyard (music, games, food, and nostalgia) and on **Sat, Sept 23** with 10AM Mass and Reception following in the PAC
- ✦ **Museum Day Live!** ticket provides free admission for two people this **Saturday, Sept 23rd**. Read more at: <http://www.smithsonianmag.com/museumday/museum-day-live-2017/>
- ✦ **Girls Challenge Club**, happening on Sunday nights at Seton and starting this **Sunday, Sept 24th**. See the attached flyer for details.
- ✦ **Michael J. Pennefather Memorial Fun Run and 5K** on **Sat, Sept. 30, 2017** at 8:30 at Signal Hill Park. There will be food, T-shirts and great prizes. Sign up at <http://www.hfamichaelpennefather.racewire.com/>
- ✦ **Boy Scout Troop 180** (Catholic families from Seton and St. John's parish) invites families with Cub Scouts and boys unaffiliated with the Seton Troop to an Open House on **October 2**, from 7:30 - 9 p.m., at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 6194 Dumfries Road, Warrenton. Contact Paul Miller ([pauljmilleresq@yahoo.com](mailto:pauljmilleresq@yahoo.com)) or Jim Koehr ([jim@koehrfamily.com](mailto:jim@koehrfamily.com)).
- ✦ Join the members of Holy Family Secular Franciscan Fraternity as we celebrate the **TRANSITUS of St Francis of Assisi** on **Tues, Oct 3rd** at All Saints Catholic Church. Contact Peggy Gregory at [Margaret.a.gregory@gmail.com](mailto:Margaret.a.gregory@gmail.com).
- ✦ **100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima** presentation by Mr. Raymund O'Herron at Holy Family Academy on **Oct 12th** at 7PM. Click [here](#) or see flyer for details.

## PRO POINT SUBMISSIONS

Each family is responsible for submitting their earned PRO Points. All points should be recorded as soon as possible after they have been earned. Points can be submitted at [setonschool.net](http://setonschool.net) by going to the Support page under PRO or emailing [propoints@setonschool.net](mailto:propoints@setonschool.net).



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If you have a sewing machine in good running order, or are thinking of a great gift for YOU..... I have the answer. Learn to sew! You will never regret it. Sewing opens a vast area of your brain, you never thought you had. Increases processing skill, prompts the creativity gene, teaches PATIENCE. Will teach in my home or yours. Will also teach preteens and teens. If you have at least one girl, teach one, she will teach others. Must have a machine in good running order. Would like to stay within 25 mile radius of Manassas. I charge \$40/hr. in my home and \$45/hr. in yours. Call 703 368 7152 or email at [ckenderdine@juno.com](mailto:ckenderdine@juno.com).

**Beautiful Wedding Venue:** Are you or someone you know planning to get married? Do you adore rustic barn receptions? Do you need a beautiful setting that is nearby for a large gathering or event? Then check out **Four Hills Farm!** It is officially open for business! Located just past the Manassas Battlefield on 24 breath-taking acres, Seton graduate Mark Medina ('08) has had his beautiful barn transformed into a wedding venue just for you! Check out the website, and contact us to see if **Four Hills Farm** would be the perfect place for your special day! <http://www.FourHillsFarmVa.com/> or call **571-358-8714**

