SETON SCHOOL



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A Weekly Newsletter for Seton Parents & Students

UPCOMING EVENTS

Seton Live Calendar

Oct 8 Columbus Day—School In Session

Oct 10 PSAT
7th Grade Field Trip
8th Grade Field Trip
ALS Field Trip

Oct 19 End of the First Quarter

Oct 20 Project PRO Day Admission Test 9:45

Oct 25 Band Nursing Home

Oct 27 Halloween Dance

Oct 29 PRO Meeting 7:30 PM

Oct 31 7th & 8th Periods—JHS All Hallows Eve Party

12:20 Dismissal for Parent/ Teacher Conferences 1-5 PM

Nov 1 All Saints Day—No School

Nov 4 Open House 2-4

Nov 5 Cemetery Visit after 8:30 Mass

Nov 7 College Workshop 7-8:30

Nov 8 Make-Up Picture Day

Nov 10 Calapanta Movie (held at All Saints PAC)

Nov 12-16 Spirit Week

Nov 17 Enthronement Dance 7-10:30 Admission Test 9:45

Nov 19 Military Day during lunches

Nov 21 1:20 Dismissal 3 on 3 BB for Haiti

Nov 22-23 Thanksgiving Break



FROM THE DIRECTOR

CONGRATULATIONS: To Jorge Rangel and the Golf

Tournament Committee for the most successful Col. P. Golf Tournament ever. Many thanks to all those who contributed in any way by donating, working, or playing golf. The money raised will benefit not just the Athletic Department but the entire school because it will pay for new lights for the John Paul II Center, which is used by the school community for many different activities.



HUMANAE VITAE, 50TH ANNIVERSARY. Jesus could have saved us simply by saying a prayer. But He chose to give Himself over entirely to unspeakable torture and death in order to demonstrate His infinite self-giving love. The marriage union is meant to mirror this total self-gift of Jesus, to imitate the love of Jesus the Bridegroom for His Bride the Church (see Ephesians 5). When a couple uses contraception, they put barriers in the way of total self-giving love. In the words of Mother Teresa, "In destroying the power of giving life through contraception, a husband and wife are doing something to self. This turns attention to self, and so it destroys the gift of love." (Quoted by Patrick Coffin in *The Contraception Deception*.) The world says differently, but we must heed the words of St. Paul: "Do not be conformed to this world but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may prove what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect" (Romans 12:2).



ANNUAL CONSECRATION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS. Please join us at Mass tomorrow as we renew our school Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

THANK YOU FOR PLEDGES AND DONA-

TIONS: All those who responded to my August fund appeal letter with pledges or donations should by now have received a personal thank you. If you have not received a letter, please let the office know. Many thanks also to those who made a pledge of prayers. We need them!



Many thanks to the Col. P Golf Tournament Committee: Jorge Rangel, chairman; Jeff Williams, Jim Griffin, Paul Pierce Jr., Adam & Becky Irving, Michaela & Joe Grinder, Wes Huppenthal, Joe Duda, Dan Maher, Cathy Carolla, Will Waldron, Dan

VanderWoude and Kimberly Dalrymple, who runs the onsite registration and brings all her friends to help out.

Masses and

ROSARIES

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



PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those suffering in our Seton community.

Thank

You

Mrs. Kanazeh
and Mrs.
GutierrezBustillo for the
delicious lunch
on Monday.
Mrs. Blanchette
for providing
the priests
lunch and dinner for Mrs
Carroll and Mr.
Westhoff, and
Fr. Bahtista for
saying Mass.

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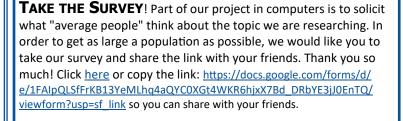
SUFFERINGS IN THE CHURCH: We have been encouraging prayer and penance. What better prayer than Our Lady's Rosary. Let us heed these recent words of Pope Francis: Pope Francis has invited "all the faithful, of all the world, to pray the Holy Rosary every day, during the entire Marian month of October, and thus to join in communion and in penitence, as the people of God, in asking the Holy Mother of God and Saint Michael Archangel to protect the Church from the devil, who always seeks to separate us from God and from each other." The Pope asked the faithful to conclude the Rosary with the ancient invocation "Sub tuum praesidium" ("We fly to thy patronage") and with the prayer to St. Michael the Archangel.



MEN'S EVENING OF RECOLLECTION at the

Seton Chapel on Tues, Oct 9 at 7:30pm. The Evening of Recollection is an opportunity to grow closer to Our Lord truly present in the tabernacle. It will include meditations led by Father James Searby and Father Larry Kutz, a practi-

cal talk on developing virtue in your daily life, an examination of conscience, benediction, opportunities for confession and some social time at the end. This is an excellent opportunity to go on a "retreat in one night" and all are encouraged to attend!





ALL 9TH-11TH GRADE STUDENTS:

THE PSAT AND PSAT 8/9 ASSESSMENTS ARE THIS WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10TH!

Please arrive at the Corpus Christi Center by 8:15 a.m. with two sharpened #2 pencils (not mechanical pencils) and an approved scientific, graphing, or four-function calculator. (For calculator policy and information see p.27 of the PSAT Student Guide.) If you will be absent or tardy, PLEASE contact the school by 8:15. We will begin promptly at 8:20 a.m. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs.

Reyes (smreyes595@gmail.com or 703-331-3587).





"Seton Service Day"! This is a great opportunity to help clean, fix and organize all around the school, and a fantastic way to earn PRO Points. All parents and

students are welcome and encouraged to participate. We will start at 9am, work until about 3pm, and then enjoy a nice "happy hour" (pizza, hot dogs, drinks, etc.) to wrap up the day. Please keep an eye out for a JupiterEd update with more details. Hope to see you there!

SETON Morning Announcements—the announcements that are read each morning in each homeroom—can be found on Jupiter Ed under Materials for the School Office.



THE SETON SCHOOL OFFI-CIAL NEWSPAPER IS BACK! Click here to read it.



Winners of the JH Pizza, Polaroid, Pepsi Party

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SETON COMMUNITY

Bishop Ireton High School, located at 201 Cambridge Road in Alexandria will host a free screening of the acclaimed documentary, "Angst: Raising Awareness Around Anxiety", a film created to open up the conversation about anxiety and provide tools, resources and hope on Thursday, Oct 11 at 7PM. Following the film we will have a Q/A discussion with Dr. Johanna Kaplan, Director and Clinical Psychologist at the Washington Anxiety Center of Capitol Hill. Open to members of the community. The showing is appropriate for ages 10 and up. Please RSVP here.

Holy Family Academy's Annual Michael Pennefather Memorial 5K and Color Fun Run will be held on Saturday Oct 13th, 2018 at 9:00 at Signal Hill Park. See the flyer for details. Click here to register. Use Coupon Code EARLY18 before 8/31 for \$5 off.

The Divine Mercy Care (DMC) gala is November 10. Have you purchased your tickets yet? DMC financially supports Tepeyac a women's pro-life OB/GYN non-profit doctors office devoted to caring for all women and also cares for the underserved and poor in our area. Do you have any NEW gifts cards, artwork, sports tickets, jewelry, a week of your vacation home, wine, technology devices, or other gifts around your home that you would like to DONATE to the gala for the mystery bags or auction? If so, that would be so wonderful! Please leave at the school office labeled "Barbara Remington- DMC". Call Barb at (703) 650-8820.