

# BSS NEWSLETTER

Wednesday, December 13, 2023



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## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

**Thursday:** 2:15-3:15 - Jr. High Quick Recall Practice (8C)

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2:15-3:30 - **STUCO Christmas Party**

2:45-3:45 - ISM Mozart Strings (Parish Center)

**Friday:** 8:00 - **Christmas Program Dress Rehearsal**  
(grades 6-8 attend)

**15**

12:30 - **Christmas Program (Parent Performance)**  
(doors open at 12:00)

**Monday:** **NO BUS SERVICE**

**18**

**Tuesday:** **NO BUS SERVICE**

**19**

**Wear GREEN & RED shirts w/ Christmas Accessories**

2:15-3:30 - Children's Choir Rehearsal (Church)

2:30-3:30 - ISM Guitar Lessons (Music Room)

**Wednesday:** **NO BUS SERVICE**

**20**

8:15 - All School Mass (no preschool)

11:00 - **Early Dismissal - Christmas Break Begins!**

No Homework Buddies After School

**Thursday:**

**21**

*Merry*

**Friday:**

**22**

*Christmas*

## WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

**Th**

Sausage Egg & Cheese Biscuit, Syrup Cup, Smile Fries, Veggie Boats & Dip, Pears, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

**F**

Grilled Cheese OR Bosco Stick, Tomato Soup, Marinara Sauce, Garden Salads, Pickle Spears, Oyster Crackers, Applesauce, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

**M**

Cheese Pizza OR Pepperoni Pizza, Steamed Broccoli, Garden Salads, Peaches, Sidekicks, Juice, Milk

**T**

Turkey & Gravy OR Chicken Drumstick, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Dinner Roll, Pineapple, Fresh Fruit, Chocolate Brownie, Cookie, Juice, Milk

**W**

**EARLY DISMISSAL - NO LUNCH**

**Th**

**CHRISTMAS BREAK**

**F**

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## 2023-2024 SCHOOL THEME

*We Believe*

We believe in God, the Father...

We believe in Jesus Christ...

We believe in the Holy Spirit...

We believe God is good, all the time!

# A Note From Your Administration

Dear Families and Friends,

I'm writing regarding drop off and pick up. I want to make sure everyone understands there are three ways students can come to school. First, they can walk to school and come in the front door. Secondly, they can take the bus to school, and be dropped off next to the church and walk in the front door. Lastly, they can be dropped off in car line around the back of the school. We have had a few families trying to drop off their students in the front of the school, and this is very dangerous for our students, so is not permitted. Please drive around to the back of school to drop off students. In addition, drop off time is between 6:45 – 7:20. Preschool student drop off time is from 7:00 – 7:20. I do get on the public address system for Morning Prayer at 7:20. In the afternoon, bus riders and walkers exit the main entrance, and car riders go around to the back of the building.

Our Christmas Program is this Friday at 12:30 (doors open at noon)! I hope you too are looking forward to hearing children's voices raised in praise to our good God.

Cheerfully in Christ,

Mrs. Aileen Briggs, Principal

*"By three methods we may learn wisdom: First, by reflection, which is noblest; Second, by imitation, which is easiest; and third by experience, which is the bitterest." - Confucius*

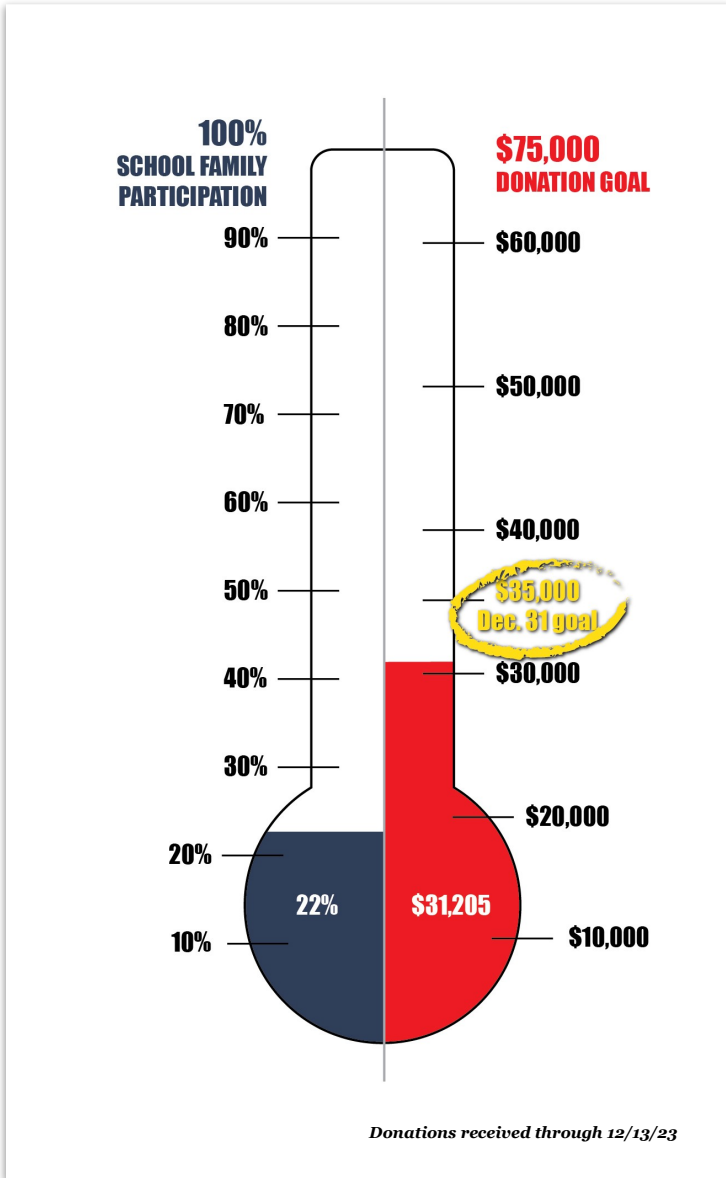
## *Did You Know...*

There is going to be a 3 x3 basketball tournament? It will take place on Saturday, February 3rd. You need to register your team by January 15th! Don't miss the deadline!

**DONATE TODAY TO THE ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN**

**Thank you to the following school families for their donations  
to this year's Blessed Sacrament School Annual Giving Campaign!**

**Please know that, no matter the amount, we truly appreciate your generosity!**



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| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Warren</i>         | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Colvin</i>    |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Wendt</i>          | <i>Dr. &amp; Mrs. Woods</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Schott</i>         | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Farrell</i>   |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Adair</i>          | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Ritchie</i>   |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Baumgardner</i>    | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Schutzman</i> |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Holtmeier</i>      | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Britt</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Busener</i>        | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Houston</i>   |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Lamb</i>           | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Haley</i>     |
| <i>Mr. and Mrs. Steltenkamp</i>      | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Marker</i>    |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Scheuerle</i>      | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. White</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Smiser</i>         | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Wuest</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Kennedy</i>        | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Reedy</i>     |
| <i>Dr. Rohmiller &amp; Dr. Draud</i> | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Brown</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Wall</i>           | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Mclaurin</i>  |
| <i>Ms. Julie Tapke</i>               | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Kallmeyer</i> |
| <i>Mr. Kenneth Eling</i>             | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Smith</i>     |
| <i>&amp; Mrs. Jennifer Grace</i>     | <i>Mrs. Timmerding</i>          |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Eibel</i>          | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Eilers</i>    |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Weckenbrock</i>    | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Roth</i>      |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Sturm</i>          | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Crossen</i>   |
| <i>Mr. Robert Cafera</i>             | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Bement</i>    |
| <i>&amp; Dr. Janice Struckhoff</i>   | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Klopp</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Hudepohl</i>       | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Clark</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Lawrence</i>       | <i>Ms. Lynne Adams</i>          |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Weis</i>           | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Thoss</i>     |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Bradley</i>        | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Haggerty</i>  |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Ries</i>           | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Wulfeck</i>   |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Pfeiffer</i>       | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Heck</i>      |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Kaufman</i>        | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Harris</i>    |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Conkin</i>         | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Bement</i>    |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Grimes</i>         | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Eilers</i>    |
| <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Burkhart</i>       | <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Roth</i>      |

*We would love to see 100% participation from school families this year! The money generated through this campaign helps to fund our specialists' salaries, which directly impacts your children!*

***We're SO CLOSE to reaching \$35,000 by December 31, so please [CLICK HERE](#) to make your tax-deductible Annual Giving Campaign contribution today!***



# BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL ROCK AND ROLL AN EVENING TO TREASURE

## Evening to Treasure - ROCK AND ROLL

Come dressed as your favorite rockstar!

Saturday March 2nd, 2024; 6pm-12pm  
Newport Syndicate

### What is Evening to Treasure?

Evening to Treasure is the Blessed Sacrament Development Committee's annual fundraiser. This amazing event raises thousands of dollars every year, and ALL of your generous donations go directly to Blessed Sacrament School.

The money raised at Evening to Treasure has helped in countless ways from enhancing building security to helping fund specialist salaries.

### Fund the Need: Specialists

We are in need of volunteers.  
Please reach out if you are interested!

## Important Dates

### \$2 Out of Uniform:

January 11<sup>th</sup>

February 16<sup>th</sup>

### E2T Meetings

(7pm @ Weckenbrock's)

January 10<sup>th</sup>

February 7<sup>th</sup>

### Important Links

[Corporate Sponsor](#)     [Facebook](#)

[Spirit Wear](#)                     [Instagram](#)

[Silent Auction](#)                     [bssky.org](#)

[Buy Tickets NOW!](#)

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# ACCEPTABLE PLASTIC LID LIST

## CAPS

- Milk
- Juice
- Water
- Sports drink
- Soda
- Detergent
- Hair spray
- Deodorant
- shampoo/conditioner
- Ketchup & Mustard
- Sauces with spout
- Apple sauce pouch
- Baby food pouch
- Medicine pill bottle



**STOP**

StuCo has reached their goal for the lid collection! Please discontinue collecting & send in all lids by Friday December 15th!!



- Mayonnaise
- Yogurt
- Butter
- Spices



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# Parents' Club News



## CLASSROOM CHRISTMAS CHEER

If you would like to contribute [CLICK HERE](#)  
Contributions DUE DECEMBER 15th!

**THANK YOU to ALL who participated in Ladies Fall Event in any way! We are excited to announce that LFE's PROFIT was \$20,623!!!! This is the largest profit to date!!**

**We are in need of a small group to be Chairs for Ladies' Fall Event next year! Please reach out if you are interested or would like to learn more!**



**Save The Date!  
Mother/Daughter  
February 11th 5:30 PM-7:30 PM  
Northern Kentucky Ice Center**



**MEAL TRAIN FOR HANCOCK FAMILY**

Upcoming SPIRIT NIGHTS	
Penn Station Buttermilk	Jan 17th ALL DAY
Chipotle Buttermilk	March 6th
<b>MONEY RAISED:</b>	
Skyline	\$103.75
Putt-Putt	\$200
Chipotle	\$355.10
Cici's	\$45
Defy	\$350
Mike's Car Wash	\$520
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$1053.85</b>

**Larosa's Buddy Cards**  
**BOGO Large Cheese Pizzas \$10**

[CLICK TO ORDER](#)

**Upcoming Parent Club Sponsored Events:**  
 December 11-13th: Santa Shop in Parish Center  
 December 20th -Christmas Class Parties (PK 8-8:30 AM, K-4 10:15-11AM, 5-8 10:30-11AM)  
 January 9th - Cross Committee Information Session 7-9 PM Undercroft  
 February 11th - Mother/Daughter 5:30-7:30 PM NKY Ice Center  
 March 15th/22nd - Lenten Food Truck Fridays

# Info from CCH



## COVINGTON CATHOLIC CO-ED WINTER YOUTH TRACK & FIELD CAMP Dec 28 + 29th, 3:30pm - 6:00pm

*Shake off winter-break cabin-fever in CovCath's state-of-the-art fieldhouse, with activities in sprints, throws, jumps and more. No prior experience in track & field needed! Learn the sport from some of the top athletes in Northern Kentucky, including former Colonels who competed at the collegiate level. A single-day option is available for busy end-of-year schedules -- early bird registration (discounted price + raffle entry for premium swag) offered through December 12.*

### MORE INFO

[https://covcathtrackandfieldteam.teamapp.com/clubs/274293/events/22349913-colonel-winter-youth-track-field-clinic?detail=v1&expires\\_at=1704067199](https://covcathtrackandfieldteam.teamapp.com/clubs/274293/events/22349913-colonel-winter-youth-track-field-clinic?detail=v1&expires_at=1704067199)

### REGISTRATION

<https://www.covcath.org/fs/form-manager/view/d1812b58-5f4e-4978-83fo-bodf53741fb4>



## Cheers to BSS

### THE CHEERS TO BSS COMMITTEE HAS VERY EXCITING AUCTION AND RAFFLE ITEMS THIS YEAR.

We are still in need of several bottles of bourbon, liquor, wine and/or beer. If you or a member of your family would like to donate, please reach out to Caroline Colvin at 859.250.8578 or at [caroline.colvin@cchmc.org](mailto:caroline.colvin@cchmc.org).

Any donation is appreciated. Thank you very much!  
Caroline Colvin, Laurie Bauer, and the Cheers committee.

*2023 Blessed Sacrament School Christmas Concert*

# *Jesus is the Reason for the Season*

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Featuring: Preschool through 5th Grade Students,  
Immanuel Strings/Guitar Afterschool Program,  
and The Blessed Sacrament Children's Choir

**Friday, December 15, 2023 at 12:30 pm**  
**in Blessed Sacrament Church (*doors open at 12:00 pm*)**

All are welcome to attend!



**Preschool Attire** - Christmas "Comfortable"

**Grades K-5 Attire** - Christmas "Nice" (no sweats/leggings/shorts)/something they would wear to a Christmas Mass



# BSS Student Council News

FALL 2023

## November Recap

Student Council organized our first Trunk or Treat!



It was a huge success!  
Thanks to all who  
participated!



StuCo also planned an amazing Veteran's Day celebration!



## Congratulations...

-to seventh grade for  
buying the most Ladies  
Fall Event tickets! The  
whole grade won a  
pizza party!

-to second grade for  
winning the Challenge  
Donation Drive & they  
also celebrated with a  
pizza party!

## Upcoming Events

- Door Decorating Contest Nov. 30-Dec. 15
- December 19th Green & Red shirts with  
Christmas accessories
- December 14th StuCo Christmas party
- Catholic Schools Week Jan. 29- Feb. 2nd.



## Advisors

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## Future Meeting Dates

December 14th  
January 18th  
February 15th  
March 21st  
April 18th





# From Our Parish

**BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH**

**CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

**Christmas Eve: 4:00, 6:00, and 10:00 p.m.**

**Christmas Day: 10:00 a.m.**

*See our website for the link to streaming Christmas masses  
from Blessed Sacrament Church: [www.bscky.org](http://www.bscky.org)*



*The staff of BSC prays that you enjoy God's abundant  
blessings during the Advent and Christmas seasons.*

*Blessed Sacrament Church*

**BECOMING STEWARDS IN COMMUNITY**



# Quick Links

**VIRTUS TRAINING**

**ADULT BASKETBALL LEAGUE**

**COFFEE AND DONUTS SIGNUPS**

**2023-2024 MUSIC SHARE DAYS**

**BSS SKI CLUB INFO**

**DISCIPLESHIP SERIES**

**FATIMA PROGRAM INFO**

**SPRING MUSICAL INFO**

**BAMBINELLI CONCERT INFO**

**UPCOMING GRIFFIN ELITE EVENTS**

If you would like to submit an article or flyer to our weekly newsletter, please send information to Annie Ernst at [annernst@bssky.org](mailto:annernst@bssky.org).  
**All information MUST be submitted by 12:00 pm on Monday to be printed in that week's newsletter.**  
*(Submissions made after the deadline will run in the following week's newsletter.)*

## Check us out on Social Media



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