



THE SCOOP



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Colder Weather

Just a reminder now that the weather is getting colder. All the kids do go outside to recess every day if the temperature is above 20 degrees. Please be sure your child is dressed for the weather. They are not permitted to go to a classroom unsupervised.

Recycle Your Aluminum Cans

A new aluminum can recycling bin has been placed in the parish center and in McCrystal Hall. Please place any empty aluminum cans in those receptacles. Thanks

Boosters News

St. Catherine Booster's Basketball Tournament is quickly approaching. The annual pep rally-coach's game will be held on Sunday, November 30 beginning at 6:00 pm with the tournament beginning Dec. 1st. Mark your calendars now. Pizza and soft drinks will be served.

NCC News

"It's A Wonderful Life" Open House— Newport Central Catholic High School invites you to attend, "It's A Wonderful Life", Open House on Thursday, December 4 from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm. NCC offers you this opportunity to become more familiar with its religious education program, expanded curriculum, innovative 3/5 Trimester Schedule, 10 advanced placement classes, academic enhancement program, athletics, extracurricular activities and its current campus improvements and expansion. The Open House will feature academic department exhibits along with athletic and extracurricular activity displays. Newport Central Catholic High School Fact Sheets, Curriculum Guides and Student Handbooks will be available. Registration will begin at 6:15 pm. Two lucky 8th graders in attendance will win a \$250 NCC gift certificate in a special raffle for 8th graders only. All are encouraged to attend! For more details, contact the NCC Development Office at 292-0001.

NCC Spirit Shop— NCC Spirit Shop with have it's annual Christmas Open House on Wednesday, November 19th from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. This is a great time to get some great Christmas presents for your future Breds!

CB Learn Program

Cincinnati Bell has instituted a program (**CB Learn**) to invest in the future and give back to our schools. Cincinnati Bell will donate \$10 yearly to the designated school for every household that enrolls in **CB Learn**. (Users must register each year to continue Cincinnati Bell's yearly donation.) The great thing about this program is that most people are already eligible to register. To be eligible to participate you must have home phone service through Cincinnati Bell and one of the following: Post-paid wireless, Zoomtown, Complete Protection, or ebill. Once you are a member of CB Learn, if you add any of the following services to your account, an additional donation will be sent to the designated school. \$20 for Home Phone, \$100 for Wireless, \$150 for Unlimited Everything Bundle, \$50 for Zoomtown, and \$20 for Complete Protection. Enrollment in this program is free and it is just one more easy way to help the parish raise much needed funds. **The form can be found under attachments for the October 24th's family folder.**

Upcoming Forester Activities

The Foresters have been busy planning upcoming events and would like everyone to put them on your calendar now. More information will follow for all events. November 30 there will be a pancake breakfast after 9:00 am Mass. Foresters will co-sponsor the pep rally with the Boosters on Nov. 30 at 6:00 pm. December 2 will be the annual St. Nick Skating party at Reca Skating Rink in Alexandria. Please mark your calendar now for all events.

Calendar of Events

November 18	1st Reconciliation Parent meeting
November 21	Mass (4th Grade) Progress Reports go home
November 25	PTO / Science Fair
November 26	Primary classes Lunch Feast
November 27, 28	Thanksgiving Break
November 30	Forester Pancake Breakfast Booster/Forester Pep Rally